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**LOCAL NEWS**

**THE BATTLE LINE**  
S.S. "Pandora," Captain Wright, for Santiago-de-Cuba and the United States, sailed from St. Lucia yesterday.

**TO OBSERVE HOLIDAY**  
The wholesale grocers of the city have all agreed to close their establishments at one o'clock tomorrow in order to give the members of their staffs a half-holiday.

**AUTO REPORTS**  
George Hamm has been reported for driving his automobile through the city without having it equipped with a rear lamp. Missie R. Connor has also been reported for driving a car without having it numbered, and also for not having it equipped with the necessary lights.

**NEW MARATHONS**  
Porter, the Marathons' new catcher, was expected to arrive in the city at noon today, but he missed train connections and will not be here until Friday. Malcolm, the new pitcher, who is coming from Batleboro, Mass., is also expected to arrive the latter part of week.

**BROWN TAILS CAPTURED**  
The first brown tail moths to be captured in this city for some time, were secured last night by James E. Dinmore of the customs department. They were hovering around an electric light in Duke street. Mr. Dinmore handed them over to Gordon Leavitt, of the Natural History Society, who pronounced them to be about the best specimens captured in the province so far. They were male insects.

**RAREBALL FUND DIVIDED**  
When the Gay Musician Company was here a few weeks ago, a newspaper team played a baseball game with members of the company. A collection was taken for the orphans and realized \$19.20. This has been divided by the Sisters of Charity and half to the Protestant Orphan's Home, and the Times has received acknowledgments from Captain Thanks are also due the Marathon Club management for use of the grounds.

**FUSILIERS' ORDERS**  
The 6th Regiment St. John Fusiliers will parade at the drill shed tomorrow morning at ten o'clock to take part in the Old Home Week parade. A large attendance is desired; uniform, review order. The officers of the regiment and ladies are invited by Messrs. Norton Griffiths & Co., Ltd., to attend the garden party to be held at Tenby Cottage, Courtenay Bay, tomorrow afternoon from 4.30 to 7 o'clock. Officers attending will wear blue frock or serge, and leave card at the gate.

**CERTIFICATE SUSPENDED**  
At a formal investigation into the stranding of the steamer "Amelia" at Bear Head, on the Bay of Fundy, shore, on June 7, held before Captain Luger, in Halifax, the commanding officer of the vessel, was found guilty of negligence, and his certificate suspended for three months. Captain Henry was given permission to act as mate of a passenger steamer during that time. Captain Luger was assisted by Captain Neil Hall and Captain John Fleming.

**S. P. C. CASE**  
Frank Scully, charged with overloading a team belonging to the Union Ice Company and also with maintaining the ferry floats was fined \$10 in the police court today. The fine was allowed to stand. Police Constable Lee and Superintendent Waring gave evidence. Secretary Westmore of the S. P. C. A. looked after the case in the interest of the society. The defendant pleaded not guilty, saying that the horse was balky and would not go up the floats.

**FAREWELL TO MISS ROBB**  
Rev. Principal McKinnon of Pine Hill College arrived in the city last night, and is the guest of Judge Forbes. He is one of the speakers tonight at a farewell to be tendered Miss Jennie B. Robb, who is returning to the mission fields of Canada to resume her labors. The farewell will be given in the lecture hall of St. David's church at eight o'clock. Miss Robb will leave St. John on Tuesday next by C. P. R. for Korea, sailing from Vancouver on July 28.

**THE PICNIC SEASON**  
The annual picnic of the Portland Methodist church was held on the Ballantyne grounds at Robbsey yesterday. It was attended by about 400. The first train went out at nine o'clock and the second left at half past one. About 200 people went out on the second train, but they did not reach the picnic grounds until between three and four o'clock, the train being delayed on the way out. In the afternoon a programme of sports was held, and suitable prizes were awarded to the winners. The picnickers returned to the city at half past seven o'clock last evening.

St. Jude's Sunday school conducted their annual picnic yesterday at Westfield Beach. There was a large number in attendance, and the outing was heartily enjoyed.

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS**  
The following deeds have been recorded: W. R. Carson to J. A. Wheaton, property in Wentworth street. Mrs. R. G. Day to J. F. Monahan, in King street, W. E. Trustees of Lucy G. V. DeBary, to S. R. Belyea, in Portland street. Mrs. Anna M. Ferguson, to Waterbury & Rising, in King street. Calvin McLean to Mrs. Chester Brown, in Lancaster. Daniel Michaud to Wm. Pugsley, in Simonds. Harriett Shane to E. N. Jones, in Lancaster.

**THE INVASION BY MOTHS**  
During the last couple of days it has been noticed that there are large numbers of moths in the city, in fact it might well be said that the annual summer invasion of these pests was made this year in Old Home Week. About street lamps in particular last evening there fluttered hundreds of the little things and there were many found dead this morning at the foot of the poles. They have invaded the homes of citizens, and the careful housewife, always on the watch for such visitors, has been kept unusually busy in pursuit of them, but they seem to be as numerous as before.

