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MR. EMMERS ON HERE TO KEEP A PROMISE

Accompanied by Deputy Minister Butler He Visited Sand Point This Morning and Will Meet Harbor Improvements Committee This Afternoon.

Hon. H. R. Emmerson and Deputy Minister Butler arrived in the city this morning and are registered at the Royal. This morning they went to the west side and looked over the wharves and shipping facilities generally. This afternoon they will meet the members of the harbor committee to discuss matters relating to harbor improvements.

EMPIRE DAY CELEBRATED

Pleasing Programme Carried Out in the High School This Afternoon.

When the scholars in the various city schools leave the classrooms this afternoon they will be free from their studies until Tuesday morning. In addition to having Victoria Day as a holiday, they also have Monday, instead of Loyalty Day, which was on Saturday last. Today, Empire Day, was fittingly observed in the different school buildings by appropriate exercises.

SOBERED BY HANDSHAKES

Victim of Alcohol Saved by Daily Touch of a Bishop.

LONDON, May 23.—The Right Rev. Cecil Boutflower, Bishop of Dorchester, is a believer in the efficacy of the touch of the human hand in reclaiming victims of alcohol. He instances a case in his own experience. It frequently fell to his lot when ministering in Northern Paris to help home and put to bed somebody too drunk to walk. He invariably visited the drunkard the next morning and reasoned with him against the use of alcohol. One man promised to abandon drink if Mr. Boutflower would shake hands with him daily for a month before he started to work. Mr. Boutflower agreed, and went to his home every morning at 5.30 o'clock and shook hands with him. The man kept his word and reformed.

HOW PLEASURE SEEKERS CAN SPEND THE HOLIDAY

Good List of Attractions in City and County for Tomorrow's Merry Makers.

Victoria Day is generally recognized as the beginning of the summer holiday season, when citizens can find amusement in abundance in the city or leave the hum-drum of the city of their daily toil and seek recreation in some shady nook in any of our many rural spots.

It is anticipated that on account of nature not being as yet clothed in her summer garments, the great majority of people will remain in the city and patronize the different amusements that will be provided tomorrow.

A SENSATIONAL MURDER IN LONG ISLAND SUBURB

Amelia Staffeldt, 15 Years Old, Outraged and Murdered in a Lonely Field—Police Have No Clue to the Murderer

NEW YORK, May 23.—Amelia Staffeldt, 15 years of age, was outraged and murdered on the outskirts of her father's farm in Elmhurst, Long Island, this afternoon.

The crime was committed in a lonely spot where the girl had wandered in search of dandelions, and the weapon employed was the kitchen knife she had used to sever the crows from the roots of the wild flowers. The girl died fighting.

The body, when found by Joseph Engel, a farm hand, was laid stripped of clothing and bore the evidences of a revolting assault. Two gaping wounds in the throat told how the murder was done and the blood-stained knife lay near by.

The police tonight had little work on in their hunt for the murderer. NEW YORK, May 23.—After a whole day's work the police today are far from a definite clue to the identity of the murderer of Amelia Staffeldt, the fifteen year old girl who was shockingly murdered with a knife in a field at Elmhurst in Queen Borough yesterday.

FELL DOWN STAIRS; DIED SOON AFTER

Mrs. Sarah Cunningham, of Bentley Street, Was Killed by Falling Down Stairs in Her Home About 10 O'clock Last Night.

Mrs. Sarah Cunningham, widow of the late Robert Cunningham, met with an accident last night in her home on the corner of Bentley and Chesley streets, which terminated in her death.

Mrs. Cunningham was an elderly lady who resided with her son John. Last night about 10 o'clock she was about to retire for the night, and in walking along the hallway she had to pass a door which was usually locked. When passing the door last night, the old lady leaned against it, which was unfastened, and by its opening, she was precipitated headlong down the stairs. Her head struck the balustrade and when picked up she was unconscious.

MR. BIRRELL'S IRISH BILL

Liberals Must Incorporate Some General Home Rule Scheme in Their Programme.

DUBLIN, May 23.—The Nationalists are of the opinion that one result of the rejection of Mr. Birrell's Irish Bill by the National Convention will be to compel the Liberal party at the next general election, to incorporate in its programme some genuine home rule schemes. In the meantime they expect that the present parliament will take Mr. Brody's Irish University Bill and other Irish legislation. The Irish members of the House of Commons will continue to cooperate with the Liberals on general legislation.

NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

Twenty-two Applicants for Vacant Chairs at the University of New Brunswick.

FREDERICTON, May 23.—(Special)—Chancellor Jones has received twenty-two applications for the chairs in geology, electrical engineering and agricultural chemistry at the university. The following is the list: Geology, Dr. George Bailey, Dr. Philip Cox, Donald W. Davis, Charles E. Gabel, Robert W. Hagner, C. A. Jewell, John D. McLaren, H. L. Madison, B. A. Place, R. B. Reardon, Fred W. Roberts, A. W. Hill, Alfred McGee and Edward Mueller.

WILL CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Belyea, of Public Landing, Were Married 50 Years Ago Tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Belyea, of Public Landing will celebrate their golden jubilee tomorrow and also on Monday and hosts of friends of the genial old couple intend going from the city tomorrow to offer congratulations.

DEAN BACK IN MONCTON

Book Keeper Who Was Missing Has Returned and Says He Has Not Misappropriated Funds.

MONCTON, N. B., May 23.—(Special)—Nelson Dean, the young bookkeeper reported missing, has returned to the city, and in explanation of his sudden disappearance, said he took a walk out into the country where he spent the past few days. He claims that he has not misappropriated funds to any extent and says he can make good any discrepancy.

A CASE OF VERACITY

Interesting Case Heard in the City Court This Morning—Set Aside for Further Evidence.

The case of Cornelius Rogan vs. William O'Hara aroused considerable interest and was argued at this morning's session of the city court and from the contradictory nature of the evidence, which was presented, the case was set aside for further evidence.

JUDGE STOPPED A LITTLE GAME

Sensational Turn to a Case Before Ontario Non Jury Assize Court.

TORONTO, Ont., May 23 (Special)—A sensational case was heard at the Ontario Assize Court yesterday when Justice Teetzel practically ordered Frank Wait to swear information against his neighbor, James DeWolfe, of Cambridge, for forgery with the result that the young man was arrested.

HEARST GETS HIS RECOUNT

Gov. Hughes Sends to New York Legislature Message Urging Passage of So-called Re-count Bill.

