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A BUSY MORNING FOR THE PROVINCIAL LEGISLATORS

Corporations and Accounts Committees Met This Morning—Medical Council's Bill May Be Considerably Modified Before Being Presented to the House

Fredericton, April 16 (Special)—There is a decided air of business around the legislative building this morning.

It was the intention of the council to have their bill consigned to the committee today, but this was abandoned in order that some idea of the feeling of the house should be obtained.

The bill to amend the Railway Company has in its provisions a clause which would give the company the right to lay out a branch to connect such line of railway with the town of St. Stephen and such other branches as the company may deem proper.

The corporation committee met this morning to consider the Tobacco Pulp and Paper Company's bill.

Mr. Tweeddale, the promoter, outlined in a general way the general benefits which would result to the country of Victoria from the establishment of such an industry as the proposed company contemplates.

One day's business of the proposed industry would bring more money into the province than five years revenue from the salmon club.

Employees of the Salmon Club had been circulating petitions against the bill, but here before a committee was a delegation of fourteen gentlemen representing three quarters of the business interests of the district.

The committee adjourned at one o'clock. The York and Stanley Railway Company granted a right to a company to lay out a line for the extension of their line from Stanley to Ryan's Brook where it will intersect the G. E. P. the distance is nine miles.

I. C. R. VICTIM WAS A HOLD-UP MAN

Man Killed Near Painesec, Yesterday, Was the Same One who Attempted to Hold-up George Harmer.

Moncton, N. B., April 16 (Special)—A few days ago George Harmer, proprietor of the Commercial Hotel, was held up by a tramp on the line of the Salisbury and Harvey Railway.

CIVIL PAY DAY

The regular fortnightly payroll for city laborers was disbursed today as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Category and Amount. Includes Ferry, Water and Sewerage, Public Works, and Earl Burgess.

TYPE WAS ALL "STUCK" BY HAND

Montreal Afternoon Papers in Difficulty Yesterday Through Failure of Gas Supply.

Montreal, April 16 (Special)—For the first time since the introduction of the linotypes the big city afternoon papers had to be set by hand yesterday as the result of a failure in the gas supply.

The trouble resulted from a break in the big 24-inch trunk main which carries gas from the Montreal Light Heat and Power Company's works at Delorme to the city.

The break caused considerable trouble in other directions, a number of laundries having to close down while steamers, rail cars and others were bothered from lack of fuel.

PROPERTY OWNERS MAY TAKE ACTION

To Prevent City of St. John from Depositing Sewage Between Stanley Street and Gilbert's Lane

It is understood that property owners on the line of the Intercolonial Railway between Stanley street and Gilbert's lane are taking action to prevent the city from depositing sewage upon their properties.

The sewers, it appears, were constructed many years ago under an arrangement between the old Town of Portland and the I. C. R. Recently the sewers have decayed and sewage now flows over several streets.

THE KINRADE CASE

Hamilton, Ont., April 16 (Special)—Crown Attorney Washington announced that a number of new witnesses would be called at the next session of the inquest into the death of Miss Ethel Kinrade.

A party of about sixty friends of Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Merritt, called upon them at their home, 470 Main street, Thursday evening to celebrate the 25th anniversary of their marriage.

ST. JOHN'S TRADE WITH U. S. PORTS SHOWS BIG INCREASE

The following is a comparative statement of the value of exports to the United States from the port of St. John for the quarter ending March 31st, 1908 and 1909.

Table with 2 columns: Category and Value. Includes Returned Am. goods, Rough Balm, Salt, Salt Allevians, Soap, etc.

RECAPITULATION

Table with 2 columns: Category and Value. Includes Canadian goods, March quarter 1909, Canadian goods, March quarter 1908.

DEATHS

MABEY—in this city on April 15th, Thomas S. Mabey, aged 22 years, leaving behind his father and mother, three brothers and one sister to mourn.

THE REAL THING

Mr. Hiram Horn says the sun is running as freely as the weather ever was.

JAPS BECOMING "AMERICANIZED"

Nine Members of the Lower House of the Japanese Diet Arrested for Bribery

Tokio, April 16 (Special)—A sensation developed here today with the arrest of nine members of the lower house of the Diet, members of that chamber being withheld.

A series of questionable transactions was disclosed and the stock dropped from 59 to 60 points as a result of the exposure.

The affair started an outcry from the press and the public which led to the prosecution of a number of the directors involved.

BRIDGES SWEEP AWAY BY FRESHET

Richibucto, N. B., April 16 (Special)—There is a heavy freshet on the headwaters of the Richibucto. The heavy rain of yesterday increased the usual spring freshet to such a degree that the flood is now heavier than it was during the big freshet in January.

The freshet has done considerable damage to the bridges across the river. The bridges carried away, also two smaller bridges across Bass River.

SUPREME COURT

Fredericton, N. B., April 16 (Special)—The Supreme Court this morning heard argument in the Downey Court appeal cases, and adjourned till Friday next.

It was reported that Ald. Ham, who is in the hospital, was not well this morning.

ADRIFT ON LAKE IN AN OPEN BOAT

Edgar Brown, of Charlotte, N. Y., Experienced Thrilling Sequel to his Fishing Trip

Port Hope, Ont., April 16 (Special)—Tossed about in the open lake in a small punt for two nights and two days, in the middle of April, and given up for dead by the life-saving crew of Charlotte, N. Y., was the experience of Edgar Brown, a former Port Hope man.

Late Sunday afternoon last, Brown and a companion started out in a small flat-bottomed punt from Round Pond, near Charlotte, to fish. The two men fell asleep at the shore. When Brown woke up he was alone in the boat, and was being carried helplessly out to sea.

The Magdalene Island Steamship Co. will operate a Steamship Service Between St. John and Halifax via South Shore.

MAGDALENE ISLAND CO. GETS SUBSIDY

Halifax, N. S., April 16 (Special)—The Magdalene Island Steamship Co. has received word from the federal government that a subsidy of \$10,000 has been granted to the company for the maintenance of a steamship service between Halifax and St. John via intermediate ports.

Amherst, N. S., April 16 (Special)—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Hicks will deeply regret to hear of the death of their only son, Allan, aged 26, which occurred at the home of his parents at early last week.

W. A. PRINDIVILLE

Halifax, N. S., April 16 (Special)—The death of William Albert Prindiville, for 13 years past superintendent of the Brookfield department of the Halifax Electric Tramway Company, Ltd., Bona in Wisconsin, 38 years ago.

There will be a Gospel Temperance meeting in the Temperance Hall, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock under the auspices of No Surrender Lodge, No. 109, Rev. W. R. Robinson will be the speaker.

A VERY HEAVY PENALTY FOR ASSAULTING AN M. P.

