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MANIAC MADE LEAP FROM TRAIN

Insane Man Enroute to Provincial Lunatic Asylum Jumped From Maritime Express Near Moncton and Escaped--- Liberal Convention.

MONCTON, May 22--(Special)--With the train running about forty miles an hour, an insane man whose name cannot be learned, jumped through a car window, about three miles west of Moncton this morning and escaped to the woods.

As the maritime was nearing Moncton and running down grade the lunatic made a dash through an open window and although the man in charge caught him by the foot as he was going out he escaped.

Conductor McPherson was notified and immediately stopped the train and backed up to the spot where the man fell. His cap was found and the gravel was torn up for a distance of twenty feet but there was no trace of the insane man. Those who saw him take the mad plunge and

gazed after him from the car window saw the lunatic get up after a few moments and make for the woods. But when the train reached the front where his cap lay there was no sign of him although the passengers joined in making a search of the immediate vicinity.

As the man was handcuffed it is thought he will be unable to go far and will probably soon be located. The officer in charge of the lunatic was off at the spot to hunt him up. The affair created great excitement among the passengers and a delay of fifteen minutes was occasioned. How the lunatic escaped without his neck being broken is more than the trainmen can understand.

A large number of liberals are in the city this morning to attend the convention called by Mr. Emmerson this afternoon and the public meeting this evening. Senator Domville, of Hampton, is among the outsiders present. Senator McSweeney will preside at the public meeting.

OBJECTED TO A DIET OF PIE

Mrs. Stetson Wants a Divorce Because She Was Forced to Eat Pumpkin Pie at Each Meal.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., May 22--Mrs. Estel Stetson, who is suing for divorce, says she was forced to eat pumpkin pie three times a day. She preferred salad and soup, but Mr. Stetson taunted her. She liked striped bass, but her husband insisted that salmon was the only fish worth eating.

Mrs. Stetson says her daughter was denied the right to go to the "papa." The mother was forced to eat her Christ-mas dinner alone, while her husband dined with his daughters, and she was never invited to social functions given by the latter.

ST. JOHN SHOULD BENEFIT BY E. H. HARRIMAN'S MERGER

American Railway King Planning Through Fast Line from St. John to New York---How the N. B. Southern Fits Into the Scheme.

(Boston Journal, May 20.) With the full knowledge that his publication will be followed by violent denials on the part of New York and New Haven officials, and possibly by other and greater railroad magnates from whom Mr. Mellon often takes his inspiration, The Journal this morning offers the public the first inside explanation of the purposes and plans of the proposed merger of the Boston and Maine system by Mr. Mellon and those associated with him and directing him. In view of this news the "deal" assumes national and even international importance and proportions, for it is the first defensive move of the great transcontinental railroads in a battle that will involve more money than any other railway war in history.

Edward H. Harriman, the man of mergers, is the dominating factor in the railroad situation in New England today. He has been that for many a day; but under the surface only. He is now an aggressive fighting factor because his transcontinental business is menaced by a scheme hatched by the Canadian Pacific and approved by the imperial conference at London upon Premier Laurier's recommendation for the establishment of a fast line of steamships between England and Canada thence through Canada to the Pacific and to Australia. A committee representing the British Empire is now investigating the cost of this scheme and the Canadian Pacific is already making plans to absolutely control the situation when the scheme shall have matured.

FOUR-DAY TRIP. The proposition which the imperial conference has approved is for a fast steamship line, guaranteed to make the ocean trip from an English port to a Canadian port in four days, and from England to

THE HORSE WAS SAVED

Thanks to John Jenkins, J. Harvey Brown's Horse Escaped Serious Injury This Morning.

An accident occurred in the north end today, which would undoubtedly have resulted in the loss of J. Harvey Brown's delivery horse, had it not been for the timely assistance and skill of John M. Jenkins, who happened to be driving past at the time.

Mr. Brown's wagon was standing close to the post office, and the driver, who was but a young lad, was in the act of mounting to the seat, when the horse started quickly and the front wheels of the rig collided with the telephone pole, throwing the horse in against the catch basin, and the animal's hind leg went through the opening.

Mr. Jenkins, who, at a glance, took in the situation, hurried to the spot, and after quieting the frightened horse, procured an iron bar, and removing the top plank from the catch basin, liberated the horse's leg, which otherwise would have been broken. Mr. Jenkins told the Times that the driver was in no way to blame for the accident.

There has been some hitch in regard to giving the wharf contractors, Clark & Adams, the lines for the angle of the wharf. Alderman McGoldrick, chairman of the board of works, was looking into the matter this morning, when Director Cushing will be instructed to define the angle for the wharf builders.

PACIFIC COAST TRAIN WRECKED THIS MORNING; ONE KILLED AND 22 HURT

Disaster Was Caused by Train Wreckers, Who Threw Engine and Cars Over a Trestle by Spreading the Rails---Cars Badly Damaged in Wreck.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 22--Train No. 20, one of the South Pacific coast line flyers, due at 9 o'clock last night, was wrecked at West Glendale, near here, at 12:30 o'clock this morning. The wreck was the deliberate work of train wreckers. One man, who was stealing a ride, was killed, and 22 other persons injured, three probably fatally.

In accomplishing the wreck of the train, which was the Coast Line Limited, a devilish ingenuity had been exercised. At a point on a trestle over the Arroyo Seco, the fish plates and bolts of two connecting rails on the southbound track had been removed and in the aperture whence the bolts were taken strands of heavy wire were fastened at the end of each rail. From the appearance of the track after the wreck it was evident that some persons hidden on a hillside close to the trestle had pulled the wire as the train approached and spread the rails outward toward the edge of the trestle. The train, three hours late, was traveling at a rate of between 35 and 40 miles.