ALBANY, May 23.—Governor Hughes sent to the legislature today a special message urging the passage of the so-called "New York Re-count Bill" which provides judicial procedure for the recounting of the ballots cast in the McOlellan-Hearst mayoralty election in New York city in 1905.

HOW THEY DO IT IN QUEBEC

Dominion Medical Officers Force Second Class Passengers to Jump, Dance and Run.

MONTRÉAL, May 23.—(Special)—Shipping companies here have received complaints against the tests which second class passengers are subjected by the Dominion Medical officers at Quebec.

A MYSTERIOUS EXPLOSION

NEW YORK, May 23.—A mysterious explosion in crowded Mott street today seriously injured eight children, three of them fatally, and struck terror to the hearts of hundreds in the crowded thoroughfare, and it was not until a large force of police arrived that order was restored.

COMMISSIONERS ARRIVED TODAY

Grain Commissioners Reached This City from Portland, Me. on Noon Train.

The members of the grain commission which was appointed by the government in July last arrived in the city today on the Boston train. They are J. Miller, Saskatchewan, chairman; George E. Goldie, Ontario, and L. McNair, Manitoba.

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, May 23.—Opening prices of stocks moved downward from last night's closing level on a meagre volume of dealings. Can. Pacific lost 1 3/8, Brooklyn Transit, 1 1/4, N. Y. C. and American Smelting and Refining, 1/2, and Union Pacific and Northern Pacific large fractions. The market opened easy.

MONTRÉAL STOCKS

MONTRÉAL, May 23.—(Special)—On the stock market today there was less selling than yesterday and prices were firmer. Trading fell off to a marked extent. The most active features were Nipissing, 11 1/2; MacKay, 49 1/2 to 1 1/4; Pfd., 68; Detroit, 67 3/4; Twin City, 80.

WILL CELEBRATE SIXTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peters Will Have That Rare Privilege on Monday Next.

It is not often that the sixtieth anniversary of a wedding is chronicle, but Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peters, of this city, will, on Monday next, have attained that period of wedded life. Sixty years ago, lacking a few days, Mr. Peters was married to Miss Mary J. Underhill, daughter of the late Benjamin J. Underhill. Their married life has been a very happy one, and they have a large family of sons, daughters, grandchildren and great children.

HIRAM SEEKING SPORT

Mr. Hiram Seeking Sport in Town Today, Having Come to Spend the 24th.

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(Continued)

Synopsis of Preceding Chapters—Colonel Strangeway, who for gambling has two beautiful daughters, and one of them, Vivienne, is to marry and one of them, Vivienne, is to marry...

ounded him, and then began to swear coarse, florid oaths. He was utterly regardless of those who heard him. Roger Selborne was pale to the lips. It was a terrible blow, this which he had received. He raised his hand to his brow and muttered to himself under his brows...

Lady Erline was very composed. "You have a bag there," she remarked. "Is it one that has not yet been searched?" She fixed her eyes upon Patience as she spoke. Patience trembled, though without apparent cause.

"It isn't true! It can't be true! Patience you don't know what you are saying!" The words were wrung from Jack, who, stooping forward, had taken Patience's hands in his and was drawing them from her face. He hardly knew what he was doing or what he said.

"Not locked!" Patience glanced at the key in her hand, and then at her frightened, pumpled face. She had locked the bag herself, and could perfectly well remember doing so. A new fear shot into her eyes. She glanced from Lady Erline to her father, and then she plunged a trembling hand into the bag. "I locked it myself," she said. "It has no thing in it but Vivienne's travelling necessities. It is a shame, a wicked shame, that it should be opened like this."

"Look at me, dear," he went on. "Look me in the eyes, for I don't believe what you have just said. I don't and I can't believe it." Patience made no answer. She felt as she crouched there upon the floor, her face hidden, as if she were actually guilty of the crime which she had taken upon her head. She was so thoroughly at one with her sister that the guilt seemed in very truth her own. She sobbed bitterly, and to all who witnessed it the scene was one of lamenting pain.

WHY SPRING BRINGS WEAKNESS Winter Weakens the System and Allows Disease Germs to Enter. Great epidemics, such as fevers, infectious skin diseases and pestilence break out in the spring. Winter shuts out fresh air from many homes, and only few get even a little sunshine. The blood naturally grows thin, colorless and disease—we tire easily, sleep poorly and have headaches. In this condition we are easy prey to sickness and fill the hospitals and graveyards. You must create resistance and strength. The blood must be purified, must be given power to expel the seeds of spring fever. Ferrozone is the only remedy. It calls back vim and energy, fills the body with vitality, makes every fibre sing with new found life and health. That gnawing tiredness leaves you—Ferrozone drives it away. Sleepless nights are turned into periods of rest, and you pick up fast. Day by day your appetite improves—this means more food in transit, more energy, more vitality, more strength, more vigor. Ferrozone in worry passes away because Ferrozone imparts nerve—tone and bodily strength that prevents depression. Think it over—Ferrozone is a wonderful tonic, in fact it is more because it establishes health that lasts. Thousands use it in the spring and thereby cleanse and restore the entire system to a perfect condition. You'll feel the uplifting power of Ferrozone in a week—it's bound to help you if you only give it the chance. Sold by all dealers, 50c a box or six boxes for \$2.50; be sure of the name Ferrozone.

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Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



THE "GOING-AWAY" COSTUME.

Next in importance to the bridal gown comes the "going-away" costume. In this the bride has ample scope for indulging in individuality of dress, and practically any color or material which she may select will prove successful. The season which makes an exceedingly attractive traveling gown, dressy enough in mode of development to answer also as afternoon street frock. The material is a grey-and-white striped chevron suiting, soft and pliable as broadcloth. The skirt is long, like those of the French models, but may be shortened to the fashionable American length. It has a hip front seam and hangs straight from the waistline to hem, where it is simply trimmed with two four-inch wide and finished cloth. The top of the skirt is slightly gathered, and the Japanese style of the empire waistline and the Gibson shoulder, with the Japanese sleeve. The neck is finished with a narrow roll collar of grey, buttoned with silver-buckle-like embroidery. There is a little vest of grey, buttoned with silver-buckle-like buttons and trimmed with grey soutache braid, such as is used in the motifs defining the empire line under the arms and in the back.

