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THIS EVENING

Business meeting of Every Day Club. New programme at the Nickel. The Fortnightly Club will meet at the residence of W. J. S. Myles, 38 Kennedy street.

LATE LOCALS

"The Merry Widow" at the Princess, tonight.

Chambers Lodge No. 1, I. A. O. U. W. will meet this evening at their rooms, Orange Hall, Germain St.

Station, Outer & Co.'s mills at Indiantown and Pleasant Point will start operation on Wednesday morning.

His Lordship Bishop Richardson will hold confirmation services in St. Jude's church, West End, this evening.

John W. Godard and his daughter, Miss Godard, left on Saturday afternoon for Philadelphia, where they will visit Mrs. Louis Stanford.

You can always assure yourself of getting the most dependable quality at the lowest price when you buy shoes and clothing at C. B. Pidgeon's corner Main and Bridge Sts.

District Master E. S. Hennigar and staff of officers of the St. John District L. O. L. will visit Eldon Lodge No. 2 tomorrow evening. All members of the order are invited to be present.

Captain Howard Hebb underwrites agent at Halifax, is in this city in connection with the disabled schooner Constance, which was driven ashore at Musquash and afterwards towed here for repairs.

The rite of baptism was administered to nineteen candidates in Brussels street United Baptist Church yesterday. Eighteen were baptized at the morning service and one in the evening. Both services were largely attended.

The schooner Oscar F., Captain Stewart Oliver, owned by Mr. F. R. Elliott, of Port George, and others, went ashore off Parker's Cove yesterday afternoon. The schooner was coming from St. John to Port George with a cargo of merchandise. There was no insurance on vessel or cargo.

Bishop Richardson, who has recovered from his recent slight indisposition, held two confirmation services in city yesterday. In the morning, twelve candidates were confirmed in St. Paul's Valley church, and eighteen in the afternoon in St. James church. At both services, the bishop delivered inspiring and eloquent addresses to very large congregations.

Much sympathy will be felt for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Halpin in the death of their son, Charles, on Saturday. The little fellow, who was a bright boy of three years yesterday, on a visit to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Halpin, 21 Kimball street, when he contracted a cold about two weeks ago. Complications set in and he passed away Saturday night. The funeral will take place this afternoon from his grandparents' residence.

The marriage of Miss Lena J., youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Lecker, of Dorchester (Mass.), to James William Wickwire, of Boston, will take place on Wednesday, April 22, at the residence of the bride's father, 87 Tupper street, Dorchester (Mass.). The bride formerly lived in St. John and many friends here will be interested in the wedding announcement. Mrs. E. W. Henry, of St. John, sister of Miss Laecher, left on the steamer Calvin Austin Saturday evening to attend the wedding.

WILL OPEN A DAY NURSERY

Woman's Council Decides to Engage in an Important Social Work

The ladies of the Woman's Council have decided to open, about the first of May, or perhaps earlier, on the ground floor of the old Tabernacle church building at Haymarket Square, a day nursery. These nurseries are conducted in most cities where an earnest attempt is made to solve social problems. The idea is to have rooms in charge of a thoroughly competent woman where the little children of working women can be cared for while the mother is away at work. There are always mothers whose presence is really needed in the home, and yet who at times find it necessary to go out to do a day's work, or to work every day. It is for their benefit this nursery is to be opened. A strong advisory committee will investigate every case, to be certain that there is no imposture, for it is well known that there are also mothers who would be glad to send their children to the nursery while they went themselves in pursuit of enjoyment. No such imposition will be tolerated, and the nursery will be conducted for the sole benefit of deserving and industrious mothers. The work is supplementary to that of the kindergarten, but the children cared for will be younger. It is well known that no philanthropic work yields better results in a social way than that of the free kindergarten. The ladies who are promoting the day nursery will be very glad to receive the personal sympathy of other ladies in the city, and also to receive contributions toward the fund necessary to carry on the work.

ST. JOHN MAN IN THE WEST.