The engine wheels were the first to leave the rails and the engine took to the ties travelling nearly 100 yards before it was brought to a standstill. The tender, the diner, two Pullmans, the buffet, mail and baggage cars plunged over the edge of the trestle, falling a distance of 18 feet. The buffet car, the express car and one of the Pullmans were turned completely upside down and the others landed on their sides. All were badly crushed and splintered.

COREY AND HIS BRIDE IN PARIS.



LONDON, May 22--Mr. William Corey, president of the United States Steel Company, with his bride, formerly Miss Mabelle Gilman, a well known actress, arrived at Plymouth, Monday, on the Kaiser Wilhelm II, and are now in Paris. So successful was Mr. Corey in his aim to assure complete privacy that neither he nor his wife had been once seen during the entire trip, while an effectual system of barriers prevented any possible intruder's suite of rooms had been specially reserved for them, and they had taken their meals by themselves. The captain is the only officer who has seen them, and his steward is the only servant of the liner who attended their wants.

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KUROKI IS GENEROUS

Serappy Jappy General Gave Lavish Tips to New York Hotel Employes.

NEW YORK, May 22--General Baron Tansemoto Kuroki at one o'clock today will take his departure for Boston. His suite were engaged early today in the onerous task of packing baggage, for the various souvenirs of New York city which they have gathered during their stay make large packages in themselves. General Kuroki and his party tomorrow will be in the city for the first time since their arrival here. General Kuroki distributed presents among the Hotel Astor servants yesterday. Each bell boy, waiter, clerk or other employe who contributed to his comfort received some money, the total bounty amounting to nearly \$500.

TWO HUNDRED KILLED

NEW YORK, May 22--A despatch from Sydney, N. S. W., says:--It is reported that a hurricane and tidal wave swept over the coastline on April 30. Two hundred persons are said to have been killed and immense damage done to property.

TWO YEARS FOR KING ANANIAS

Cheerful Hindu Liar and His Accomplice Given Hard Labor Jail Sentences.

LAHORE, British India, May 22--A Hindu revolutionist, who worked fanatic of the Punjab into a state of great excitement by circulating the fantastic statement that the alleged plague did not exist and that the 100,000 deaths weekly attributed to it were really caused by the poisoning of wells by government emissaries, was sentenced today to two years rigorous imprisonment. An accomplice who dropped harmless balls into the wells, alleging that he did so by order of the government, was condemned to 18 months imprisonment.

TO VALUE BANK'S HOLDINGS

TORONTO, Ont., May 22--(Special)--The Bank of Montreal with the approval of the Ontario Bank directors has appointed Peterson Bros, real estate men and accountants to investigate the holdings of real estate by the late Ontario bank and prepare a report as to value, whether leasehold, freehold or what not.

FUNERALS

The funeral of the late Mrs. Kelly was held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, from her late residence, Lombard street, to Cedar Hill cemetery, where interment was made. Rev. Mr. McLaughlin conducted the funeral service.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Bridget Lewis was held this morning at 8:30 o'clock from her late residence, Union street, to the Cathedral, where high mass was celebrated by Rev. D. S. O'Keefe. Mr. and Mrs. Murphy were this morning buried from their late residence, 282 Charlotte street at 9 o'clock. The bodies were taken to the church of St. John the Baptist, where Rev. W. C. Gaynor celebrated requiem high mass. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery. The funeral of the late Arthur Adams was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Home for Incurables to Cedar Hill cemetery, where interment was made. Dr. Fotheringham read the funeral service.

The funeral of the late Joseph Daley was held today at 2 o'clock from his son's residence on the Loch Lomond road, where interment was made. Rev. Wellington Camp read the funeral service.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER

NO CAUSE FOR ANXIETY. The news that a revolution has broken out in Salvador will remove the fears that had arisen regarding conditions in Central America. The situation is normal. Some persons, not well-informed and perhaps a little pessimistic, not having heard of an outbreak for some days, rushed to the conclusion that there was something wrong. The news of the rebellion clears the air and makes it clear that the consumption of cigarettes and aguardiente will not be reduced, while dollars which are worth five cents in gold will circulate more freely than ever. A later despatch states that six men, three of them armed with swords, attacked a convoy yesterday

and seized a large quantity of coffee and tobacco.

A PROPOSED CHANGE. Mr. Peter Binks was looking for the mayor this morning. Mr. Binks is of opinion that the superintendent of the ferry department and the chief of the fire department should change places. There is a better time in connection with the ferry than in the fire department, and in the proposed reorganization Mr. Binks thinks the fire chief should be sent to the ferry department and discourage fires by providing them with a timetable, a plan that

has worked admirably in connection with the ferry steamers.

WEATHER ITEM. Mr. Hiram Hornbeam reports that there was severe frost in the Settlement last night. He has come to the conclusion that the weather man must have had a lot of samples left over in December and January, and is now working them off on the people of this portion of Canada. Unless warmer weather comes soon Hiram says he will have to feed his stock on boiled spruce, as the hay is used up and the grass is discouraged.

MAHONEY STOLE PAPER AND TWINE

Further Developments in Edward Mahoney's Case Show that Schofield Bros. as Well as the McClary Co. Suffered Through His Operations.

Still further developments have been reported in the McClary-Mahoney theft case. According to information received from the police a quantity of paper valued at \$14 to \$15, has been taken from the Schofield warehouses and sold to small retail dealers in various parts of the city. It is also stated that one dealer bought two bags of twine from the prisoner at sixty-five cents each. The dealer referred to is said to have made inquiries as to the price of this twine, and found the regular retail price

was \$1.50 a bag. When the prisoner came to him to sell the second bag he told him what he had learned and asked how he could sell it at sixty-five cents. According to reports, Mahoney said, "If I can get it right and make five cents a pound on it, I don't see that you have any cause to worry." It is also reported that several rolls of roofing paper were found in a store on Delhi street, near Mahoney's home. This is valued at about \$10, and the dealer says he bought it from Mahoney in good faith. The paper was identified by Schofield Bros., but left in the store pending developments.