HEAVY CONTRACTS FOR PIG IRON

Orders Given for 300,000 Tons in First Half of May.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Activity continues in the eastern market for foundry and basic iron. Additional sales of foundry grades which came to the surface in the local market yesterday aggregated 15,000 tons. Some of the individual transactions have ranged from 1,000 to 3,000 tons each for delivery mainly during the fourth quarter. Several important buyers still in the market for foundry iron, one for 4,000 tons, another for 2,000 tons and another for 3,000 tons, stove foundry, machinery manufacturers and steel-making interests. The New York Air Brake Company is out with another inquiry of 1,000 tons of low phosphorus, half of which is wanted for early shipment. There is also a good demand for forge iron, with some additional sales reported by northern furnaces. The first quarter 1908 shipments. There is less demand for small lots of foreign iron for quick shipment in the east, but several round lots are under negotiation for June, July and August shipment from abroad. The London market reacted sharply yesterday after a long period of steady advance. Standard foundry closed at 61 1/2 and Cleveland warrants at 61 3/4; that is, a break of 1/4 and 1/4, respectively from the previous close. The heavy business has been accompanied by an advance of 1/4 to 1/2 per ton, as previously noted, and the market is still hardening. It is interesting to note, however, that some of the buying, especially of steel-making iron, has been of a speculative nature and attended by more or less excitement.

Roger Selborne drew Colonel Strangeway aside. "For Heaven's sake don't let's prolong this cruel scene," he whispered. "Let Patience go to her room. It's no good torturing her; we can discuss without her what we have to do. After all, the stone has been found, and I don't suppose Erline means to be vindictive." "She can prosecute if she pleases," returned Colonel Strangeway, roughly. "Let Patience go to her room. I will see you later," he said. Roger unlocked the door, and Patience moved without hesitation, yet with sympathy expressed on the faces of most of them. Yet none interfered with her. Even Jack, who was about to spring forward to whisper some word of comfort in her ear, was restrained from doing so by Roger, who laid his hand upon his friend's shoulder and held him back. So Patience passed from the room, and slowly mounted the staircase to her own bedroom, moving almost as though she was deprived of feeling, a very automaton, wound up to do its prescribed work. She entered her room and locked the door behind her, and threw herself down into the same chair which she had occupied but a little time before. There were no tears in her eyes now, but also she had lost the power of connected thought. It seemed to her as if she stood on the threshold of another life, and as if nothing could ever be the same again as it had once been. Thus she sat for some half-an-hour, or perhaps longer. She was hardly conscious of the passage of time. She knew that the night must be well advanced, for it had been after ten when she had gone to Vivienne's room, gone there to find her sister asleep and unconscious of the terrible events that were happening. She did not blame Vivienne. If the thought of her sister came to her mind, she whispered to herself "Poor Vivienne!" or "My poor Viv!" She was driven to it; it was not her own fault. (To be continued.)

Campbell-Paterson. A quiet wedding took place in St. Mary's rectory Tuesday evening, when Miss Ella May, daughter of Samuel Paterson, of 248 Brussels street, was married to Owen R. Campbell, also of this city. Rev. Dr. W. O. Raymond performed the ceremony. Steamer Prince Rupert is expected to reach here today from Boston and on Friday will go on the route to Digby, inaugurating the all the year round day service between St. John and Digby. E. A. Williams, I. C. R. chief detective, was in the city yesterday.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER. Makes the lightest most delicious and tasty hot biscuit. ROYAL Baking Powder is indispensable to the preparation of the finest cake, hot-breads, rolls and muffins. No other baking powder equals it in strength, purity and wholesomeness. ROYAL HAS NO SUBSTITUTE. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

OBITUARY. M. Everett Smith. St. Stephen, May 22.—(Special)—M. Everett Smith, aged 43, who has conducted a bookstore on Water street for several years, died this morning. He has been in failing health for some years, but was able to look after his business until last Christmas; since then has been confined to the house. Mr. Smith was well and favorably known. For a number of years he was in the employ of Smith & Murray, and Ganong Bros. and then Oak Hall, at Woodstock. He was a member of Sussex Lodge, F. & A. M., and Miriam Lodge, I. O. O. F., under whose auspices the funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. He leaves a mother, two sisters and three brothers. Mrs. Wm. Hodnett. New Brandon, May 21.—Mrs. William Hodnett, aged seventy-eight years, died at the home of her son-in-law, James M. Ellis, on May 17. The funeral on the 19th was largely attended for she was beloved by all who knew her. She is survived by one daughter, Maggie. She had been a sufferer for years but bore all with patient resignation to the will of God. Rev. Father White, C. S. S. R., who, much to the regret of his parishioners, has been transferred from St. Peter's church to New York, will not leave for his new field until after the arrival of his successor as rector here, Rev. Father Duke, which will be about the middle of next week. A farewell to Father White by his people was to have been given in the church basement last night but was postponed until next Monday evening.

HOME PAPERS THE TELEGRAPH AND TIMES. THESE PAPERS are delivered to St. John residences BY CARRIER. They are taken into the homes of responsible and desirable people who pay for the privilege of reading them. An advertisement in The Big Papers will place you in company with the most prominent local and general advertisers in Canada. The TELEGRAPH and TIMES enjoy a greater advertising patronage than any other two papers in New Brunswick, and if business is any indication of ability to deliver results, then The Big Papers are always "making good." RATES ARE NEVER CUT. One price to all. Telephone main 705 for The Advertising Dept.

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FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

LONDON STATIST ON STOCK MARKET

Gives Reasons for the Great and Prolonged Dullness on the Exchange.

NEW YORK, May 22.—New York brokers may complain—and with reason—of dull times, but they are not to be blamed for the dullness...

WORKING UP CROP SCARES

NEW YORK, May 22.—Curiously enough the house with which Mr. Jones, the crop expert, is connected, has been bullish on the grain outlook...

BANK OF ENGLAND

LONDON, May 22.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve, increased...

WHY HE FLED.

"My grandmother," she said, "was married when she was fifteen, and my mother when she was seventeen."

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

The Seat of Many Ills Is The Stomach. Poor digestion is accountable for numerous disorders including Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Constipation, Piles. GET HERNER'S DYSPEPSIA CURE IT RECTIFIES all these common complaints, gives health and comfort to the user; corrects the system. 35c. and \$1.00 Bottle. Sold at all Druggists. Made by DR. SCOTT'S WHITE LINIMENT CO., St. John, N. B.

FISHERY BULLETIN

Halifax, N. S., May 22. NOVA SCOTIA. Port in Tour.—Lobsters fair. Lockport—Cod plenty, few halibut reported, lobsters scarce.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

Bloomfield—Lobsters fair, herring scarce. NEW BRUNSWICK. Shippigan—Lobsters plenty, herring fair.

QUEBEC.

Paspébiac—Herring very plenty. Port Daniel—Herring very plenty, lobsters plenty.

BAIT.