A. E. Hanson Sentenced to One Month in Jail Without Option of Fine for Assaulting O. S. Crockett, M. P.—He Must Also Pay Costs—Case Will Be Appealed

Fredericton, N. B., April 16 (Special)—Col. Marsh delivered judgment in the police court this morning in the Crockett-Hanson assault case, convicting the defendant and sentencing him to one month's imprisonment without the option of a fine.

His honor explained that he had imposed the severe penalty because he thought that public men should not be subjected to personal violence because of their offices in parliament.

A CASE OF "CAT"-ICIDE NOT INFANTICIDE

"Terrible" Discovery Made in the Market Slip This Morning

The habitues of South Wharf were treated to a surprise this morning. One of the men seized a small box floating in Market Slip and shouted to his companions the news that another infanticide case would be disclosed.

The discoverer yielded the pole, and after much manoeuvring the cardboard receptacle was brought to the wharf and there was removed, the gathering pressed closer for the climax.

Amherst, N. S., April 16 (Special)—The Maritime Express was wrecked today at Caspascap. Express Messenger and Baggage Master Slightly Injured.

Moncton, April 16 (Special)—The Amherst Ramblers have written here to get Vienna on a joint naval demonstration at Constantineple. No British squadron has been ordered to leave Malta for the Bosphorus as had been said, nor has information reached the admiralty of the intention of France or Austria-Hungary to send ships to Turkish waters.

Constantineple, April 16 (Special)—The new cabinet will follow the political programme of its predecessor, both as to foreign relations and to domestic affairs. It will maintain and develop the constitutional institution of the empire and restore order by strict enforcement of the laws.

London, April 16 (Special)—The admiralty today gave denial to the report emanating from Vienna on a joint naval demonstration at Constantineple. No British squadron has been ordered to leave Malta for the Bosphorus as had been said, nor has information reached the admiralty of the intention of France or Austria-Hungary to send ships to Turkish waters.

REV. A. A. GRAHAM ISSUES CHALLENGE TO LIQUOR MEN

To the Editor of the Times, Dear Sir—A few days ago the Saloomen published in several of the local papers the names of those who signed the petitions asking for a vote on the Local Option question.

Complaint is made by the Sun that everything has not been above board regarding the petitions. Everything has been strictly in accordance with the law, but the moral reform people did not announce publicly what they were doing.

On the contrary the forces of the united churches were pleased that the saloomen took this step. Nothing in the campaign has done more to consolidate the men who are determined to drive the saloomen out of the residential districts.

The Sun's charges that the liquor men were not more far-seeing. Perhaps they have seen their blunder, and now wish to throw the responsibility on others.

It is my opportunity to warn the electors against false statements issued at the eleventh hour. The article of this morning, which is absolutely false throughout, is a sample of what we might expect during the next few days.

Yours very sincerely, A. A. GRAHAM, St. John, N. B., April 15, 1909.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

THE REAL THING. Mr. Hiram Horn says the sun is running as freely as the weather ever was. It may look like it, but it ain't like it, said Hiram, "but it ain't the real thing."

They settled him for a spell, but he got awful honest again last year, and he would be fit if he hadn't left no tracks in Bill Smith's cabbage patch. Hey, what?

GOT FULL VALUE. Mr. Peter Binks says that the statement that the city did not gain anything by paying \$10,000 to take down some work done at the Clark & Adams wharf, and then paying to have it taken down again, is not true at all.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

The most highly refined and healthful of baking powders. Its constant use in almost every American household, its sales all over the world, attest its wonderful popularity and usefulness.

A Million a Minute.

A Romance of Modern New York and Paris
By **Arthur Douglas**

(Continued)

Mr. Arden's face lengthened as he saw the man, and so suddenly that Seager was startled. But nevertheless he met them with a successful enough assumption of coolness.

"I'm glad to see you," said Mr. Arden, with slowly rising infection, and in the monosyllabic there was more purposeful menace than might have been expressed in many words.

"Now don't get hot," Seager advised, controlling his own pronouncements of coming trouble and speaking steadily now that he was face to face with its probable source.

"I've come to settle about that shipment, and I want you to hear me out in a rational spirit."

"You know nothing that will do me the least harm—now," his enemy replied almost perturbedly. "All it will cost me to wipe out old scores I'll stand for—it's lost money anyhow. You've come here with another cock and bull story, and wanting more money. More money, my God! I know you too well, to think any other road would tempt you to cross my threshold. It will cost no less to lock you up than to listen."

Seager was disconcerted by the intuition with which his former friend had hit the mark, and showed that by his next move.

"It's a sure thing this time," he said, "a cold-drawn can. I have full proof with me."—he fumbled in a pocket and produced a bulky package which he held before the other—"I've signed and sealed it all safe and certain. You're not going to be a fool—"

"I have been a fool—once," asserted Arden, with dreary fixity of purpose.

"And once is far too often," he added viciously. "You're clever, far too clever to be outside of Sing-Sing."

Seager saw that the man meant what he said, and was about to rise, when he faintly hoped that he might yet make his escape, when he heard heavy footsteps on the stairs. He thrust the papers back into his pocket, and when his hand came forth again it held a pistol. He dropped his wrist, so that it lay levelly in line with Arden's low forehead, he said in a tense voice, head forward, one unwinking eye behind the sights, with a murderous gleam in it, "I'll go for a good reason, damn you! If you value your life, pick up the telephone and send the cop away. I'm talking straight, I tell you. Don't drive me too far. Pick the 'phone up with one hand and hold the other over your head."

Arden's dull eyes had dilated slightly, and his teeth showed, snarling through his beard, but otherwise he had not moved. Now he slowly unclasped his hands, disposed of them as ordered, and once more spoke into the mouthpiece.

"Well," he said quietly, "Well! Oh, yes, is that you, Oscar? Run upstairs and tell Wulf to give the cop a half a dollar and send him away."

The steps outside had almost reached the door, and Seager was in agony. Arden, watching him, could not repress a sardonic grin.

"It's locked," the latter whispered. "I will, so help me God, if it isn't!"

Seager replied.

"Someone knocked. He laid a finger on his lips in signal that he should keep silence, and that they waited. The handle turned, and there was almost Arden's life hung on a slender thread until there came a renewed clatter on the stairs, the footsteps retreated in that direction, and they could hear the policeman grumbling peevishly over his bootless errand.

The two men in the small square room drew deep breaths of relief. That minute had been pregnant with grave possibilities for both, but they recovered from that influence with an ease which proved that they were well used to facing chances of that sort.