GULF STREAM IS SHIFTING

Captain of AnchorLine Steamer Says it is Away to the North of its Usual Course.

NEW YORK, May 22--Capt. J. Lumsdane of the Anchor Line steamer Astoria, from Glasgow, has found a reason for the cold weather. He says the Gulf Stream, which ordinarily has a range between 46 and 55 degrees north latitude, is away to the north, and he found for the Atlantic a high barometer for the southerly wind which is unusual. "I don't say that the Gulf Stream is out of its margin," said the Captain, "but it is to the northward of its normal course. This accounts for the winter weather here in Scotland which we have been having. We don't have the seasons we used to have." When the Astoria was about 1,000 miles east of Sandy Hook, on Saturday, she passed through a field of 20 icebergs. The icebergs were all medium sized and were scattered over a wide area.

TOBIQUE DRIVES IN SAFE WATERS

R. A. Estey Says All the Drives on the Upper St. John Will Be Brought Out This Year.

FREDERICTON, N. B., May 22 (Special)--R. A. Estey, who has been looking after Charles Miller's drive on the Tobique, arrived here last evening. His drive on Two Brooks reached the corporation limits last week, after the crew had been at work sixteen days. He reports all the Tobique drives in safe waters, and the Messrs. Fraser are getting along well with the Corporation drive. Mr. Estey says that the few warm days of last week greatly facilitated the driving operations. He is confident that all the drives on the Upper St. John will be got out. The weather here continues quite cold and the water in the river is about on a standstill. Earle MacNutt, son of L. C. MacNutt, editor of the Herald, has been awarded the prize of five dollars offered by the Sons of the Old and Times of Estima, Wilnot. There were fifteen competitors in all. The fire committee of the city council last evening awarded the contract for five hundred feet of cotton hose to Estey & Company, of St. John, at 92 cents a foot. The university students will have their annual sports on Tuesday next. Patriotic exercises will be carried out in the schools of the city tomorrow in honor of Empire Day.

GENEROUS TO SAY THE LEAST

MONTREAL, Q., May 22--(Special)--Montreal docks are again busy today. Following the decision of the longshoremen to return to work, the unloading of vessels has been resumed with a rush. A special feature of the situation is the treatment meted out to the strike breakers by their employers. Despite the fact that there was no official recognition by shippers of the men's acceptance of terms, when the longshoremen reported the rebuffs were all medium sized and were scattered over a wide area. On the contrary the strike breakers were discharged by their employers. The old gangs were engaged in their places.

RYAN-KENNEDY

A very pretty wedding took place in the cathedral this morning at six o'clock when James A. Ryan was united in marriage to Miss Katherine Ryan, sister of the groom. The latter was supported by Charles Cochran. After a brief honeymoon trip to different places along the Intercolonial line Mr. and Mrs. Ryan will return and reside in this city. Judge Ritchie when asked this morning as to whether there would be an investigation into the recent fire trouble, said he had received a copy of the resolution passed at yesterday's meeting of the fire department, but had not yet determined whether or not he would hold an inquiry into the matter.

NEW RECORD FOR WHEAT

CHICAGO, May 22--Wheat set a new high record for the crop today. July advanced to 1.02 3/4; September to 1.04 1/2; and December to 1.05 3/4. There was a closely packed mass of excited brokers in the exchange and the volume of business done was large. Continued absence of rain in Kansas coupled with an advance in Liverpool, were factors in the high price.

NINETY HOBOES TREATED TO A SWELL DINNER IN CHICAGO

They Were the Guests of a Sociological Student, and After a "Feed" They Told the Stories of Their Lives.

CHICAGO, May 22--By far the most important event which has ever taken place in tramp social circles of Chicago came when ninety "hoboes" accepted an invitation to dine in the Roanoke restaurant, a high class eating place in the Windsor-Clifton Hotel. Dr. Ben L. Reitman, president of the Brotherhood Welfare Association, paid for the dinner. "The purpose of the banquet was to learn just what these men need," said Dr. Reitman. "We have no right to tell of the needs of men whose lives we do not know. We let them tell their stories. They tell us the truth and many new things. Sociologists can learn much from the statements of these fallen men."

Ten members of the association were seated at the table with the miscellany of tramps, "Fittsburg Joe," as toastmaster, discoursed upon the subject, "How I Live Without Work." Dr. Reitman told all of the speakers that they must exclude from their statements any harsh criticisms of the law or of the police department. John Smith, who has served fourteen years in jail at various times, and admits he never until recently did a day's work except under compulsion, told "why the criminal has a hard face."

For days the event has caused considerable gossip in the lodging house district, and great has been the disappointment among the nine thousand ex-

ponents of the scientific art of living without work who failed to receive invitations. It was not a "dirt" banquet, and the ninety had recourse to the wet part of the menu as often as the glasses containing the various liquid refreshments appeared. The "feed" went far to atone for the rudeness of the firemen who ruthlessly turned the water upon the tramps living at the Mayflower Hotel, No. 35 Clark street, last week, when, despite their wishes, the more or less permanent tenants received baths gratis. Among those present were "Lacy Luke," "Traveling Pete," "Dirty Joe," "Pegleg" Wilson and "Blind," the names of all of whom appear in the hobo bluebook, otherwise known as the register of the Mayflower hostelry. Pursual of the following menu will give some idea of the good times that was had:-- Manhattan cocktail, pure of tomato, au gratin; boiled French halibut, parsley sauce; pommes Parmentier, beer, prime ribs of beef, at five; mashed potatoes, green peas, ice cream, fromage de Bre and water, cake noir and cigars and cigarettes. Although nearly all the tramps needed translations for the above, there was no backwardness about coming forward when the vendors, and especially the drinkables, were set upon the grinning board.