An authority on the subject said this morning that these moths, though not very large, were decidedly injurious to foliage. From their tiny eggs there came a caterpillar, and this, in the course of things, became a cocoon coming forth next summer as another member of the moth family. He said that people who had foliage which they valued about their premises should take pains to guard against the pests. They seem to have come in hundreds of thousands to the city.

**CAR BREAKING CASE UP IN POLICE COURT**

**Evidence Given on Charge Against Wm. Foley—A Water Street Matter**

The preliminary hearing in the case of William Foley, charged with breaking into a C. P. R. freight car at the Union Depot and stealing liquor, was continued in the police court this morning. F. R. Taylor appeared for the prosecution, while the prisoner was not defended.

William Galbraith swore that on Sunday afternoon, June 23, at two o'clock he was walking along Mill street near the depot when Foley asked him if he wanted to buy a bottle of whisky for twenty cents. Foley had the bottle in his pocket. The witness did not buy the bottle but walked away. When a short distance away he heard a bottle drop and, looking around, saw the bottle lying broken on the ground. He at once picked the pieces into the street.

Detective Killen told of finding portions of the broken bottle in the gutter near the depot. He had seen them there on Sunday when passing in a car, and when the robbery was reported to him he went down and gathered up the broken glass. These were produced in court.

E. E. Blair, of the C. P. R., swore that the bottle produced in court was one which had been in a shipment consigned to E. E. Blair, of Woodstock, from the National Drug and Chemical Company.

Mr. Taylor informed the court that he had only one more witness to call, but that he was not in court. He asked for an adjournment. His Honor, therefore, adjourned the case until Tuesday morning at ten o'clock.

Six prisoners charged with drunkenness were fined \$8 or twenty days in jail each. Daniel Collins, charged with being drunk and disorderly in Mill street, and also with resisting the police, was remanded. His Honor told him that he was liable to six months in jail without the option of a fine. The prisoner asked for an adjournment in order to secure witnesses.

One Robert and William Hatfield, arrested on Monday on the charge of fighting on the Red Head road, were fined \$20 or two months in jail each. The fines were allowed to stand.

John Lenihan reported for throwing stones at a little lad named Kane, pleaded guilty but promised not to do it again. He was allowed to go with a caution.

Michael Richards reported for using threatening language to a woman in Water street, pleaded guilty and was remanded. It may be that a charge of selling liquor without a license will arise out of this matter.

**Probate**  
In the probate court today the will of one W. Hatfield, widow, was proved. She died in Halifax in June last, but had domiciled in St. John. She gives all her property, both real and personal, to her daughter, Eliza Townsend Hatfield. The daughter is appointed administratrix with will annexed. The real estate consists of an undivided one-fifth share in several properties in St. John, such share being valued at \$11,000. The probate costs are \$30. J. Roy Campbell is proctor.

**DIES IN HOUSE IN WHICH HE WAS BORN**  
The death of James A. Belyea, of Public House, occurred at his home last night. Mr. Belyea, who was eighty-eight years old, was a lifelong resident of that place, and died in the house in which he was born. He was a man of genial disposition known to a host of friends for his warm-hearted hospitality, and his death will be greatly regretted.

His wife and three daughters—Mrs. Samuel Alfred Craft, at death, of Carlton, and Mrs. Fred Hyland, in the west survive. The funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at one o'clock from his late residence to the cemetery at Woodman's Point.

**AUTO THIEF LATEST**  
**A Bold Way of Getting Free Drives—Runabout Stolen and Damaged**  
A new kind of a thief has been discovered in St. John. This time it is the automobile thief. A short time ago a young man employed with a prominent concern in this city was discovered going into one of the city garages when nobody was around, cranking up a car and taking it out for a spin, just as if he owned it. On inquiry it was learned that he had been pulling off these operations for some time, without the garage owners being a bit the wiser. The police succeeded in catching him, however, and he has since left town. A small runabout car belonging to the Puppley garage company was stolen from a barn at Grand Bay not long ago and was found the next day lying by the roadside quite badly damaged.

**CONTINUE AGITATION FOR WATER IN CEDAR HILL**  
The lot owners in Cedar Hill are continuing a vigorous agitation for a water supply for the cemetery. At present there is no water available and persons who wish to make the last resting place of their friends attractive with flowers find it necessary to carry water for long distances. In some cases, not knowing where else to get it, they have carried the water from their homes in Carleton, Fairville and even from the North End.

Many of the lot holders are quite willing to contribute a water tax if a public supply is installed. In the meantime there is a faucet in the cemetery grounds, but this is kept locked by the care-taker, who says it is for his private use. The mayor and commissioner of water and sewerage have promised their assistance in securing better arrangements, which are evidently much needed.

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Children's Black Cotton Hose..... 19c

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