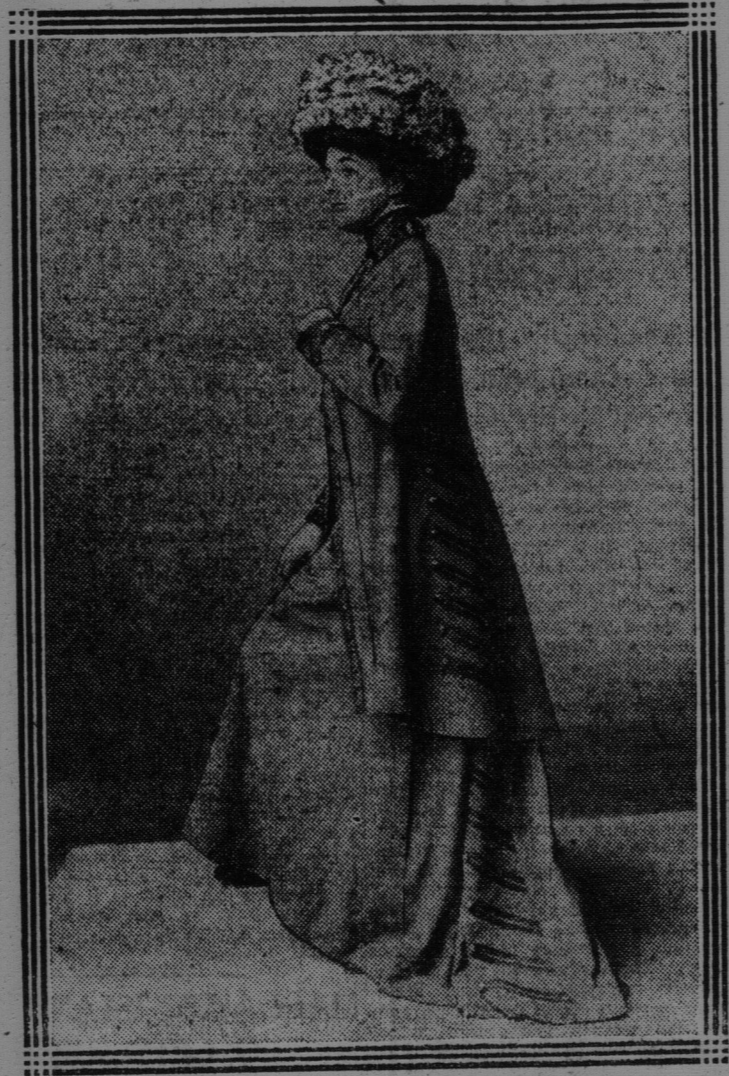
"Draw your chair back, clear of the desk," Seager commanded briskly, "and don't get grabbing for any gun. I have the drop on you, and I'll keep it until we've adjusted this unpleasantness—although I wish you hadn't forced me to employ harsh measures."

"You're hold," commented Arden as he complied.

"Oh, yes, you're hold. If you were also honest to your friends I could have done good things with you and for you. I can make use of hold men in my business—but only if they're also honest."

"Well, quit that line of talk now," said Seager sourly. While he was master of the situation he would be treated with respect. He knew, of course, that all he had gained was a respite, but felt quite

Fashion Hint for Times Readers



SPRING SUIT WITH BRAID TRIMMINGS.

Short lengths of silk braid in the form of loops and flat bows are stitched to smart tailored coat suits. In this case the braid trimmings are intended to suggest exaggerated buttonholes, and each braid loop is tipped with a flat ribbon. A satin collar and cuffs to match are hand-embroidered in color, giving a striking touch to this simple gray suit. The hat is a flower toque of geminum clusters which repeat the vivid red color note introduced in the embroidery.

LIEUT.-COL. MERRITT ON CANADA'S MILITARY SERVICE

Says We Are Living in a Fool's Paradise—Advocates Patriotic Military Service and Gives Facts and Figures.

(Toronto Telegram.)

Lieut.-Col. W. Hamilton Merritt, in stirring up Canada's patriotic and military spirit, at the Canadian Military Institute last night said:

"The last matter which I shall venture to touch on in connection with this very important subject, is, to my mind, the crux of the whole position, and that is, following more or less than popular indifference to the British crown. Of these Great Britain and the United States rely on their isolation and immense expenditure on naval and coast protection. China, it is universally recognized, has awakened and is about to become, like Japan, one of the great military powers. That the United States is not going to allow herself to be dictated to by any other nation is clearly indicated by Mr. Taft, the president, who said in his inaugural speech on the 4th of March last:

"We should have an army so organized and so officered as to be capable in time of emergency in co-operation with the national militia, and under the provisions of a proper national volunteer law, rapidly to expand into a force sufficient to resist all probable invasion from abroad and to furnish a respectable expeditionary force, if necessary in the maintenance of our traditional American policy which bears the name of President Monroe."

"CANADA'S ISOLATION.

The colonel went on to say: We have Canada's magnificent isolation either a long way ahead of all nations of the earth in wisdom and foresight, or lagging as much in the rear in the race for national safety. Universal peace, world-wide free trade, one pure, vegetarian diet and a few other panaceas may be very desirable, but so long as man is man he must be armed. The only condition under which we can conceive of the lion lying down with the lamb is when the lamb is inside the lion.

He pointed out that \$2,500,000,000 was now expended by civilized nations on armaments.

EUROPEAN ARMIES.

After referring to considerable length to the armies of the continent of Europe in other places where there is compulsory military service, and contrasting these with those under voluntary enlistment and conscription, under conscription only, he remarked that the system of national militia under voluntary service brings about the advantage of the fliers and the most satisfactory example in the case of Switzerland.

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FACTS AND FIGURES.

Col. Merritt, in a previous paper, "Switzerland's Citizen Soldiers," pointed out that the annual mobilization of Canadian militia was on the dollar-day plan. The permanent corps number 4,854 and the volunteer and "dollar day" men number 53,383.

He said for the same expenditure under the "patriotic military service" system, Argentina has 500,000, Bulgaria 381,000 and Switzerland 340,000, all trained, armed and equipped.

If Canada were working on the Swiss system, we should have 690,000 armed men today and 1,100,000 men in time of war. The burden per capita to us would be no greater than the Swiss is bearing in his country today.

THE DOCTOR SAID "I CAN'T HELP YOU"

Suffered 10 Months with Kidney Complaint. Gin Pills Cured.

Dunvogan, Inverness Co. I am perfectly cured of Kidney complaint after using Gin Pills. Six hours after taking the first Pill I obtained relief, and now after three months I feel as well as ever.

I suffered ten months and the Physician attending me advised me to go to the Victoria Hospital at Halifax, as he could do nothing more for me. I may add that I used a great deal of medicine, and strictly followed my physician's directions regarding diet, etc., but without avail, until provisionally I learned of your most excellent remedy. I am recommending Gin Pills.

(Sgd.) LEWIS MACPHERSON.