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THE BLUE DIAMOND

BY ALICE AND CLAUDE ASKEW.

Authors of "The Shulamite," "Eve—and the Law," "Gilded London," "The Premier's Daughter," "The House Next Door," Etc.

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CHAPTER V.

There were but few of her father's guests in the drawing-rooms when Patience returned to it. Most of them had retired to their own rooms, some—chief among whom was Lady Birchington—highly incensed at the indignity of having been searched. Most of them, however, had taken the unfortunate necessity in good part, and had submitted without serious remonstrance. The general belief, however, tallied with that expressed by Colonel Strangeway, that Lady Wavenhurst, by some oversight, must have left the diamond at home.

Roger's sister, naturally enough, was quite of another opinion. "My diamond has been stolen," she said, and it has been stolen by someone in this house. I am absolutely confident of what I say. It will be found if we search long enough. Any reasonable ground for making such an assertion," asked her brother. He had drawn her side, thinking it well to question her. He knew his sister's character well enough. He knew how determined she was when she had once made up her mind. He held this over until after the wedding to-morrow," he said, rather testily. "I know how much you prize that particular jewel, Erine, and of course it is a remarkably valuable stone; but all the same, there is just a chance that you may be mistaken, and to bring this trouble upon me and upon Vivienne's father on the evening before my marriage is really a bit too hard."

Roger Belmont was never very patient with his sister. She had a way of irritating him, and he did not wholly approve of the manner of her. Erine, and of course it is a remarkably valuable stone; but all the same, there is just a chance that you may be mistaken, and to bring this trouble upon me and upon Vivienne's father on the evening before my marriage is really a bit too hard."

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Erine had not the best of reputations. Oh, I don't want to offend you," she went on more quickly, as he made an impatient gesture with his hand, "but you are perfectly aware of the fact yourself. Of course, I am very fond of Vivienne, and do not associate her in the least with her surroundings. In fact, I think it is very kind of you to take her away from them."

The discussion threatened to become acrimonious, when Roger changed the subject. "My dear Erine," he said, "if there has really been a robbery there is only one person in the house of whom I am in doubt. The servants have all been interrogated and searched. I think we can put them out of the question."

"Whom do you mean?" She shot a quick glance at her brother. "What you know," he asked, "of Mr. Spencer Stern? I happened to notice that you were talking to him rather earnestly before dinner. Surely he is no friend of yours, is he?"

Lady Erine flushed—there was no doubt about the fact. "I know the man slightly," she hesitated. "I have met him in London. I had no idea that he was a friend of Colonel Strangeway's or that he should meet him here. Was there anything wrong in my talking to him?" Her tone was slightly defiant, yet Roger could not fail to recognize that she was troubled by his question.

"I don't like the man," he said, simply. "I am sorry that he should be an acquaintance of yours, Erine. You understand I am making no accusation against him in regard to this matter. I am aware that he submitted to be searched without any hesitation. Nevertheless, he is not the sort of person that I care to meet, and if I can manage it—though of course, nothing can be done tonight—I shall see that he is requested to leave the house tomorrow."

Lady Erine had recovered something of her equanimity. "You may act as you think fit," she said. "It is nothing to do with me. But I warn you, from what I know of him that Spencer Stern is a dangerous man to have as an enemy. I think, Roger, you would be well to guard with him. As for my being in any way concerned in the loss of the diamond, I should not suspect him for a moment."

"It is rather queer," remarked Roger, "that he was down stairs in the smoking-room writing letters immediately after dinner. He was the only one of the party who did not follow the other men up to the drawing-room. He was still busy with his correspondence when I went into the smoking-room and told him what had happened. Said he had important letters to get off by the first post and these had kept him here. No, no, he raised no objection to being searched, and he seemed concerned about your loss." Roger shook his head. "At the same time, I have very strong reasons for distrusting the man."

"My dear Erine," she herself laid lazily in the low easy-chair. Her attitudes were always graceful, and to the ordinary observer they appeared very natural. "What is your reason for distrusting Spencer Stern?" she asked, with some curiosity.

Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



DRESSY TOILET FOR MANY OCCASIONS.

There is no garment in the bridal trousseau which serves so many purposes as the dressy two or three-piece costume of silk crepe de chine, handwoven or any one of the soft weaves suitable for dressy street wear. This costume may be a princess built in one piece and accompanied by a jaunty jacket of the dress material, making it possible as a street frock for afternoon wear, or it may be fashioned in two pieces, the bodice and skirt separate, and with or without the jacket. Of course, when the jacket accompanies a suit of this type it does away with the necessity of a dressy afternoon street frock of the tailored type. In this black-and-white checked silk, over-bared with a fine hair line of baby blue, there are some splendid trimming suggestions. Though the dress is made of white chiffon cloth, trimmed with fine lace, the wide lace flouncing forming the yoke depending beneath the bodice and motif trimmings outlining the square neck, the front panel and the skirt, are of the black-and-white pull braid, on which are moderate in size, are of the chiffon shirred on fine featherbone cords on the inside and top of the arm, and finished with a cuff of the silk and braid trimmed with the narrower braid and buttons.

But I don't know what sort of party we shall be at the wedding tomorrow," he laughed, rather bitterly, considering we are all suspicious of each other and so one certain of what is to happen next. If anything else had been stolen, any of the wedding presents, for instance, it would have been evident that there was a thief in the house, but as it is—He shrugged his shoulders, and puffed out angry volleys of smoke from his cigar. "While the two men were talking together, she door of the smoking-room opened and Spencer Stern appeared. He carried a small letter packet, and he was smoking a long cigar. It was one of his peculiarities to smoke long cigars, as if he were to assume an American accent which he spoke."