Bait at Queensport, Half Island Cove, Half Way Cove, Bras d'or Lakes, Newport Point, Georgetown, St. Ann's, Port Hood Island, Marble Mountain district and Magdalen Islands.

ICE.

Ice at Digby, Triverton, Freeport, Westport, St. Mary's Bay, Sandy Cove, Lunenburg, Canoe, Georgetown, Newport Point, Queensport, Yarmouth, Lockport, Halesbury, Mulgrave, Pubnico, Arichat, Seven Islands, Liverpool and Port Hood Island.

BARBADOS MARKETS.

The following market report dated Barbados, May 11, is from Leacock & Co., circular: Fish—The Lena to Caribou—cod, codfish, codlin (Dorcas & Stun's)—sold outright to a speculator on reserved terms...

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

WANTED AT ONCE—GIRL TO GO TO Westford for summer months. Mrs. GEORGE R. EWING, 84 Duke St. 686-5-2. WANTED—A NUMBER OF GOOD LADY-borders, festively none but sober men given employment. Apply JOSHUA CHATY, Supr. Pembell Cemetery. 686-5-3.

THEATRES

CAMILLE SCORED HIT

The theatre goes still continue to show their appreciation of Kirk Brown and his excellent company. Last night Camille was presented before a good sized house in a manner that was highly commended by those present.

MR. JELENKO NEXT WEEK

Monday night will signalize the return of the popular actor, Mr. N. L. Jelenko and all the favorites in the cast. The return of this splendid company, which has been filling a profitable engagement in Halifax, will be warmly welcomed by patrons of the Opera House.

CHANGE AT THE NICKEL

As regular as the days of the week, comes the "mid-week change" of programme of motion pictures and illustrated songs at the Nickel on Thursdays, and at noon every entirely new series will be reproduced.

SECURE A GOOD SEAT

The seating plan for the Ralph Connor evening at the Opera House Friday, May 23, will be open for the exchange of advance sale tickets at Hall's bookstall on Tuesday morning next at 8 o'clock.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Typewriting Bureau, 20 Canterbury St. Steamer Hampton will run her regular excursion to Hampton on Victoria Day. Hundreds of housewives could be saved untold worry and labor if they sent their curtains to Unger's, Phone 58.

NEW CLOTHES FOR SUNDAY.

The M. R. A. sale of costumes, jackets, coats, etc., makes it possible to have stylish new clothing for Sunday, though one shopping day only remains to make the transaction.

QUEEN'S ROLLAWAY

At the Queen's Rollaway tonight the band will play special selections. Tomorrow, Victoria Day, there will be a band in the afternoon and evening.

HARVEY'S BARGAINS TONIGHT

Buy your holiday outfitting in Harvey's, Opera House block, tonight, the four stores will be open till a late hour. On Saturday the Trade Extension

SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Table with columns: 1907, Sun, Tide, High, Low. Rows for May 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31.

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CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Table with columns: Commodity, Price, Change. Rows for Amalgam Copper, Am Sugar, Am Coffee, etc.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Table with columns: Commodity, Price, Change. Rows for July Cotton, October Cotton, December Cotton, January Cotton.

SACKVILLE.

SACKVILLE, May 22.—At the annual meeting of the Sackville League last evening, Rev. J. L. Dawson presided and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

DEATHS.

YACHTSMAN—In this city, on May 22, Francis Gerrard, infant son of George and Isabella McSherry.

TENDERS.

TENDERS for all the general dry goods, stock and shop fixtures of Ernest W. Patterson, No. 29 City Road, to be sold en bloc.

RECENT CHARTERS.

Port of St. John, N. S., May 22.—Schr Delta M of Mahone Bay, N. S., for Prince Edward Island with salt is a total wreck of Beaver Harbor.

EXPORTS.

For Manchester Corporation for Manchester—538 1/2 bushels, 919,948 lb spruce, deal, etc.

MARINE NOTES.

South African steamer Canada Cape, Capt. Symons, arrived at Barbados May 13 from Demerara.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 21.—Notice is given by the Lighthouse board that the light on

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Table with columns: Commodity, Price, Change. Rows for Amalgam Copper, Am Sugar, Am Coffee, etc.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Table with columns: Commodity, Price, Change. Rows for July Cotton, October Cotton, December Cotton, January Cotton.

SACKVILLE.

SACKVILLE, May 22.—At the annual meeting of the Sackville League last evening, Rev. J. L. Dawson presided and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

DEATHS.

YACHTSMAN—In this city, on May 22, Francis Gerrard, infant son of George and Isabella McSherry.

TENDERS.

TENDERS for all the general dry goods, stock and shop fixtures of Ernest W. Patterson, No. 29 City Road, to be sold en bloc.

RECENT CHARTERS.

Port of St. John, N. S., May 22.—Schr Delta M of Mahone Bay, N. S., for Prince Edward Island with salt is a total wreck of Beaver Harbor.

EXPORTS.

For Manchester Corporation for Manchester—538 1/2 bushels, 919,948 lb spruce, deal, etc.

MARINE NOTES.

South African steamer Canada Cape, Capt. Symons, arrived at Barbados May 13 from Demerara.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 21.—Notice is given by the Lighthouse board that the light on

Ellis Spring Needle Ribbed UNDERWEAR THE NEEDLE DOES THE TRICK. The absolute elasticity of our garments is obtained by a peculiarity of their construction—Ellis Underwear being manufactured by a patented method known as the "Spring Needle Process"...

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FATHERLY SOLICITUDE. Miss McFlimsy—Papa, I must have \$500 at once; I have positively nothing to wear. Mr. McFlimsy—Does your mother know you're out?

VESSLES IN PORT. Kelvinside, 1246, W. M. Mackay, Matamoras, 2197, J. H. Scammell & Co. Tanager, 2151, Wm. Thomson & Co. Scheenra. Alice Mand, 120, C. M. Kerrison, Adina, 131, A. W. Adams, Annie Gust, J. Spence & Co. Chesla, 350, G. E. Holder, O. B. Wood, 211, Stearns, Cutler Co. D. W. B. 250, D. J. Purdy, Eric, 119, N. C. Scott, Fanny, 91, C. M. Kerrison, Golden Hall, 253, P. McIntyre, George E. 88, J. W. McAlary, Henry H. Chamberlain, 255, A. W. Adams, M. D. 5, 260, Master, Minnie Skauson, 54, Stearns, Cutler & Co. Roger Drury, 307, R. G. Elkin, Tay, 124, J. McIntyre, Temperance Bell, 78, C. M. Kerrison.