Sold by druggists and dealers everywhere at 50c a box—6 for \$2.50, or sent direct.

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HARBOR BRIDGE BILL WILL PASS

In Fact it is as Good as Passed Now—No Toils will be Charged Except for Railway and Street Car Companies

Fredericton, N. B., April 15.—Routine business only was considered by the house of assembly today. Six new bills were introduced, including the new St. John assessment act. It is expected that by the end of the present week all the legislation that is to be considered this session will have been introduced.

There are still some important private bills to be considered. These include practically all the St. John bills. Many of these will go through without discussion, but the St. John assessment act and medical act, if the latter is passed, will take

ALD. W. E. SOULLY, Who Pioneered the St. John Harbor Bridge Project.

up some time but the members are hopeful that the legislation can all be disposed of by the end of the present month, if not earlier.

Of the government measures the one that is likely to take up the most time is the highway act. This bill is to be introduced tomorrow and may be discussed on Saturday.

The rumor is current that the house will discuss the government measures, are to be considered. Preliminary sections of the game law were considered this afternoon and tomorrow this bill will have passed the committee stage.

The corporations committee considered the Tobique Pulp & Paper Company's bill. This provides for the erection of a dam across the Tobique river at the Narrows. This bill was up last year and the committee recommended that plans of the proposed dam be prepared. This has been done, but has not lessened the opposition to the bill. The bill will be introduced early next week.

The judiciary act and the arbitration act, both government measures, are to be considered. Preliminary sections of the game law were considered this afternoon and tomorrow this bill will have passed the committee stage.

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The St. John delegation which returned home this evening satisfied with the result of their mission. The bill has practically passed the house but is held until the arrival of the delegation next Thursday when the other St. John bills will be considered. The members of the medical council arrived tonight from St. John and are at the Queen. They met later and discussed the bill before the house.

The government members had a caucus this evening to consider agricultural legislation and the highway act amendments. Col. Sheridan, of Kent, arrived here today. He has been suffering from pleurisy and has not fully recovered.

ABOUT THOSE FURS

With summer "just around the corner"—Warm days already here its time to think of storing your furs.

In this connection it behooves us to say that our facilities for storing valuable furs are second to none.

You may still believe in the old method of Moth Balls, Cedar Chest etc., but you overlook the other potent factors—Fire and Burglary.

Your furs with us are safe from all danger and always at your disposal or for inspection.

The charge is only 3 per cent of your own valuation, and includes insurance.

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Make sure that your painter on your property uses only Brandram's B.B. Genuine White Lead—the standard White Lead of the world for over one hundred years.

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MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY.

At sixteen she wants soda and confection, At eighteen she is hungry for affection, At twenty-two the maid begins to find that life is real, And marrying, her hunger then is mostly for a meal, Find the man.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE
Upside down in coat.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

CURE ALL KIDNEY DISEASES
GRAVEL, RHEUMATISM, BRUISES, DIABETES, BILIOUSNESS

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes items like Am. Sugar, Am. Tobacco, and various industrial stocks.

This is strong as you please. Market literature and press comment are somewhat mixed in regard to the immediate outlook.

DETAILED STOCK GOSSIP.

The Gould interview may cause some covering in Mo. Pacific, Wabash and other Gould issues. S. R. may advance further, but it should be bought on recessive news. Lead is reported destined for much higher prices later.

SIR WILFRID LAURIER A PARLIAMENTARY HERO IN THE MINISTER OF PUBLIC WORKS

Hon. William Pugsley Exposes the Whole Plot to Drive Him from Public Life—He Calls on Dr. Daniel to Prefer Charges Against Him in Manly Fashion and He Will Answer Them—Sir Wilfrid Expresses His Entire Confidence in His Minister and Pays Tribute to the Great Work He Has Done—The Mays Scandal Completely Buried

Ottawa, April 15.—I will not vote on confidence in the minister of public works, Hon. Dr. Pugsley, in whom I have every confidence and of whom we, on this side of the house, are justly proud. I will therefore ask you to refuse the want of confidence motion of the member for St. John, Dr. Daniel.

That agreement, I submit, is something which this parliament has the right to take seriously into its consideration, and ought to deal with. All this man had to give or to sell in connection with this dredging contract was his influence with the department and the government. He makes no claim to have any financial interest whatever in the dredging plant. In fact, according to Mr. Mays, he declined to take any financial interest in the matter at all.

MORNING LOCALS

Rev. Geo. Titus, who has been supplying at Coburg street Christian church since Rev. J. F. Floyd left, has been invited to the permanent pastorate of the church.

Important to all Women

Readers of this Paper Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney trouble and never suspect it. Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

ELECTION CARDS.

To the Electors of the City of Saint John Ladies and Gentlemen—At the request of Aldermen...

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To the Electors of the City of Saint John Ladies and Gentlemen—In accepting your endorsement in this candidature...

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Table with columns for commodity names and prices. Includes items like May Corn, May Wheat, and various oil products.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Table with columns for month, day, and astronomical data. Includes sunrise and sunset times.

SHIPPING

ARRIVED TODAY. Star Virginia, 6,844, Viper, for Liverpool via Halifax, Wm Thompson & Co, pass and adms.

INTERESTING ITEMS

Our special artist will see it work at his stand in our show rooms, painting pictures to order on Friday and Saturday.

CONVICT KILLS WARDEN

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FUNERAL NOTICE

All members of Dominion L. O. L. No. 14, are requested to attend a special meeting at 8 o'clock, sharp, at their hall, Simonds street, to arrange for the funeral of their late brother.

WILLIAM PECKHAM

By order of the Warranting Master, CHAS. L. HAYLTON, Secretary.

MARINE NEWS

British bark Polaris, Capt. White, cleared last Wednesday morning for New York for Whampoa.

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RACING PURSE REDUCED

New York, April 16.—The Metropolitan Handicap, the first of the spring racing season, will be worth \$5,000 this year instead of \$10,000 as a handicap.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

LOST—SATURDAY LAST, A MINK TIE, colored if left at Times office, 724-12.

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WOMEN'S WEAR

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware. Optical Goods, just opening and offered with special discount to sh. customary.

W. TREMAINE GARD

Jewelry, Jeweler & Optician, 77 Charlotte St.

EXPORTS

For Rotterdam, per ship Prins Oskar: Canadian goods—10 tons sausage, 1,088 lbs. white beans, 6,430 bushels barley.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

The Ladies' Association of the Church of England Institute held a tea and sale of fancy articles in Trinity school house yesterday afternoon.

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THE EVENING TIMES THE DAILY TELEGRAPH

New Brunswick's Independent Newspapers

These papers advocate: British Connection Honesty in Public Life Measures for the Material Progress and Moral Advancement of our Great Dominion. No Draft No Deals

The Shamrock, Thistle, Rose entwined The Maple Leaf forever.