The following taken from the Gainsboro Post, Southampton, April 2: Regret to lose our valued friend, Harold Carpenter, from Gainsboro, who won a great host of friends here by his gentlemanly behaviour, ever pleasant address and obliging disposition. But are pleased to state he has risen from the status of an expert salesman to a proprietor of a meat shop at Osege, Sask., whether he went yesterday to become a partner with his brother, Murray, in that enterprise. We wish the firm unbounded success in their venture and feel confident of their ability to cater to the wants of the most exacting in that very desirable necessity of life. Harold and Murray Carpenter are sons of J. T. Carpenter of this city, who went west some time ago.

THAT MAIL ROBBERY

P.O. Inspector is Making Enquiries But no Arrests Have Yet Been Made

Assistant Postoffice Inspector Whittaker arrived on Saturday from Tracadie where he has been investigating a recent theft of two registered letters from a mail bag.

It is understood that loss resulting from the robbery was not serious. It seems that Thomas Barry, contractor for the conveyance of mails between Caraque and Tracadie, became ill when about half way on his journey and on reaching his home at Six Roads entrusted the delivery to Le Breton, a sworn courier, who was word for the previous contractor. The theft occurred while Le Breton, was in a house delivering a letter. The mail bag, stamped with an air two dollars taken from a couple of registered letters that were opened. It is said that there is strong evidence against certain parties, but arrests have not been made as yet. Mr. Whittaker says he has reported the result of his inquiry to the postmaster general at Ottawa.

WALLACE McCRAW TO BEGIN LIFE ANEW

Man Acquitted of Murder at Three Rivers to go to Edmonton to Live Down the Past

Three Rivers, April 13.—Of those concerned in the McCraw trial which came to an end by the acquittal of McCraw, who was particularly slated as they fled out of the court house. These were the aged father who had sat through two trials, and heard the sentence of death pronounced on his son, and who again, with joy which scarcely knew bounds, heard the words "Not Guilty" from the jury. The other was McCraw himself, who was hardly able to realize that he was a free man. Mr. Laframme, who with dogged determination took advantage of every technicality and availed himself of every method open to free his client, was the third.

A CITY LEAGUE

The meeting called for tonight in the Exmouth street Y. M. C. rooms by the president of that organization, to consider the formation of a city baseball league, promises to develop considerable interest. The Exmouth street boys are determined to branch into ball, and hope that other city clubs will assist them to form a league.

MAY APPROVE

A meeting of the general committee of the Common Council will be held this afternoon, when the band stand project put forward by the City Cornet Band will be considered. It is altogether likely that the scheme of erecting a band stand over the fountain in King Square will be approved by the council. The report of the committee appointed to investigate the condition of schools annexed to ment houses, etc., as to their safety in case of fires, will probably also be taken up and discussed.

BIG SMOELT SHIPMENTS

Seven million pounds of smelts passed through Vancouver, from the Maritime provinces to the United States, during the season just over. Half of the above quantity were shipped by the Logie concern, of New Brunswick, in bulk to Vancouver, and were there boxed and sent forward to whatever destination desired. Of the other half, by far the larger part went from P. E. I. in the vicinity of two million and a half pounds are credited to the Island River—New Glasgow Enterprise.

N. S. BANK'S NEW BUILDING

The Bank of Nova Scotia has just awarded the contract for a \$250,000 fire proof building at Winnipeg. The building will be one of the finest in that city and the site, a corner, cost \$240 per foot, the highest figure ever reached in Winnipeg realty. The building which stands on the site at present was one of the original Port Garry warehouses, built of beech oak logs.

GOOD DRIVING PROSPECTS

The driving prospects on the Restigouche and Miramichi are good, and from present indications there ought to be good water. The recent snow storms have added much to the reserve stock, and the cold weather has not wasted the snow. With warm weather there will be an abundance of water.—Campbellton Graphic.

RESERVE SEATS

The public are notified that the thirty cent tickets for the Johnson-McKaye Recital on Tuesday, 14 instant can be exchanged for reserved seats, without extra charge.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

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CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

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WANTED—CHIEF-BOOKMAKER. APPLY TO W. W. MACHUM, Polleyburn, Queens Co., N. B.