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DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. THE GREAT KIDNEY PILLS. BRIGHTON, MASS. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE. THE CLAIM FOR SALVAGE by the whaling steamer St. Lawrence for towing the British bark Invermay, from Honolulu for Tacoma, out of a perilous position near the entrance to Puget Sound, on April 21, was settled for \$1,750. William McCarthy, a Bremen on the Don-

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HON. MR. EMMERSON

No man could ask or hope for a more enthusiastic endorsement than that which Hon. Mr. Emmerson's career and present course of action received yesterday from the Liberal party of Westmorland county and representative liberals from other counties and some counties in Quebec.

There was no undertone of doubt or discouragement, but an aggressive fighting championship of the man who has been attacked. The story of the convention will tell to all Canada that the member for Westmorland, in his hour of trial, has the sympathy and support of his constituents not less than when he came with all the prestige of a minister of the crown; and that they accept his word and are perfectly confident that he will disprove the personal charges made against him.

It will be noted also that the convention passed very strong resolutions on the subject of the proposed running rights for the C. P. R. over the Intercolonial.

Altogether yesterday's convention in Moncton was a notable demonstration, coming as it does on the eve of the action taken in the courts by Mr. Emmerson to vindicate his character and reputation.

HOLIDAYS AND SPORTS

In recent years the habit of St. John people has been to have no special attractions in the city on holidays in summer, and as a result very many have gone out of town. This year there will be ball games and sports for May 24th, and although there will be excursions to suburban points and fishing streams, it is expected that a larger number than usual will enjoy the pleasures offered on the athletic grounds, the parks and elsewhere near at hand.

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will be appreciated by those who have heard him speak in St. John: "Dr. Parkin's speech was brief, full of verve and vigor, and was a plea for Canada's climate as the producer of a great race of 'Northmen' as compared to the breed from these islands in a less rigorous zone. It was an echo of the words which the writer had often heard from the lips of Sir John A. Macdonald, that Canada would produce a new Viking race, the Vikings of the Prairie seas, but Dr. Parkin claimed for the whole of Canada this privilege of revitalizing the British race. It was interesting to watch his face when his Rhodes scholars from Oxford added their contributions to this 'feast of reason.'"

A WELCOME CHANGE

The following paragraph from The British Emigrant tells of a great and welcome change taking place in the schools of England, in relation to study concerning Greater Britain:—

"Of recent years the teaching of geography has been much developed in English schools. The reason of this is to be found in the increased interest taken in our colonies. It would be difficult now to find a political center of any party who would favor an English audience with the proposal that the colonies should be abandoned. And yet it is not so many years ago that such proposals were common. Today Liberals and Conservatives are all united in the love of the empire and a strenuous desire to uphold it at all costs. It is only in the details of method that they are divided. As a consequence of this vast change in opinion, brought about from various causes, ranging from foreign jealousy to increased travelling facilities, there is a general and laudable desire to know something more of the colonies which compose the great empire of which all Britons are proud. The days of a colonial secretary who, after his appointment, demanded from his staff, 'Where is this Mauritius and all these colonies they are talking about!' are passed for ever."

The Toronto World makes this serious charge regarding the schools of the city: "Toronto is continually behind in its school accommodation. Children are always being housed in sheds and Sunday schools. The city grows apace. It shifts its residential centres. But timely provision is never made for this or for the prompt handling of the attendant increase in school population."

By selecting the first three days in September for their tournament the firemen practically assure themselves of good weather and give themselves ample time for preparation. The event should be one of the great provincial attractions of the year, and should be heartily supported by the citizens.

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Your yacht is all ready for a cruise on the 24th. How about your Yachting Shoes?

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More you could not wish for—more no one can give you. Our thanks are due to the people of St. John and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past season, which we can only attribute to the policy of this store, the intrinsic merit of our goods and the thorough up-to-dateness of our methods and merchandise.

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SIGNS OF SPRING

It's getting 'long to whah de sky is smilla' 'An' dar's an' kind, De breezes an' dey's passin' seems to whisper, 'Never mind' De roses 'twinter bloom ag'in; de fields to 'twinter smile 'An' all you has to do is 'ja' to wait a little while.

De wind it keep a-powlin' on 'de froe' it But de little 'valler' blossoms comes a-peepin' 'round de ground 'Dey's just the same as if dey was a letter 'sent to me' 'Dat de usual 'preparations is a-bein' made 'fo' 'May'.

So dar's comfort in de sunshine, as it come 'de-illid' 'zist, 'An' dar's promise in de buddin' trees, al- though de buds don't last, 'Case de never gets discouraged till de cold's let 'em bein' 'An' de robins come a-singin' an' a-singin' 'Never Mind, '—Washington Star.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

THE INTELLIGENT WAITER. Three different waiters at a dinner asked a prize, precise professor if he would have soup. Annoyed, he said to the last who asked the question: "Is it compulsory?" "No, sir," said the waiter; "it's mock turtle."

AN EVENING'S JOY. "What are you looking so happy over, old man?" "I am rejoicing over the birth of twins."

"How do you do?" "I congratulate you!" "Don't congratulate me; you and I congratulate Evans; he's the lucky man. I never did like him."

HE HAD SEEN THE PROOF. Harry—"Blanche says she has inseparable reasons for remaining single." Horace—"Yes, I know what they are." Harry—"Then she has told you?" Horace—"No; but I have seen her."

THE HUNGER FOR WEALTH. "Why is Harkins rushing about so excitedly?" "Why, he says his baby is financially embarrassed."

"Get out! How could a baby be financially embarrassed?" "Oh, he swallowed a half-penny, you know."

THEN SHE WEPT. "My dear," remarked a morose husband, "we shall soon be celebrating our golden wedding."

"Nonsense!" his wife retorted scornfully. "We have only been married six years."

"Is that really true? It seems more like fifty to me!"

A HEAD FOR BUSINESS. "Dat automobile done killed five chickens while it were goin' down de road," said her blowing about her ancestors.

Mrs. Plymouth Rock (a snob)—Not at all strange, when it's a well-known fact her ancestor's ancestor had been from a factory that turns out one thousand a day just as good!"

FISHY. He whipped the stream with practiced hand, And then from up the waters cool He drew a modest

—New York Sun.

FORTY-SIX STATES AT HAGUE CONFERENCE

(N. Y. Evening Mail) Did you ever figure out just how many nations there were on earth—that is, civilized, autonomous peoples, with some degree of organization and co-ordination? The approaching peace conference at The Hague settles that question. All the world is to be represented, and there will be forty-six states about the council board. Not quite "fifty-seven distinct varieties," but exactly as many nations as there are states under the American flag. If "the federation of the world" is ever to be established it will contain as many units as the American federation.