DR. PUGLEY'S VINDICATION

The vindication of Hon. Dr. Pugsley in the matter of the Hayes affidavit is complete. The merciless logic of his speech in parliament yesterday exposed the falsehoods levelled against him, and laid bare the unworthy motives of his accusers.

Even the dull-witted Conservative must now realize the folly of the leaders of that party, from the night on which Premier Hazen read the false affidavit until last evening, when Dr. Daniel humbly stated that he made no insinuation against the minister, and no man dared to rise in his place and prefer a charge.

It is unfortunate for the reputation of Dr. Daniel that he should have consented to repeat the statement that after Premier Hazen read the false date on the Hayes affidavit he turned to Mr. Mayes and at the instance of the latter corrected it. The vast audience present at that meeting know that this is an incorrect statement.

The Standard, speaking of the Hayes affidavit, says: "At least one thousand persons in this province heard what Mr. Hazen read, and know that he made the correction, giving the date exactly as Mr. Pugsley says it ought to be."

There is the record. Dr. Daniel could read an affidavit making very grave charges against the minister, and could assert that the prime minister should call for his resignation—but would not make any insinuation against me? "Dr. Daniel—Yes."

Dr. Pugsley's luminous exposition of the whole affair shows, apart from the gross attempt to convey the impression that alleged incidents of 1905 occurred in 1907, when he was a minister of the crown, that there was absolutely no ground for an assumption that there was any collusion either in Mr. Hyman's time or his own, between the public works department and Messrs. Mayes and McAvity.

a desire to destroy the political reputation of their most formidable opponent. There the matter may well be left. The leaders of the Conservative party in St. John strengthen the Liberal cause by their own folly, and the vindictive pursuit of Dr. Pugsley is the latest case in point.

LOCAL OPTION

The State of Michigan presents a remarkable illustration of the spread of local option sentiment in the United States. Prior to May 1st, 1908, there was but one dry county in the state. On that date the saloons were closed in ten more counties.

During the present month a vote was taken in 27 more counties, and 19 went dry. Thus there are now thirty counties in which local option has been carried in two years. On May 1st, 583 saloons and 10 breweries must close their doors.

"Yesterday's elections in Michigan exhibited the Anti-Saloon League's strength, but no less clearly the foolish tactics of its opponents." Only a wonderfully organized and well-financed campaign could drive the saloon out of nineteen or twenty counties where, but a few years ago, scarcely any sentiment against liquor was visible.

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The Standard this morning rakes up various past attempts made to injure the political reputation of the minister of public works, and adds: "But Mr. Pugsley has gone on, cheerful and prosperous, excepting all that was coming to him."

Of course Dr. Daniel and Mr. Crocker are handsome fellows, but Standard readers are beginning to wonder if there is no one else.

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On a nice fine Sunday, you will feel just about half the man in the clothing you have worn all winter that you would in a new spring outfit. Perhaps you may not need a whole suit, a coat and vest, a pair of trousers, a new wash vest, or it may be a spring overcoat or hat would fix you up.

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A STRONG APPEAL

"The Parson—"What did you think of the sermon?" "It was a good one," said the "Bridder Snow."

THE WRECK

Two railroad trains approached a bridge which spanned a river. The tracks were met and verged in one.

THE GAME BEGINS

"And what do you know about Homer?" "Lots," replied Dickey Finn, proudly.

SHOULD ENTER MARRIAGE

Mrs. Pancake (to a fourth-floor lodger)—"Anything the matter with your steak, Mr. Hardup?" "A trifle overcooked, maybe, but really, I never saw a harder."

PROVINCIAL NEWS

New Brunswick It is said that the town of St. Stephen will present a claim for damages to the owners of the Eastport tug which, during the high wind of Saturday, April 10, allowed the big three-masted schooner Childs Harold, to collide with the public wharf, damaging the structure considerably.

At Leger's Corner on Wednesday men were engaged boring for oil, while in a short time operations will be started on another well some twelve miles east of Moncton between Dover and Memramouc.

The death of Mrs. Dan Cogan, a former North Sydney lady, occurred at Roxbury, Mass., on Friday last, of pneumonia, a week previous her eldest daughter, Ellen, passed away.

The building of a new lighthouse at L'Ardoise, C. B., will soon be started. The contractor on this work is Lawrence Murry, of West Arichat, who has had some experience in this line of work during the past few years.

P. E. Island Charles McAdulf, a man of about 35 years of age, who is in a demented condition, was captured in O'Leary. He is a native of Alberta, and arrived there about six weeks ago from St. John.

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RESTORED HIS THREE CHILDREN.

Mr. J. C. BATES, of Burke Falls, says:—"I suffered from spots, which broke finally into open sores. My face and hands were covered with these sores, and they were so painful, as well as unsightly, that I hardly knew which way to turn for relief. Whenever I put water near them they smarted and burned just as if I had been scalded. Zam-Buk was recommended to me, and the first few applications did so much good that I continued with its use. In a few weeks' treatment resulted in a perfect cure."

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Miss S. G. HAMILTON, of Alliston (Ont.), says:—"For a long time I suffered from spots, which broke finally into open sores. My face and hands were covered with these sores, and they were so painful, as well as unsightly, that I hardly knew which way to turn for relief. Whenever I put water near them they smarted and burned just as if I had been scalded. Zam-Buk was recommended to me, and the first few applications did so much good that I continued with its use. In a few weeks' treatment resulted in a perfect cure."

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"RUB IT IN"

NEWS AND VIEWS OF SPORT

The dangerous Marathon races should be suppressed, and the medical profession must do its share in making known the reasons why such a strain may cause permanent damage, says the well known journal, American Medicine. One of the ancient contestants died at the moment of victory, and the modern races have been signalled by many serious cases of heart strain or acute dilatation not fatal, particularly in undeveloped boys. It has been stated that youths will hereafter be excluded, but it is a strain to which no human being should be subjected. Indian runners make longer journeys, but it is generally at low pressure, and is a matter of training from infancy, but even in them we cannot safely say it has proven harmless. Many a white boy now training for Marathon races is causing permanent injury to heart and arteries which is incurable, and he will die in thirty years' hence, when he loses his ability to "compensate." Let all parents be warned to forbid any athletic exercises which cause undue and prolonged heart strain.

Senator Agnew's Bill designed to prohibit the publication in newspapers of betting odds on horse races, passed the New York State Senate by a vote of 31 to 13 after a spirited debate. Senator Agnew said the bill had been introduced to show the good faith of those who had backed down on the anti-race track gambling bill, and that, if passed, it would prevent pool transactions.

James A. Rector, the premier United States sprinter, won both the 100 yards and 220 yards dashes with ease at the dual meet between Yale and Virginia, which Yale won with 86 points against 31.