"Any news of the missing diamond?" he asked, as he leisurely approached the fire-place. "Infernal nuisance, of course, but it seems to me we are making too much fuss about it. By the bye, Mr. Stern, where did you say the letter-box was? Oh, yes, I remember, thank you. He walked slowly across the hall and dropped his letter into the box. "I suppose that will be cleared tomorrow morning," he drawled. "It's rather important, and I want to get it off my mind. I am sure that he had received no answer from Roger. It was Jack who had indicated to him the position of the letter-box. But there was a slight smile on his face, and he pulled meditatively at his long moustache as he returned, without further remark, to the smoking-room."

Jack laughed as the door closed behind him. "You don't like that fellow, Roger, do you?" "I should," was the energetic answer. "But it is impossible to do so under the present circumstances. For all one knows, I might be giving him an excuse for making his escape with Erine's Blue Diamond."

Jack had no time to reply for at that moment he caught sight of Col. Strangeway. He threw his cigar hastily into the fire, and went to join them. He was followed more leisurely by Roger. All four entered the drawing-room together. Lady Erine rose, when they appeared. There were some three or four guests in the drawing-room with her, and she had just been engaged in conversation with her maid, who had just returned from the bathroom, and her quick eye took in the bag which Colonel Strangeway was carrying.

"Well, Colonel," she asked, "have you anything to report? I have just been talking to Emily, my maid, and she is absolutely certain that the diamond was in its case before dinner. So, you see, it must be in the house." "We've searched high and low," replied the Colonel, irritably, "and as far as I can make out, everybody has cleared himself of the impudently. I do not see what more can be done. Lady Wavenhurst, nobody will leave the house to-night, and you are at liberty to call in the police tomorrow, if you please, sharply at Patience, and her quick eye took in the bag which Colonel Strangeway was carrying."

OBITUARY Mrs. Sarah Bissett Mrs. Sarah Bissett, wife of Capt. Geo. W. J. Bissett, commander of the Dominion Cavalry, died at her home in Carleton Place yesterday afternoon after a long illness which had extended over a long time. Besides her husband, she was survived by one daughter, Leah, and two sons, Hedley and Edgar, and to them the sympathy of many friends will be offered in their bereavement.

James Bishop Hopewell Hill, May 20.—James Bishop, an old and respected citizen, passed away at his home here today, aged 83 years. He was born in Carleton Place, Ontario, and resided for a number of years at Baywater and Milkish Island, and will be well remembered. He is survived by three brothers—Matthew and James, of this city, and Simon of San Francisco. The funeral will be from the Home this afternoon to Cedar Hill cemetery.

OPERA HOUSE FOR MONCTON Moncton, May 21.—Some \$20,000 has already been subscribed by Moncton business men toward the new Opera House project, and W. S. Harkins, the well-known theatrical man, is also interested in the venture. Several sites are under consideration, and a meeting of the stockholders is to be held shortly.

T. U. Hay returned to the city last evening on the Boston train.

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C. M. B. A. ANNIVERSARY

The seventeenth anniversary of the C. M. B. A., was celebrated last night in the York assembly rooms by a supper and dance, and a very enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

More than 100 couples were on the floor, and the list of dances was gone through with much zest. The O'Hara orchestra furnished music. C. P. O'Neill was a capable floor director, with Louis McDonald and W. J. Magee assistants.

The hall room, reception and supper-rooms were most attractively decorated. The Frank White Company, Ltd., were the caterers for the supper. The list of dances included: Five waltzes, four two-steps, three quadrilles, two lancers, and one military. Besides these there were a number of supper extraneous. The ballroom, reception and supper-rooms were most attractively decorated.

AMERICANS CAN REMAIL PUBLICATION IN THE DOMINION

Ottawa, May 21.—In reference to the statement contained in the Associated Press despatch from Washington that the postmaster general of Canada had notified the postmaster general of the United States that it would be impossible for the Canadian post office department to handle second class matter sent into this country from the United States by express or freight, and remailed here, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux said: "I might state that no such prohibition has been made. The United States has the same privilege of remailing today in Canada, under the present convention, as it had under the old one, with the exception that instead of the rate being one cent per pound, it is one cent per four ounces or four cents per pound."

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Because they contain acids, but Putnam's Corn Extractor is entirely vegetable in composition. It is perfectly painless, safe, and sure to cure.

Ordinary Corn Cures

The quarterly meeting of the St. John County W. C. T. U. will be held in the Methodist church, Fairville, tomorrow. A public meeting will be held at 8 p. m. in the same church.

W. C. Cross returned to the city last night.

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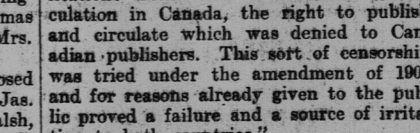
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THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B. WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 1907.

2 MORE DAYS OF HARVEY'S BARGAINS! BUY TOMORROW FOR THE HOLIDAY! New Summer Clothing, Fresh Furnishings!

We Have Had a Very Busy Four Days, busy, far beyond our happiest hopes, and now we are going to wind up this week of most unusual bargains with another slash at prices.

Every Price Cut to the Very Lowest Figure.

NO OLD GOODS! NO MISREPRESENTATION! NO COME BACK!

OUR 4 STORES

Table with columns for Men's Suits, Raincoats & Spring Top Coats, Boys' Suits, Boys' Three-Piece Suits, Boys' Sailor Suits, Extra Pants for Men, Boys' Short Pants, Men's Extra Vests, Men's Furnishings, and Boys' Hosiery. Includes prices and descriptions for various clothing items.

J. N. HARVEY, personally, stands back of every sale. Money returned if goods are not up to expectations.

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OPERA HOUSE BLOCK, J. N. HARVEY, UNION STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.

FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

MONDAY'S BREAK IN STOCK MARKET Suffered More From Lack of Support Than From Aggressive Selling.

Not since the March panic has the stock market shown greater weakness than was exhibited yesterday morning and again before the close. A number of stocks were carried below the March 14th level, and the whole list, with the notable exception of Consolidated Gas, sustained net losses ranging up 4 1/2 points, the last in Union Pacific.

ures therefor, but not a very long memory is required to recall various periods in the past when the stock market, on the surface, appeared to have been thoroughly sold out, but only some fresh advance development was required to dislodge holdings all along the line, resulting in a pronounced slump in values.

N. Y. STOCK MARKET

Table with columns for Yesterday's Closing, Today's Opening, and Noon. Lists various stocks and their prices.

Table with columns for July Corn, July Wheat, and Sept. Wheat. Lists prices for various commodities.

COMMENT ON WALL STREET

NEW YORK, May 21—Did the calm of last week's Wall Street into a false conception of the real position of the market? Was it wrong to deduce that, because dullness prevailed and stocks were not pressed for sale, the market was greatly overvalued? One large house takes this view: "The comment has often been heard of late that no stocks are pressing for sale, and that the market has been liquidated about to a standstill. This deduction is arrived at by a specious method of reasoning. It goes without saying that the present holders of securities are not going to sell at these prices, if they see any chance of securing better fig-

AN IDEAL SPEECH

"That speech of yours was very carefully prepared," said one statesman. "Yes," answered the other; "I took great pains with it. I don't think I said anything that I won't be able to retract at any time without embarrassment."

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 68.

The May Queen will leave Indiantown at 8 a. m., returning at 8 p. m., and calling at Brown's Flat both ways. Tickets 50c, children 25c.

WANTED—Young girl for a fortnight to assist in very light housework. Apply to Box 62, City.

The Elaine will run an excursion to Gagetown on Victoria Day. Leaving Indiantown at 8.30 a. m., returning about 9 p. m. The Carleton Cornet Band will be in attendance.

LABORERS WANTED. Attention is directed to the notice in our advertising column calling for laborers to work on the excavations of Mr. E. A. Tuck's new house at Mr. Pleasant, Mr. Menzies, who has charge of the work, may be found at his home 39 Peters street after six o'clock each evening.

Tonight's half-page advertisement of J. N. Harvey, the Union street men's and boys' outfitter, tells what preparations have been made for the last two days of the Great Trade Extension sale. Prices have again been cut, making them the very lowest ever asked in St. John for undeniably new goods.

From expressions heard on all sides, the success of the Portland Y. M. A. excursion to Belleisle on May 24th, is assured. The steamer Champlain will leave her wharf at 8.30 and on return will arrive about 9 p. m., any one who has not had the pleasure of a sail on this beautiful stream should avail themselves of this opportunity, as the tickets have been placed at the low figure of 50 cents for the round trip.

A VIGOROUS SALE. The keenest interest has been aroused among St. John ladies by the announcement of the very early-in-the-season price-cutting sale of ladies' made, and children's new spring coats now in full swing at Dowling Bros. The surprising bargains are drawing bigger crowds every day and now and very pretty garments are rapidly making their appearance on the streets.

ANOTHER POSITION. Miss Margaret Bolton, of Peters street, has been selected by the Employment Bureau of the Currier Business University to fill the position of stenographer for The National Drug and Chemical Company.

EXMOUTH ST. Y. M. A. EXCURSION. Hampstead and Wickham highway harvests are now dry, so that the Exmouth Street Y. M. A. excursion party will be able to land without the aid of small boats.

It's hard for a girl to take as much interest in your love making if she suspects you mean it.

THE WORLD OF SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC. Liverpool, May 20—Said star Ionian, for Glasgow, May 20—Said star Mongolian, for Glasgow, May 21—Said star Corinthian, for Montreal, May 21—Said star Albana, Trinidad, May 19—Said star Albana, Trinidad, from Newport News and Norfolk; Narragansett, from New York.

VESSLS BOUND FOR ST. JOHN. Steamers. Arrived Yesterday. Schr. George E. S. Wilson, for Rockport, May 21; Schr. Little Annie, Poland; Schr. Happy Home, Plimner, back; Schr. Three Sisters, (Am) 25, Price, for Washington, (D. C.) J. H. Scammell & Co. ballast.

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RECENT CHARTERS. Norwegian, Stmr. Alf, 120 tons from Philadelphia to Montreal, coal \$2.50. Schr. Bowers, 274 tons from Philadelphia to Campbellton, N. B. coal, private terms. Schooner Marmora, 454 tons from Nova Scotia to N. B. Cuba, lumber, \$4.

REPORTS, DISASTERS, &c. St. John's, N.B., May 19—Said steamer Deerpound, Br. 28 tons from Pictou for Quebec port into port on Basque this afternoon, short of coal. She has been purchased by the government as a tender to steamers calling at Rimouski.

NEW BRUNSWICK. Pt. Esquimaux—Herring plenty, lobsters fair. Shippagan—Lobsters plenty, herring fair.

QUEBEC. Paspheac—Herring plenty. Port Daniel—Herring and lobsters fair. Gascons and Newport. Point—Herring plenty, lobsters scarce. Grand Pabos—Herring plenty, lobsters fair.

BAIT. Bait obtainable at Queensport, Half Island Cove, Half Way Cove, Bras d'Or Lake, Newport, Point, Georgetown, St.

DEATHS. STIRLING—At Carpenter's, Queens Co. on 18th, Adelaide, wife of Jas. Stirling, in the 64th year of her age.

