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CIRCULATION

The following is the sworn average daily circulation of the Times for the last four months:
January 6,712
February 6,979
March 7,167
April 7,194

THIS EVENING

Kirk Brown Company at the Opera House, in "The Wife." Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Nickel. Illustrated songs and moving pictures at the Star, North End.

LATE LOCALS

British schooner Dara C. McNally, arrived from New York today, with 700 tons hard coal.

The remains of Mrs. John White, who died at Brockton, Mass., recently, will be brought to this city for burial by Friday's Boston train.

It is stated that the management of the Marathon Baseball Club have secured Patrick Turvey, one of Connecticut League as pitcher for the coming season.

Mrs. P. E. Miller, nee Bell, will be at home to her friends Wednesday and Thursday afternoon and evenings, May 12 and 13, at 309 Princess street.

The wife of John Breving, formerly of this city, died at her home near Boston yesterday. Her remains will be brought to St. John for burial by tomorrow's train.

There will be a concert in St. Philip's A. M. E. church on Thursday evening at which some of the best city talent will appear.

The warden of Dorchester penitentiary telephoned to the chief of police this morning that the body of John Francis, the dead convict was shipped on the C. P. R. train.

Steamer Calvin Austin, Captain Allan, landed 77 passengers from Boston last night, and sailed on her return trip this morning. This is the Austin's first trip since she broke her shaft. She is looking her best.

The United States schooner Nettie Shipman, Captain Barnie, arrived in port this morning from Perth Amboy, N. J., with a cargo of hard coal for Fredericton. This makes the sixth cargo for that city this spring.

POLICE COURT

Thomas Young Remanded on a Charge of Assault—Several Drunks Dealt With.

In the police court this morning Thomas Young, an unclean negro, pleaded guilty to assaulting Joseph McDermott in a restaurant on King Street last night. Young was sober when he assaulted McDermott, who was in an advanced state of intoxication. Apparently there was no provocation for the assault. The negro opened his vocabulary on the magistrate, but he was unceremoniously led below as a disorder that pervaded the court room while he was present was stifling. McDermott's eye is swollen and discolored, and the charge may be changed to aggravated assault. Young was remanded.

Milburn Sabeen, who was arrested at 4 o'clock this morning on a warrant sworn out by George Hubley, one of yesterday's inebriates, pleaded not guilty to assaulting Hubley, who is a lame man. Sabeen's version of the alleged assault was that Hubley informed him in Lannon's saloon on Monday afternoon that he was a useless creature, and he avenged the aspersion on his lily white reputation with a blow. Hubley in his evidence stated that he refused to treat Sabeen, who is a stranger to him, and the latter struck him. He also asserted that he was insulted. Sabeen desired to obtain the testimony of the bartender in the saloon, Archibald Smith, and a third man, and Hubley was also anxious to secure corroboration of his story. Tomorrow at 2 p. m. was assigned for the resumption.

John Ferguson, who admitted intoxication, told a doubtful tale when requested to explain the presence of a set of iron knuckles in one of his pockets. He said he purchased the article from a "person" in Moncton on Monday, and the "person" was a stranger to him. The knuckles were in S. J. but he did not remember that he possessed the weapon while in Moncton or "person" from that town. He came to St. John yesterday, and said he indulged in a "little too much and a little too bad liquor." Ferguson is a Haligonian, who is bound for Millinocket, Me., but stopped over here en route by box car pullman for the purpose of endeavoring to enlist with the recruiting officer of the Northwest Mounted Police. He was remanded and Patrick Phelan, a walking umbrella mender from Halifax was fined \$4 or ten days.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

- WANTED—MEN FOR RAILROAD AND other work. Apply GRANT'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 20 Charlotte street, W. E.
PRIVATE SALE—HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, 14 St. Patrick street, lower part, from 10-12, 2-4, 7-9, starts Wednesday, contains and including a piece mahogany parlor furniture, one mahogany dresser and commode, one mahogany table, six oak chairs, one oak buffet, one wardrobe, Glenwood range, chairs, table, and other small articles. 212-5-15.
LOST—SATURDAY AFTERNOON, BLACK L and Tan Pup, answering to name of Teddy, injured paw in split, last seen in City Road. Reward at 22 Charles street. 212-5-17.
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BOY BURGLARS IN POLICE COURT TODAY

Lads Charged With Breaking Into the Star Line Warehouse and C. B. Pidgeon's Store Arraigned Before the Magistrate

The preliminary examination of Harry Akerley, aged 15, and Daniel Morrison, aged 18, accused of breaking and entering the Star Line warehouse on Saturday and stealing therefrom a small quantity of candy, a bottle of tomato catsup and a can of peas and also breaking and entering the store of C. B. Pidgeon across the square from the warehouse at Indiantown, on Sunday and stealing \$44.98 in cash, one suit, one pair of pants, two knives, two collars, two neckties, two shirts and a nickel watch, was commenced before Judge Ritchie this morning. The prisoners were not obliged to plead at the opening of the hearing, but Akerley admits, that the Star Line warehouse was entered by them.