Jim Coffey, the fight promoter at St. Louis, who had been charged with the best chance of winning the title, in fact, the "Prisco" promoter declared today that Ketcher could beat Jeffries if he should happen to land one of his great knockout punches. When Johnson and Ketcher enter the ring the negro will weigh 205, or perhaps 210 pounds, while the middleweight champion will have taken on enough weight to enable him to tip the scales at 175 pounds or a trifle more. Johnson is three inches taller than Ketcher, who is thought to be as great a pugilist as Fitzsimmons when the latter was in his prime.

After a winter spent on the Pacific Coast, Walter Burnham, once manager of the Newark team, has returned to Toronto with his wife on account of the illness of his aged father.

Judge Hamilton ruled Louis Cahn out of the grounds of the Santa Anita race track recently and warned Jockey Benny Jacobs away from the course. The presiding official would give out no reasons for this action, but intimated that their cases had been duly investigated.

The Phil Lewis, the Baltimore shortstop in the game with the New York Giants, took the umpire's side once, and the Giants proceeded to call his attention to

ANNUAL MEETING OF HALIFAX CURLERS (Halifax Chronicle)

At the semi-annual meeting of the Halifax Curling Club Tuesday evening, President Dr. Howard Murray, presented club prizes and trophies to the 1908-9 season's winners as follows:

rink—M. McE. Hall, I. B. Shaffner, Dr. Cowie, and J. E. Wood.

Roberts cup—I. B. Shaffner.

Peters cup—M. McE. Hall.

Gosnell cup—M. McE. Hall.

Century cup—M. McE. Hall.

Tankard—C. L. Torrey.

Diamond stone—Professor Murray MacNeil.

Davis stone—C. L. Torrey.

Chilled medal—Dr. A. W. Cogswell.

Provincial medal—M. McE. Hall.

The conditions regarding defence of the McLellan cup, now held by the club, require that the team being challenged by the defenders shall play cup matches twice a week, were found unsatisfactory, the cup being similar to that of the previous holders, in New Brunswick, and a committee was appointed to make some suggestions to the trustees.

BASEBALL

New York, April 15.—Thirty thousand record-breaking base ball gathering attended the opening championship game between the Polo grounds today between New York and Brooklyn. The Polo grounds were thronged to capacity by a score of 3 to 2 after 12 innings of marvellous ball.

The opening duel between Irving Wilhelm and Leo Ames, in which the Brooklyn box man tired out his New York rival, Ames did not allow a hit in the first six innings, only of men facing him in this time. In the extra periods, the Brooklyn batting hard, making four hits in the last round.

In the absence of Mayor McCallan, threw out the ball from an upper balcony, and the crowd of 12,000 people called play.

Batteries—Wilhelm and Bergen; Ames and Schiel. Time—2:20. Umpires—Johnson and Emslie.

Other games were:

B. H. H. H.
Chicago.....111002500—2 7 1
St. Louis.....000000000—0 4 4
Batteries—Peters and Moran; Beebe, Moore and Brennan. Phelps. Time—2:06.

P. H. H. H.
Cincinnati.....000011112—2 2 2
Pittsburg.....200000000—4 7 2
Batteries—Ewing and McLean; Willis and Gibson. Time—2:00. Umpires—O'Day and Emslie.

American League.

B. H. H. H.
St. Louis.....001001010—0 2 0
Cleveland.....022000000—4 6 2
Batteries—Polly and Griger; Young and Clegg. Time—2:00. Umpires—Sheridan and Ferriss.

B. H. H. H.
Washington.....000000000—1 0 0
New York.....000000000—0 0 0
Batteries—Groom, Smith, Burns and Street; Blankenship, Quinn and Kline. Blair. Time—1:55. Umpires—Ewing and Emslie.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia-Boston-west
At Detroit—Detroit, 3; Chicago, 1.

TRACK SPORTS AND BASEBALL TO BOOM Plans for an Active Season on the Every Day Club Grounds

The indications are that baseball, amateur athletics and other sports, and children's play on the Every Day Club grounds during the coming season will be carried on more successfully than ever before. With regard to baseball, the Marshalls, who will have a very strong team this year, hope to form a league with Fredericton, Moncton and Amherst, and also to bring some crack Maine teams here during the season. While a local league has not yet been organized, it is expected that one will be formed, to play the usual series of evening games.

In the matter of athletic sports, the Every Day Club will begin next week to put the grounds and track in better condition than ever before, and will lay out a new 100 yards track which for almost

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WHAT REMAINS IN CHRISTIANITY

Modern Skepticism and How It Affects Doctrine and Scriptures—Nothing Essential Lost

(Toronto News.)

It was an address calculated to remove much of the disquietude aroused by the recent controversy which was delivered by Professor James Orr, of Glasgow, at the luncheon given in the Bible Training School yesterday. The subject, "Things That Remain," as the speaker himself remarked, had nothing to do with the luncheon, but indirectly it had much to do with the discussion which has, during the past weeks been occupying the attention of practically every Bible student in the province.

"It is like bringing coils to Newcastle to address such an audience on such a subject as 'Things That Remain,' commented Professor Orr, "it is a subject worthy of consideration."

"Great changes have occurred in past centuries. And now all are standing on the verge of a new century which promises even greater changes along social, political and religious lines. Out of these changes what will remain? Every one admits that there will be changes, but all would like to keep the things which they hold dear. Yet we may just as well take it for granted that there is nothing human, nothing dear to us that will not be affected by this shaking and tested. God's own Bible will not be excepted."

This is the question which concerns us. Will the Bible be among the things which are going to perish, or is it one of the things which will remain?

Though admitting many might think this question bordered on the profane, Dr. Orr did not keep the things which they hold dear. Yet we may just as well take it for granted that there is nothing human, nothing dear to us that will not be affected by this shaking and tested. God's own Bible will not be excepted."

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A "NEWSPAPER CLASS"

Latest Development in Female Education in London

London, April 15.—The latest London development in female education is the "newspaper class." It has been realized that working girls as well as girls who do not work, are apt to think that the woman's page in newspapers, which when it exists there generally consists of a few pictures of hats and gowns, one or two of cookery and some complex recipes, with an installment of a serial story, is the only page of a paper which can possibly interest them.

The Club's Industrial Association, which has 56 affiliated clubs in London, is now making an effort to convince girls that they can take an intelligent interest in other parts of a newspaper. Miss Montague, Lord Swaythling's daughter, is one of the officials. She describes how portions of newspapers dealing with sociology, high politics, economics, are read to girls at their meetings. Girls are encouraged to consider problems of the day, read the papers and debate upon social questions.