That is, if nothing happens. But something is likely to happen: In the last seven years three nations have died—the Transvaal, the Orange Free State and Korea—and two, the republics of Cuba and Panama, have been born. In the last generation Roumania, Servia, Bulgaria and Montenegro have been added to the commonwealth of nations. Further changes may be expected in Europe, in Central America, perhaps in South America.

There are more than forty-six peoples in the world. Russia has that many, Austria Hungary has that many. The chief is spoken of the fact that national organization need no longer observe racial boundaries, and that, however slowly, the common interests of peoples, commercial or political, are replacing the divisions of blood.

SHEFFIELD

SHEFFIELD, May 22.—The water in the river here is coming up quite rapidly. The rise is due to the warm weather, which is melting the snow in the woods at the head of the river.

Felix McDuff, of St. John, was in Sheffield this week buying beef cattle for the St. John market.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Venning left today for the North West, where they purpose residing in the future.

The many friends of Mrs. Woodville Barker will be sorry to hear she is very low at her home in Upper Sheffield.

Miss Helen Ferguson was summoned to Boston last week by the serious illness of her sister, Miss Nettie.

Mrs. Guider Albright, who has been the guest of Mrs. Duncan Albright for the past two months, leaves tomorrow by steamer Victoria for her old home at Sussex.

Orland Carle, of Lakeville Corner, has sold his farming utensils and household goods and intends moving his family to Carleton Co.

Those bridges went to St. John this morning by steamer Majestic.

Fireworks for 24th

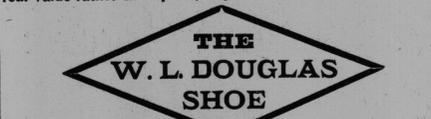
Fire Crackers—75 for 1c; 14 for 1c; 20 for 1c; Cannon Crackers, 2 for 1c; Box Tomatoes 1c; Sky Rockets, 1c, 2c, 3c; Roman Candles, 1c, 2c, 3c; Miniature Batteries, 1c; Surprise Box, 1c; Red Beacon, 1c; Serpent, 1c; Glades, 1c; Wind Mill, 1c; Golden Rain, 1c; Busy Bee, 1c; a good assortment at 5c. each.

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Sprague-Hunter

Halifax, May 22-(Special)-The mar-riage of Capt. R. G. Sprague, first officer of the steamer Pontiac, and Miss Ellen B. Hunter, youngest daughter of the late Robert Hunter, took place today at the residence of Mrs. Catherine Taylor Bridgewater.

Mrs. W. Ryan, of Brookville, and her daughter, Miss Nellie, left last evening on a visit to Boston.

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GIRLS WANTED-APPLY D. F. BROWN PAPER BOX AND PAPER CO. LTD.

WANTED-NURSE MUST HAVE RE-ferences. Apply MRS. J. L. McAVITY, 88 Haasen street.

WANTED-GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSE-work. Three in family. Apply 47 Duke street.

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GIRLS WANTED-AT ONCE APPLY FOR work. Apply 107 Prince Street.

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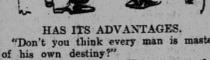
By RYAN WALKER



HAS ITS ADVANTAGES.

"Don't you think every man is master of his own destiny?"

"Oh! I don't know. He gets out of a lot of blame by letting somebody else boss things."



HIS IDEA.

The Preacher-You told me you were going to bury your sorrow, and now you're in this condition.

Fuller Boose-This-his has been a bur-burial at sea.



COLUD SEE OVER THE FENCE.

Micky (at the circus)-Gee! Look at de giraffe. What would you do if you had a neck like dat?

Jimmy-I'd go to de baseball grounds every day, and see de game.



PRACTICAL LOOKOUT.

Miss Fligh-You must enjoy nature, for you're eagerly scanning the country side.

The Aeronaut-Yes; I'd enjoy a hay-stack this minute; the gas-bag is bustled!



OLD HALIFAX SHACKS

Will be torn down

Halifax, May 22-There are many dilapidated, unsightly and unused buildings in Halifax that long have been a nuisance.

Notices have been prepared by the city engineer's department to be sent to the owners of these buildings asking them to have the said structures torn down, as they are a menace to the public safety and they endanger the lives of citizens.

The notices were issued in accordance with the new building law which became operative last month.

Unless the buildings are torn down within forty-eight hours the city will commence proceedings to remove the same and charge the cost of the work to the owner.

The act provides for a penalty of \$500 if the owner violates the law in this respect. The owners of some eight or ten structures are on the list for immediate treatment.

Let me send you free for Catarrh, just to prove merit a Trial size Box of Dr. Phillip's Catarrh Remedy. It is a snow white cream, healing antiseptic balm. Containing such healing ingredients as Oil Eucalypti, Thymol, Menthol, etc. It gives instant and lasting relief to Catarrh of the nose and throat. Make the free test and see for yourself what this preparation can and will accomplish. Address Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. Large jars 50 cents. Sold by all druggists.

On the programme of a pupils' recital in the New England Conservatory of Music, Boston, on Saturday afternoon last, Clarence S. Jordan, of St. John, had a prominent place. His performance of Hol-lander's Tarantella in E minor, violin was accounted by a large and critical audience as of very considerable excellence. These public appearances at the New England Conservatory are an important part of the school work, and the chance to appear on a programme is highly prized by the students.

EVERY PHYSICIAN ADMITS

There is only one permanent cure for catarrh. Inhale the soothing vapor of Catarrhose and lasting cure will follow. Try Catarrhose yourself-it is pleasant and sure.

Thomas Phillips, a clerk employed by M. R. A. Ltd., has been advised by his physician, Dr. Cast, to give up the dry goods business and will leave the employ of that firm on Saturday. Mr. Phillips will go first on a short visit to Nova Scotia and if his health does not improve he may go home to England. He has been in this city four years and has made many friends who will be sorry to hear of his departure.

Percy G. Smith, of Bass River (N. S.), has been granted a patent for a recording and indicating mechanism.

"Is this the best hotel in the town?" asked the stranger. "No," replied the innkeeper. "Well," replied the native, "I won't say that, but it ain't as bad as the rest of 'em."

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure, and he has subscribed in his presence, to this day of December, A. D. 1888.

A. W. OLESON, Notary Public.

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AMUSEMENTS

OPERA HOUSE

POSITIVELY LAST WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY, MAY 20

MR. KIRK BROWN

supported by Miss Marguerite Fields and an excellent company, presenting:

TONIGHT THE LADY OF LYONS

Victoria Day Matinee, THE CHERRY PICKERS.