VESSLS IN PORT

Yarmouth—Alewives, halibut, lobsters, salmon and trout fair. No mackerel in traps. Lockport—Cod and lobsters fair. Liverpool—Salmon very plenty alewives and lobsters fair. Three American mackerels in port. Lunenburg—Lobsters fair. Musquodoboit—Lobsters plenty. Salmon River—Lobsters and trout fair. Isaac's Harbor—Lobsters fair, cod and herring scarce. Canso—Lobsters fair, cod scarce. Three thousand haddock in trap at White Point. Queensport—Lobsters fair, cod, haddock and herring scarce. Port Malcolme—Herring and lobsters fair. West Arichat—Lobsters fair, herring scarce. Arichat—Cod plenty, haddock, herring and lobsters fair. Petit de Grat—Lobsters fair. Deschamps—Lobsters fair. St. Peter's—Lobsters plenty, haddock scarce. Port Hood—Herring and lobsters fair. Hawkesburg—Lobsters fair.

MR. CUSHING WANTS MORE SALARY NOW Understood He Has Written Another Letter to the Council Which Will Probably Meet the Same Fate as the First.

It is understood that Director Cushing has written another letter to the council and it is believed that it contains a request for an increase in salary. The communication was handed to the common clerk yesterday afternoon and will be read at the next council meeting. Judging from the remarks of some of the aldermen the application is not likely to meet with favorable consideration. Several of the city fathers say they are getting tired of this kind of work and it is quite probable that the director will be told to go ahead with his work at his present salary or get out.

MONTREAL STOCKS. MONTREAL, May 22—(Special)—The stock market was again weak today and in some instances prices were lower. Detroit was the most active in the selling movement at 67. Other features were Mackay Pld., 67 1/2; Richelieu, 73 1/2; Twin City, 89 1/2 to 1-4; Illinois Pld., 85 1/2; Nova Scotia Steel, 70; Lake of Woods Milling, 78 1/2.

WALL STREET. NEW YORK, May 22—The tone of the opening stock market was very irregular. There were sharp recoveries in some stocks from yesterday's acute depression and in others there were considerable further declines. Southern Pacific, Brooklyn Transit and National Lead fell a point and American Car 5-8. North American gained 1, and American Smelting Kansas and Texas and Ont. and Western large fractions. The market opened irregular.

FOUNDED INTO HIM. Mrs. Sparrow—I really don't know what to think of Willie; he's the dullest boy you can imagine. Prof. Owl—Have you tried to teach him anything yourself? Mrs. Sparrow—Indeed I have. Why time and time again I've taken him in the midst of the wireless messages, but he doesn't know even the first three letters of the Morse alphabet—Puck.

Wm. Downie, general superintendent of the C. P. R., went to Montreal last evening.

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IRISH AFFAIRS

Ireland has rejected the Irish Council Bill. On May 7 the Right Honorable Augustine Birrell, secretary for Ireland, introduced to the British parliament his long expected bill for the better government of the Irish people.

It can have an alliance with no English party that does not put home rule in the front of its platform.

A USEFUL JOURNAL

An illustration of the increased interest in Canada and the colonies is found in the front of the platform.

Mr. Birrell's hopes are dashed. The Irish Nationalist party in convention, led by Mr. Redmond, who it was thought regarded the bill with some favor, unanimously rejected the plan and demanded home rule.

In order to understand more clearly what has been rejected, we quote from an exchange the following summary of the salient features of the Irish Council Bill:

"By an administrative council is established, consisting of eighty-two elected and twenty-four nominated members, which is to be separate from and subordinate to the Imperial parliament."

"In regard to Canada, it is stated that railway laborers are in demand, but the demand for mechanics is not so urgent; and it is clearly pointed out that feeble-minded, diseased or pauper persons, or others likely to become a public charge are not permitted to land, and that false representation to induce persons to emigrate is punishable by fine or imprisonment."

"The new system of administration is to be financed, to start with, by a special grant of \$2,250,000 in addition to the existing sum of \$10,000,000 annually allotted by the Imperial parliament to provide for the department referred to. There is also a proviso that the British parliament is to fix the amount of the annual grant every five years, and additional sums will probably be voted to make the Irish grant up to \$30,000,000, if the new council can show they are necessary to their schemes of reform."

"The Imperial government, however, still retains control of several of the most important departments:—The supreme court of judicature, the Royal Irish Constabulary, the Dublin Metropolitan Police, the Land Commission and the Prison Board."

"The government is now confronted by a new and very perplexing situation. What will be its next step in relation to Ireland, and what will be the relation of the home rulers toward the government? This paper remarked when the bill was introduced, assuming, as the cables indicated, that it would have Mr. Redmond's support, but the utter repudiation of the measure by the Irish leader and all his followers changes the whole aspect of affairs. The Conservatives will be highly pleased with the turn affairs have taken. The government cannot pacify the Irish party as easily as it had expected to do."

"The presence of some Irish-Americans at the convention in Dublin, and their somewhat heated remarks, may be passed over as a mere breach of international good-manners. If they are American citizens their conduct should be repudiated by the United States government."

"The situation, as it presents itself to the British government, is well-stated by Mr. Redmond:—

"The Liberal party must drop the Roseberry idea and must come back to the standard of Gladstone. People talked of an alliance of the Irish party with the Liberals. The Irish party is independent."

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"It will be seen that the British Emigrant is careful as to its information. It contains advertisements from many persons in Alberta and Saskatchewan who want servants. If they all made such offers as one man in Moose Jaw who only offers \$10 per month and board for a farm hand the response will probably not be marked by an enthusiastic rush for the place. Another, however, offers \$15 per month for a girl for farm work, and another \$15 to \$25 per month with board, which certainly is not so very alluring as the prospect for such work in the eastern provinces. Ten to fifteen dollars a month for girls is no higher than is paid in St. John. Certainly these advertisements will not convey any false impressions regarding high wages in Canada."

"The British Emigrant should prove a useful publication. It does not overstate the case. It urges its readers to 'think imperially,' and quotes for English readers the line:—

"What do they know of England, Who only England know?"