TRANSATLANTIC TRADE

Shipping Companies Suffered Heavily Last Year

London April 15.—The full figures of the transatlantic passenger trade for 1908 shows an extraordinary situation, which explains the terrible losses in the shipping trade. The number of passengers going to America in 1908 was 63,000, or 1,045,000 less than in 1907. The number leaving America was 89,000 more than in 1907. The loss to the steamship companies in gross receipts was \$34,000,000.

The Ladies' Association of the Church of England Institute held a tea and sale yesterday afternoon. In spite of the inclement weather there was a large number present.

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WANTED - A GENERAL GIRL TO GO to Campbellton, 24 or 26 weeks. No washing. WOMEN'S EXCHANGE, 47 German street.

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WANTED - APPLY WANA-MAKERS RESTAURANT, 282-284, 710-4-22.

WANTED - GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 48 Adelaide street.

WANTED - NURSE FOR CHILD THREE and a half years. References required. Apply 104 Carleton street in the evening.

WANTED - GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. No washing. good wages. Apply to MISS BOWMAN, 111 Princess street.

WANTED - COMPETENT GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 52 Douglas Ave. Right hand bell.

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WANTED - AT ONCE, PAINT MAKERS - household article, ready seller. Apply bell & Son, 28 German St.

AMUSEMENTS

AT THE NICKEL - Something substantial in the line of an historical picture is promised at the Nickel today and for the children Saturday in the story of Verucigerius, Gaul's Hero, or the valiant chieftain of the Arverni tribe, who so many times defeated the great armies of Julius Caesar, only to fall at last a prey to Caesar's cruelty.

FRANKIE CARPENTER - The theatre going public who like the drama with plenty of comedy will enjoy a visit to the Opera House while the clever little star, Frankie Carpenter, is in St. John.

AT THE STAR - Another excellent travel picture awaits the patrons of the new North End theatre, The Star, tonight and all day Saturday.

DR. JONES VICTIM OF STRANGE WILD CUSTOM - Scientist Among Philippine Tribesmen Innocently Accepted Fish Offered as Challenge; Was Slain

Manila, April 15 - The party recently sent out by the government to investigate the circumstances connected with the murder by Illogote tribesmen of Dr. William H. Jones, a noted anthropologist, connected with the Columbian Museum in Chicago, has recovered the valuable collection made by the scientist during his two years' stay among the wild men of the interior.

OBITUARY - Miss Annie McGuire - Much sympathy is felt for the relatives of Miss Annie McGuire, who died suddenly in the General Public Hospital on Sunday last, after undergoing an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Florence S. Mabey - Miss Florence S. Mabey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mabey, of 41 Melanburg street, died Thursday at the age of twenty-two years.

Jessie Parsons - On Saturday, April 10, Mr. and Mrs. Dunca Parsons, of Hoyt Station, were bereft of their only child, Jessie, a very clever girl of seven years and four months.

Thomas M. Lewis - The death occurred at his home here last night of Thomas M. Lewis, well known as a temperance lecturer and formerly as a prominent shipowner and business man of Yarmouth.

AMUSEMENTS

"When Gaul Fought Roman" - NICKEL - Magnificent Picture by Pathé Freres. 3rd PROGRAMME OF FESTIVAL WEEK - 12-Piece Orchestra in New Selections - 12 TALKING PICTURE BILL CHANGED - 3 - OF FUNNIEST COMEDIES - 3 Monster Saturday Matinee

"STAR" Zoo Gardens, FRANKFORT, GERMANY - Another High-Class Travel Picture. "WHO'LL PAY FOR IT?" TWO NEW COMEDIES. "THE TWO RIVELS." BRIGHT CATHY MUSIC. Songs By MAE COLYER, Concert Soprano. BIG SATURDAY MATINEE

Lady Carling Dead - London, Ont., April 15 - (Special) - Lady Carling, wife of Sir John Carling, died shortly after 4 o'clock this morning from heart failure. She was 80 years of age and two years ago sustained a paralytic stroke which left her in a very weakened condition.

NEW HALL DEDICATED - New Temple of Honor Hall, in North End, was Formally Dedicated Last Night

The new Temple of Honor Hall in Main street was dedicated last evening by Grand Worthy Templar George Blewett. The ceremony was very interesting and was attended by a large number.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY - On and after Sunday, Oct. 11th, 1909, trains will run daily (Sunday excepted), as follows:

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TRAINS ARRIVE AT ST. JOHN - No. 2 - From Halifax, Pictou and the 27's ... 6.30

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Mr. Daniel—Dr. Pugsley holds in his hand both of these affidavits.
Mr. Pugsley—There is only one affidavit.

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Mr. Daniel—My point of order is that the minister says that he is not prepared to take any responsibility of submitting affidavits...

Mr. Pugsley—I could not by any possibility withdraw that statement.

Mr. Daniel—The hon. minister (Pugsley) and every member of the house know that the minister says that he is not prepared to take any responsibility...

Mr. Pugsley—Then, I understand that my hon. friend did not make any insinuation against me on that occasion.

Mr. Daniel—Yes. He certainly has not made any charges against me, but he has insinuated in a very clear and plain way...

Mr. Pugsley—Well, I am sure the hon. gentleman is not the stepfather.

Mr. Pugsley—That may be at all events my hon. friend does assume a certain responsibility, in fact a large measure of responsibility for any affidavit which he submits to this house...

Mr. Daniel—I will tell the hon. gentleman what I think. If he will remember that he was stated in that affidavit with regard to that matter, Mr. Mayes says that he was informed months afterwards...

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Mr. Daniel—I would consider that a good cause for action because the understanding which Mr. McAvity went in to the agreement was that he would get favors.

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Mr. Crockett declared Dr. Pugsley had not touched the gravamen of the charge which was the bargain between Mayes and McAvity.

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WHITE MERCERISED WAISTING, new patterns, 28 inches wide, at 18 c., 22c., 25c., and 28c. YARD

NEW WOOL DRESS GOODS and SUITING, shadow stripes, Satin Cloth, Venetian and La dies' Cloths, at 55c., 60c., 75c., 85c., 90c., \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25, and \$1.50 YARD.

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THIS EVENING

Frankie Carpenter and Company at the Opera House in "Spangles and the Preacher."

The festival bill of pictures and songs at the Nickel.

Moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Star, North End.

Committees in No-license contest meet in various headquarters.

Meeting in Keith's Assembly rooms; Alderman Baxter will talk to electors on civic politics.

Public rally in favor of local option in old Temple of Honor Hall, Main street; addresses by L. P. D. Tilley and M. E. Agar.

Royal Scarlet Chapter meets at 8 o'clock in Orange Hall, Germain street.

Acorn Mission Band of St. John's Presbyterian church hold concert in school room at 8 o'clock.