Victoria Day evening, A GENTLEMAN OF FRANCE.

Saturday Matinee, THE MAN WHO DARED.

Saturday evening, DAVID GARRICK. During the performance of David Garrick Mr. Brown will wear his famous \$1,000 costume.

PRICES-Matinee, adults, 25c, children, 15c. Evenings, 15c, 25c, 50c, 1.00.

OPERA HOUSE

RETURN OF THE FAVORITE LYCEUM STOCK CO.

With Mr. N. L. Jenko and the Original Company.

Monday and Tuesday Evenings, May 27 and 28. The Laugh Producing Farce Comedy "Oh! Mr. Jenko" will appear in the leading comedy role of Marcus Brutus Sharp.

Tuesday Matinee, May 29-A Grand Testimonial Benefit for Miss Grace Goodall, who has been dangerously ill at the G. F. Hospital.

Wednesday Matinee, May 30-A Revival of the Big Hit, "Thelma," by Marie Corelli. Thursday Evening, May 31-The Sign of the Cross. The best of A. Cosens Dwyer's American Detective Stories.

Seats now selling. Night prices, 15c, 25c, 50c. Matinee prices, 25c, to all.

3rd Regt. Canadian Artillery Band Concert

Opera House, Tuesday Evening, June 6

Assisted by Mr. Harry H. McCloskey and local talent Under the patronage of Lieut-Col. G. Roll White and Officers No. 3 military district.

PRICES: Front seats, 50c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 4.50, 5.00, 5.50, 6.00, 6.50, 7.00, 7.50, 8.00, 8.50, 9.00, 9.50, 10.00.

THE NICKEL

(FORMERLY KEITH'S THEATRE)

Continuous from 12 noon to 6, and 1 to 10.30 p. m.

PROGRAMME CHANGED EVERY MONDAY AND THURSDAY

Motion Pictures AND Illustrated Songs

For the last three days of this week: Love or Money, Lady Plumpton's Motor Car, An Evil Day, The Jail Birds, Rival Brothers, and the beautiful illustrated song, "Nobody's Little Girl."

Admission 5c.

Nothing cheap but the price.

York Assembly Rooms can be rented for Balls, Bazaars, etc. Improved accommodations. For particulars apply to F. G. Bradford, Phone 1222

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24th-VICTORIA DAY

Band Afternoon and Night

SPECIAL FEATURES

Afternoon-BOYS' RACE, Half Mile. Evening-BIG HANDICAP RACE, 20-STARTERS-20

Queen's Rollaway

(Charlotte Street)

OPEN EVERY DAY

From 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.

Smoothest Floor Space East of Boston

Ladies' night Tuesday and Friday.

BAND EVERY NIGHT

Watch this space for future attractions.

Victoria Day

Band Afternoon and Evening

1874-1907

City Cornet Band

Musical and Fair

St. Andrew's Rink

Commencing MONDAY, MAY 20

Vocal and Instrumental Concert each evening.

Five useful and handsome prizes will be given away each evening on the door tickets.

Refreshments will be provided by the committee.

An orchestra will provide music for dancing each evening before the close at 10.30 o'clock.

Tickets, 10 cents.

E. CONNOLLY, President.

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W. F. HENNEBERRY, Secretary.

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MAY 24th

Ball Games-Sports

ON MONDAY, MAY 20th-Double headed Great field in morning,



THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1907.

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A Notable Disposal OF New Spring Coats

We think we're right in saying that our stock of Ladies' Coats is well known to be the most extensive in the Maritime Provinces every season, and this season is no exception.

All Kinds of Spring Coats for Ladies, Maids and Children Almost at Your Own Price

DOWLING BROTHERS, 95 and 101 King Street.



Tan Shoes For Men and Women are going to be extremely popular this season. The correct shades are Chocolate, Tan Russia and Golden Brown.



For the 24th.

We are showing an aggregation of novelties for the holiday, practically unlimited in range and variety, and combining the vital features of high class style and quality with genuine price cheapness.

- FOR THE LADIES. WHITE LAIN WAISTS 60c. to \$2.25. LUSTRE WAISTS, \$1.10 to \$1.85. FANCY CAMBRIC WAISTS, 50c. to 75c. SKIRTS, Black, Navy, Browns and Greys, \$2.50 to \$4.25.

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"Victoria Day"

We have for men, Outing Hats in Light Felts, Straws and Linens. We have for Ladies, The Pekin Cap. We have for Children, everything from A Silk Bonnet to A Bun.

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Potatoes

3 Carloads Choice Potatoes



\$5.00. BEST VALUE EVER OFFERED. We Make \$5.00 Gold Crown in the City.

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Boston Dental Parlor.

THIS EVENING

The right half of No. 3 Co. 3rd Regt. R. C. A. will meet at Fort Howe. The left half at the Lower shed at 8 o'clock sharp.

THE WEATHER

FORECASTS—Light to moderate variable winds, fair today and on Friday, stationary or a little higher temperature.

Highest Temperature during last 24 hours 52. Lowest Temperature during last 24 hours 32. Humidity at Noon 68. Barometer Reading at Noon (sea level) 30.00.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS Advertising for Saturday's Issue During the Summer Months Must Reach this Office Before 6 O'clock Friday Afternoon.

LATE LOCALS

Only one drunk was disposed of in the police court this morning. A bark passed Point Lepreaux this morning at 11:30 o'clock, bound inward.

The Dominion Atlantic steamer Prince Rupert, Captain A. G. Potter, arrived in port at 7 o'clock this morning from Boston.

THE PRINCE RUPERT

Popular Bay Boat Arrived From Boston This Morning and Will go on Digby Route Tomorrow.

The officials at the sports on the Victoria grounds tomorrow afternoon will be as follows: Referee—W. J. Clark.

A STRIKE THREATENED

Lathers in Portland, Me., Ask for Increased Wage, and Strike May Follow.

PORTLAND, Me., May 22—A strike is threatened among the builders of this city as a result of the demands of the local lathers for a slight increase in wages.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barnes, of St. John, Canada, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Whitaker of 210 Young street.

COUNTRY MARKET

The country market is fairly well supplied for this week's trade, and there is a good general variety. Prices range as follows:

Roasting beef, 12 to 18c.; beefsteak 14 to 20c.; corned beef, 10c.; mutton, 12 to 18c.; lamb, fore quarter, 9c. to \$1.25.