WANTED—TWO GOOD GIRLS. REFER-ences required. APPLY 190 MAIN ST. 886-4-20

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSE-work. Mrs. A. B. GILMOUR, 123 Duke street. 884-17

PRIVATE SALE—AT 12 MECKLENBURG Street, Baby Grand Piano (imperial case) mahogany furniture, carpets, linoleum, steel range, baby carriage and crib, and other articles. May be seen from April 14th to 16th, between hours of 10 and 5. 886-4-16

WANTED TO PURCHASE—GENTLE, W. W. men's Cash or Clothing, Footwear, all kinds of Furs, Jewelry, Diamonds, Tools, Firearms, Musical Instruments, Etc. HILBERT, 34 Mill Street. 883-1200

C. B. PIDGEON April 13th. WHY PAY a FANCY PRICE and LONG PROFIT to an EXPENSIVELY CONDUCTED STORE when you can buy the same quality here at popular, reasonable prices. By taking advantage of the profitable features which are always at your command here at the North End Store—you can always assure yourself of getting the most dependable quality at the lowest price. And to this announcement, these offerings are splendid proof. Men's Fine Spring Suits, to measure, valued from \$20 to \$40 at other stores. PIDGEON'S PRICES \$16.50 to \$26.50 SIMILAR VALUES, SPRING OVERCOATS, TO MEASURE, \$16.50 to \$23.50 SPRING, READY-TO-WEAR SUITS, IN SPLENDID QUALITIES, \$4.98 to \$16.75

THE GREATEST VALUE IN MEN'S SUITS EVER OFFERED \$10, \$12, \$13.50, to \$20. The Linings and Trimmings are on a par with the workmanship—We say without qualification that these are the best values in the City to-day and we want you to understand that if you buy one of them and think differently after you get home, bring it back and we will hand you your money without any question. There's no other possibility of your returning them as we know you will not find Suits of equal value elsewhere. AMERICAN CLOTHING HOUSE, 11--15 Charlotte Street, St. John.

Lisle Silk and Kid Gloves For Easter Lisle Gloves in Black, White, Slates, Tan and Brown shades not, the ordinary Lisle but Lisle as fine as silk. Silk Gloves in Tans, Slates, White and Black, the very best make of good heavy silk which will wear and give satisfaction. We have them 15, 16, 18 and 20 inches long. The prices are 70c, 60c, 70c, 75c, 95c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 a pair. 12 Button Kid Gloves in Tans, Browns, Black and White. Kid Gloves regular length, \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.50 pair in Tans, Browns, Modes, Greys, Black and White. Our Gloves are Fowne's which are celebrated for wear and fit and all are guaranteed.

ROBERT STRAIN & CO. 27 and 29 Charlotte Street New Electric Table Lamps Twenty-Five of the Latest Designs From \$4.50 to \$20.00 each FROM WHICH TO CHOOSE BIRD CAGES of all kinds JAPANNED--\$1.30 \$1.40 \$1.50. BRASS--\$1.35 to \$4.10. PARROT CAGES. BREEDING CAGES. W. H. HAYWARD CO. LIMITED, 85, 87, 89, 91, 93 Princess St. W. H. Thorne & Co. (LIMITED) Market Square. St. John, N. B.

Easter Novelties in Men's and Boys' Furnishings... New Neckwear, Gloves, Half Hose, Collars, & Colored Shirts. Easter Ties for Men, Youths and Boys, in all popular shapes, Novelty Designs, in the Newest Color Combinations, Bias and Horizontal Stripes, and Pretty Plaid Effects, Plain Colors in Bengaline, Poplin and Barathea Weaves. Easter Gloves in Capes, Glaces, and Swedes, several shades of Tans and Greys, and many different weights. Don't miss seeing our special \$1.00 value, Dents Cape, 1 Clasp. New Half Hose in all descriptions for Spring and Summer Wear. We would call your attention to our special made Black Cashmere Socks with Colored Silk Embroidery, N w Designs, Extra Value, 3 pairs for \$1.00, all sizes. You will find this make particularly comfortable for spring wear. New Shapes in Collars have arrived. See them. New Colored Shirts. We are headquarters for the choicest and most Exclusive Designs, Newest Tints and Popular Styles. Don't fail to see the advantages that our Patent Coat Shirts have over and above all other Coat Styles. INSPECTION SOLICITED Men's Furnishing Department Manchester Robertson Allison Ltd.