Athletic sports in Queen's rink under auspices All St. John-Mohawk club at 8 o'clock.

Banquet in new Temple of Honor Hall, Main street, at 9.15 o'clock.

D. Company, 2nd Fusiliers, meet at armory for issue of clothing.

Canadian Club luncheon in Keith's Assembly rooms at 6.15. Address by Prof. Andrews on "The Economic Value of a Good Citizen."

A. O. H. Cadets meet for drill in A. O. H. Hall, Union street, 7 o'clock.

Annual meeting of the Seaman's Institute at 8 o'clock.

Dominion L. O. L., No. 141 meets in special session at 8 o'clock, in Orange Hall Simonsa street.

Mohawk—All St. John Indoor Sports in Queen's Rink.

LATE LOCALS

Friends, subscribers and members of the Seaman's Mission Society are invited to the annual meeting of the society to be held at 8 o'clock this evening.

The Royal Scarlet Chapter will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in Orange hall, Germain street. All members are requested to attend.

Patrolman John McCollom issues a det to any of the local policemen to meet him in a Marathon race from St. John to Loch Lomond and return.

A public rally in favor of local option will be held this evening in the old Alexandra Temple of Honor hall, Main street, and will be addressed by L. P. D. Tilley and M. E. Agar.

Members of the Canadian Club are reminded that the luncheon at which Prof. Andrews will speak will be given in Keith's assembly rooms this evening at 6.15. The subject will be "The Economic Value of a Good Citizen."

German steamship Prinz Oskar, now on her way to Rotterdam from this port, took away a cargo valued at \$144,577. She had 72,000 bushels of wheat, and 54,389 bushels barley.

C. P. R. steamship Lake Michigan, now on her way to London and Antwerp, has on board a cargo valued at \$437,750. She had 180,310 bushels wheat and 601 head of cattle.

The missionary aid society of Ludlow Street Baptist Church will hold a supper in the Sunday School on Tuesday evening next. A musical and literary programme will be provided during the evening.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Catholic Methodist Church will conduct their Easter meeting in the School room of the church. Rev. J. Heaney will deliver an address on Women's Debt to Christianity, and J. N. Harvey's topic will be Personal Impressions of the Laymen's Missionary Congress. A programme of music with selections by the Mission band has been arranged, and the meeting is open to the public.

THE ANNUAL FLIT TO THE SUBURBS

Number of St. John Families in the Country Resorts this Summer will be as Large as Ever

The city people who have suburban cottages are already displaying signs of restlessness and it will be only a short time now until the annual exodus to green fields and shady nooks will commence. Some families are preparing to get into the country on the first of May, giving up their flats in town and taking the risk of getting another when the time for a return in the fall comes round. The majority, however, will await the announcement of the summer suburban train schedule before fixing on a definite date for getting away from the city. From inquiries made it would seem that the number going to the country this year will be fully as large if not larger than other years. Very few cottages are now offered for rent as most of the people going away engaged their summer homes some time ago, and in a very little while loads of furniture will be moving out of town.

EMPRISSE IS EXPECTED TO DOCK LATE TONIGHT

Empress of Britain Arrived at Halifax at 3.15 This Morning, and Left for St. John at 4.40

C. P. R. steamship Empress of Britain, Captain Murray, arrived at Halifax this morning at 3.15 o'clock from Liverpool. The steamer was a little late on arriving. She probably had strong head winds to contend with. On board are 104 saloon, 438 second cabin and 919 third class passengers—total 1478. The big ship left Halifax at 4.40 this morning, very few of her passengers going ashore there. The steamer will be here to dock at tonight's tide, about 11 o'clock.

PERSONALS

Rev. Father Lockray, of Elgin, was a passenger to the city on today's Montreal train.

Rev. C. T. Phillips, came in from Woodstock at noon.

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CIRCULATION

The following is the sworn average daily circulation of the Times for the last three months:

January—6,712

February—6,979

March—7,167

The Times does not get its largest sale through newspapers. It is delivered at the homes. That is the kind of circulation which is of value to advertisers.

THE RIVER STEAMERS

The steamer Majestic will leave Indiantown at 10 o'clock tomorrow for Fredericton.

The Victoria will leave at 8.30 o'clock on Tuesday morning.

The warehouse for freight for all points will be open tomorrow morning. All shipments must be accompanied by bills of lading, and prepayment of freight, as arranged by all the steamer owners.

MAY DAY MOVERS WILL BE VERY NUMEROUS

Larger Number of Tenants Changing Their Domiciles This Year Than for Many Years

The first of May gives promise of seeing an exceptionally large number of tenants moving. In fact it is stated that more will move this spring than have done so for many years past. The primary reason for this is the general advance in rents which has been made all over the city. There are some people who move from habit, change their quarters every year, others who find it cheaper to move than pay rent; some who are larger and more expensive quarters on account of a better financial position, but the majority will move because they cannot afford the increase of rental. Orders have been booked ahead with trimmers, and some have engagements that will fill in every day of the next four or five weeks. The first of May coming on Saturday this year is going to be rather awkward for some people. It will certainly mean that many families will be in a much muddled state on Sunday, as some of them will not be able to get teams to move their effects until late in the day, or rather night, and it is quite possible that the Sabbath will be desecrated by the putting up of bedsteads, etc., in order to bring a semblance of comfort out of chaos.

Among the business houses there will be considerable shifting around this year and many changes will be apparent in the business district after the first of the month.

APRIL 30th; "RAISIN DAY"

Novel Plan Adopted by Fresno Chamber of Commerce to Boom Sale of Raisins

Raisin Day, April 30, 1909.

Have Eat Raisins Every Day.

Circular letters and pamphlets with the above heading are being sent all over the United States and Canada by an energetic committee of business men from the Fresno, California, Chamber of Commerce.

The United States and Canada, by an energetic committee of business men from the Fresno, California, Chamber of Commerce, to celebrate the occasion by making raisins a part of their diet on that day.

They are meeting with hearty support and encouragement from every quarter to which they have appealed for help, and among the various avenues available for their advertising purposes, none seem to hold out a greater prospect than the fraternal orders. Some of them have taken action already without being asked, and in the face of such enthusiasm, we look confidently to the loyal support of every one of them.

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The following is the sworn average daily circulation of the Times for the last three months:

January—6,712

February—6,979

March—7,167

The Times does not get its largest sale through newspapers. It is delivered at the homes. That is the kind of circulation which is of value to advertisers.

THE RIVER STEAMERS

The steamer Majestic will leave Indiantown at 10 o'clock tomorrow for Fredericton.

The Victoria will leave at 8.30 o'clock on Tuesday morning.

The warehouse for freight for all points will be open tomorrow morning. All shipments must be accompanied by bills of lading, and prepayment of freight, as arranged by all the steamer owners.

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