AT ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE

On May 28th the students of St. Joseph's College, under the direction of Rev. L. V. Broughall, C.S.C., will stage "The Prudential Law Student," a play dealing with student life and highly recommended by the press.

The theme of the play deals with the story of one Fred Mott's downfall and final rehabilitation. It comprises twenty different scenes of thrilling interest and clever movement.

His Lordship Bishop Casey will preside in person. Visitors from St. John and intermediate points will pay one-way first-class fare for the round trip. Tickets will be issued on the certificate plan, which should be presented for signature to the reverend director of St. Patrick's Society, on arrival at the college; good to return May 31st.

The doors open at 7:30 p. m. Special trains will be at College Bridge for Moncton and Amherst after the performance.

THE LANDING OF THE LOYALISTS

Anniversary of Landing in St. John Enthusiastically Celebrated in Toronto, Monday.

(Toronto Globe, Tuesday)

Speaking at a meeting of the United Empire Loyalists' Association, at the Canadian Institute yesterday afternoon, Rev. Canon Macnab expressed the opinion that continued vigilance was necessary on the part of those who desired a united empire, of which Canada should form an integral part.

He was afraid there was growing up with the younger generation of Canadians a wide-spread feeling of nationalism among those who knew nothing about the manner in which the foundation of the country had been laid in the blood of their forefathers.

It was the function of the United Empire Association, which believed in the advantages of a united empire, to endeavor to keep alive the spirit of patriotism that had animated those who had gone before, and to combat the drift towards Americanism. They should not allow such things as the comparative failure of the Colonial Conference to abate one jot of their loyalty.

Hon. J. P. Whitney, who also addressed the meeting, which was held in celebration of the anniversary of the landing of the Loyalists at St. John, New Brunswick, in 1783, expressed his sympathy with the objects of the association, and a desire that branches should be founded along the valley of the St. Lawrence, where feelings similar to those which animated members of the association were strongly held.

He said that as soon as the people of the British Isles came to realize that the Britains beyond the seas formed an integral part of the empire, then the full idea of a united empire would be realized. There could not be found, he thought, 400 people, from Newfoundland to the Pacific, who desired separation from Great Britain, but if the mother country was to go on, unconsciously, no doubt, forcing the outlying peoples to swallow humiliations for generation after generation, who could tell what would be the end of such treatment? Let, however, the British people realize that the countries across the seas were part of the empire, and then such a small matter as a shilling a quarter on wheat would be regarded as a trifle.

Colonel Danison regarded the growth of a national spirit as an excellent thing, which would better qualify Canadians to be members of a great empire.

Short addresses were also given by Chief J. A. Smith of the Six Nations, Chief Hill of the Mohawk tribe, and J. A. Smith, jun., and a paper on the services of the British navy to the colonies was read by Miss Catherine Merritt.

TOMORROW'S SPORTS

Athletic Programme and Ball Games on Victoria Grounds

---List of Officials.

The officials at the sports on the Victoria grounds tomorrow afternoon will be as follows: Referee—W. J. Clark.

Starter—Arthur McHugh. Umpires—Harry Ervin, John Malcolm, Martin Dolan.

Clerks of Course—C. A. Seely, B. L. Sheppard, E. Mooney.

The publication of the list of entries (found on page 7 of today's issue) has greatly increased the interest in the events. If the afternoon is fine there will be a big crowd in attendance.

The morning ball games begin at 10 o'clock and the sports at 2:30. Members of the Every Day Club are urged to be on the grounds early this evening.

D. B. Donald, C. A. Seely and A. W. Thorne, of the St. John Amateur Baseball League, have rendered most valuable aid in the arrangements for tomorrow's sports, and the programme will be carried out with promptness and satisfaction to the public.

A WOULD-BE SUICIDE

Edward Cotter, Anxious to Die, Jumped Off Scow at Long Wharf Last Night.

Edward Cotter, aged 72 years, attempted suicide last night by jumping from a scow at I. C. R. wharf. He was rescued, however, by Wesley Friars and Herbert McDonald.

Mr. Cotter is an old pensioner and lives with his son on Main street. He asked his daughter-in-law yesterday for a considerable sum of money and she thinking nothing of the matter, refused. About 7 o'clock last night the old man visited the bridge at Long wharf. He looked down into the water and W. J. McDewitt who was standing nearby approached him. Mr. Cotter turned to him and said: "This would be a fine place for a dive," and walked to the edge. Mr. McDewitt held him back and after warning the old man walked into the shed. There he told Andrew Leith and Philip George, who went out and were in time to see Cotter jump into the water from a scow. A cry was raised and Herbert McDonald and Wesley Friars rescued Cotter after he had gone down twice. When hauled on board the scow the old man was not unconscious and said that he wished to be drowned. He was taken to his son's home and the only way that his family can account for his action was that he was angry at being refused the money.

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Hope to have the three upper floors of their building ready for the

GREAT FIRE SALE

OF

DAMAGED GOODS

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The entrance to this sale will be by new doors put on Market street side of building.

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Premium Sale of DRY GOODS

For the Month of May Only.

Corsets Free.

For the balance of this month we will give on all purchases at this store of \$5.00 and over, a pair of P. C. CORSETS FREE. These corsets are made of fine Batiste, steel filled, and nicely trimmed with lace and ribbon. All sizes in the following shapes: Short and Long Waist, Long Hip, and Military Girdle.

I. CHESTER BROWN, 32 and 36 King Street.

GOODS FOR THE HOLIDAY.

A New Lawn or Silk Waist

We have the most exquisite patterns and styles—long or short sleeves. A new WHITE LINEN or DUCK SKIRT, nicely made. A NEW SHIRT WAIST SUIT in Duck, Chambray, Gingham, Muslin or Lustre in Styles that are fascinating and prices right.

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Sale of Pitchers! FISHING TACKLE,

BEST QUALITY.

Try and save that fish this year by using our tackle.

60c. Pitchers for 25c. 40c. " " 20c. 30c. " " 15c.

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IT'S AN OPEN SECRET!

The Reason for Such Bargain Prices on Costumes, Coats and Jackets.

A great many ladies have already attended our backward weather sale of Costumes, Coats and jackets and nine out of every ten serious shoppers have bought of the new wearables. Surprise is general that such strikingly fresh and modish models should be so radically reduced in price, but the frank admission on the part of our house that unseasonable weather has retarded business so much that in order to catch up to June goods a clearance must be held, should answer all queries. We try to advertise plainly and briefly; realizing that everybody knows the season is backward, and that many are aware that such conditions interfere with mercantile plans. So brand new, handsomely tailored clothes at bargain figures is the result—that's all there is to it.



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