Scott Scribner, aged 12, who was implicated with Morrison and Akerley in the warehouse episode was the first witness examined. He in his testimony stated that he resided with his parents on Albert street, north end, and met Akerley and Morrison at 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoon near the camera shop on landing. He accompanied them to the steamer Seniac ostensibly, according to his companions to obtain employment on the vessel. They were unsuccessful in their object and after strolling about for the balance of the afternoon the trio returned to Indiantown and he purchased some biscuits and buns for Morrison and Akerley who claimed to be hungry. Shortly after 6 o'clock they hoisted the rear door of the warehouse and entered. Akerley instructed him to ascend into the store-room upstairs to get a can of peas and to enable him to do so the witness said that he assisted Akerley to pile up a quantity of boxes to the requisite height. He subsequently crawled through the opening after the door was removed and unfastened a door leading from a stairway into the store room. This door was secured on the inside and Akerley and Morrison gained access by this route. Morrison took a bottle of catsup and canned it in his pocket and picked up some candy out of a pail. Morrison also opened a can of peas. They returned to the street floor and were accompanied by P. L. Corey, the agent of the company who obtained their names and released them. The Scribner boy said he immediately returned to his home and has not met either of the accused since and therefore knows nothing of the more serious burglary.

C. B. Pidgeon, the second witness, stated that when he returned to his store on Monday morning, after perceiving the door secured by a clerk at 11.40 a. m. on Saturday, he discovered that \$44.98 had been purloined from the cash register in the centre of the store. To avoid damaging the register in order to steal from it the compartments are not closed. A hole in the ceiling had been opened up by some persons who were slight in stature as the limited dimensions of the aperture would prevent the ingress of an ordinary sized man.

After entering by this window the thieves upstairs must have dropped seven feet into a coal bin and walked up a stairway and through a hatch which was not secured owing to recent repairs. Although not a single tie adorned one rack none of the employees recalled disposing of any. The ties seized from the prisoners by the police he said were identical to those in his stock, and this also applied to the shirts and garters. The trousers resembled his and the jack-knives and pens were similar also to articles he had in stock.

At this point his honor espied a suspicious paper in one of the pockets of the short trousers worn by Akerley, and at his request it was extracted from the pocket and exposed to his honor's gaze. On the larri cover of the nickel novel, which it proved to be, was depicted a harrowing scene wherein the Boy Bandit overwhelmed a dozen aborigines and almost all bit the dust from his trusty rifle. "Hub," was the ejaculation from the judicial chair, as he cast the fiery tale away.

Continuing Mr. Pidgeon stated that he employed Akerley as errand boy two summers ago, and he would undoubtedly be familiar with the premises, particularly the cellar.

P. L. Corey in his testimony stated that he left the Star Line warehouse at 5.30 on Saturday and at the request of a teamster returned after six to receive another load of freight. The rear door was open and hearing a sound he jumped inside. He captured Akerley and Scribner, but Morrison eluded him, and fled through the door to the street. Akerley and Scribner gave their names to Corey, but Morrison eluded him, but he recognized Scribner who attempted to escape. Akerley thereupon interjected "You couldn't make me run." Mr. Corey stated that he detained the pair for a few minutes, and as no policeman materialized, he warned them not to repeat the offence and they were taken to the police station.

At this juncture the prisoners were remanded for three days, and at the resumption, probably on Monday, several witnesses from Pidgeon's store will be examined. Developments are expected in the meantime.

It has been learned this morning that Harry Akerley, who, with Daniel Morrison, of Cambridge, Mass., is charged with the theft of money and goods from C. B. Pidgeon's establishment, has on a previous occasion helped himself from the cash drawer of the same place. About a year ago, while in the employ of the firm, he managed to get from the till in the vicinity of \$35 while alone for a brief space in the store. At that time he was lavish in his presents of cigars and candy, and when confronted with the theft had about \$13 of the amount left. As the balance was arranged for by the lad's parents, nothing was said about it at the time.

In searching the cellar of the building Detective Killen and Deputy Chief Jenkinson found the stolen clothing, which is guarded by Akerley and Morrison, when they arrayed themselves in new apparel.

Lewis Golding at noon today complained that he was being followed about the north side of King Square by several negroes. When a policeman went to investigate Golding used so much profane language that he was nearly arrested himself. The negroes denied that they were following Golding.

A meeting of the governors of the Boys Industrial Home will be held this afternoon in the mayor's office.

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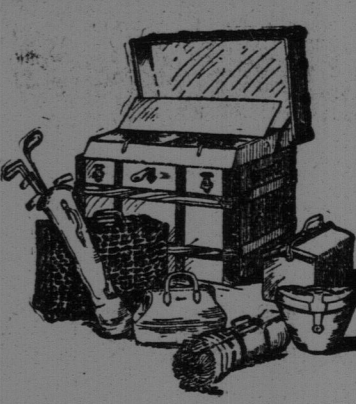
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