"The longshoremen of Montreal have returned to work. They get a slight increase in wages, but the union is not recognized. They now favor a board of conciliation, but it is the other party's turn to object."

"The question of reorganization of the city fire department is not new. It has been considered many times, and the question of expense stood in the way. Perhaps public sentiment will now favor what was before rejected."

"A truant lad of ten who impudently interrupts the police magistrate has already gone far on the wrong road. The truant officer has an important task to perform, requiring diligence and patience."

REVOLUTION IS OVER

SAN SALVADOR, May 21.—The revolution in Honduras came to an end with the surrender of the port of Amapala, to the Nicaraguans by General Terencio Sierra, who previously had proclaimed himself president of the Honduran republic, and the departure of General Sierra from the scene of his revolutionary activities."

MARINE NOTES

Commencing Wednesday 22nd May, the steamship service between St. John and Digby will be daily all the year round, Sunday excepted. Times of departure from St. John and Digby will remain as at present.

Sgt. Wm. Mitchell, from St. John N. B. for New York before reported ashore on Glasgow Island will be a total wreck. Most of his cargo of 370,000 feet of lumber will be saved."

The Dominion Atlantic Railway Company has decided to open a permanent office in New York early in June, and Kenneth L. Chipman, for some time chief clerk in the company's office in Halifax, has been selected as manager of the new branch. Mr. Chipman is a native of Kings county, N. S., Halifax Chronicle.

Thos. Todd, Philadelphia; Alfred Halfpenny, New York; John Clements, Bangor; Joseph Garney, Berwick, are at the New Victoria Hotel.

STONES OPEN TILL 5 P. M. ST. JOHN, N. B., MAY 22, 1907.

READ HARVEY'S BIG AD. ON PAGE 3.

More attractive prices in holiday toggery for men and boys. Big trade extension sale closes Saturday. Don't wait till you're too late.

J. N. HARVEY, Tailoring and Clothing. Opera House Block.

YACHTING

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

We have a nice, snappy Men's White Yachting Bals, line of with White Rubber Soles, at \$1.75

Men's White Yachting Oxfords, with White Rubber Soles at \$1.50

That we would like to show you. STYLES NOW IN OUR WINDOW



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by the glass, gallon or barrel, delivered to your address for ten cents per gallon, in perfectly clean vessels. CREAM, CREAMERY BUTTER, of the choicest quality, at the ST. JOHN CREAMERY, 92 King St.

Call in and see our place and the way we do things. Special attention given to cleanliness in handling our goods. PHONE 1432.



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5 Square Pianos Standard Makes

At \$50.00 and \$75.00

Just the Piano for the Country.

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31 and 33 KING STREET. Next M. R. A.

HOUSE CLEANING!

We sell HOUSEHOLD AMMONIA, BABBITT'S POTASH, BON AMI, SAPOLIO, SPONGES, Etc., Etc.

WHITE CASTILE SOAP, just the thing for washing paints, 10c bar 3 for 25c.

R. HARRY ROBB, Prescription Druggist, 137 CHARLOTTE ST. Phone—Main 1330.

VICTORIA DAY!

Excursion to Belleisle and Return.

Under the Auspices of the PORTLAND METHODIST Y. M. C. A. Steamer Champlain leaves wharf at 8.30, making stops both ways at Leasky's, Public Landing, Brown's Flats, Glenwood, Oak Point, Nutter's and Merritt's. Excursion will return to the City about 9 p. m.

Tickets for Round Trip Only 50c. DO NOT MISS THIS FOR A GOOD DAY'S OUTING.

Children's White Lawn Dresses, 55c and 75c each

Children's White Pinafores, 30c each

Ladies' White Aprons, from 25c up

A. B. WETMORE, Dainty Neck Rufflings, 59 Garden St.

THE OLD SUN DIAL

This old mansion well I knew When bright flowers around it grew. Knew the simple dwellers there, Who kept the little garden fair. Now my grave that garden meets, Labyrinth of neglect'd sweets.

Still the bright trees rustle round, Still the flowers clothe the ground; But uncar'd for all, and wild, Which to order's beauty smiled; Gone the hands that tend'd them, Pluck'd the blossom, tied the stem.

By this notice, I am told The place is to be let or sold; But the notice has been here; Stand thus for many a year; Tenant nor buyer comes this way, And all is sinking to decay.

Yet visitants, indeed, to me In this lone spot there seem to be. Again familiar tones I hear; The very forms almost appear; So vividly works fancy's power, Renewing all in this sad hour.

The ancient sun-dial, standing there, Does still its quaint inscription bear; Which I once so lov'd to trace; Upon its time-recording face: Firm'er knit each faithful soul.

Vain, all vain, old sun-dial, thou! Don't tell a dirge to me; And the marking still acrib! The legend should be 'Time must bring An ending to each happy life.'—H. H. Shubburg, in Country Life (London)

IN LIGHTER VEIN COULDN'T BELIEVE IT.

Mrs. Gasser—I was outspoken in my sentiments at the club this afternoon. Mr. Gasser—I can't believe it! Who out-spoke you, my dear?—Puck

WE ALL SYMPATHISE. Miss Skreecher—What sort of songs do you like best, Mr. Suphrer? Mr. Suphrer—The songs of the seventeenth century. Miss Skreecher—How odd! Why do you prefer them? Mr. Suphrer—Because nobody ever sings 'em nowadays.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

SARCASTIC "Are there ever any really sure things at the race track?" asked the curious woman. "Yes," answered young Mrs. Torkins. "My husband is one of them."—Washington Star.

A CORRECTION. The Ontario—I believe that the great body of American people are gentlemen. Voice from the Rear—You're wrong. The last census shows that over half of them are ladies.—Troy Budget.

A MARRIAGE OF LOVE. When a woman chooses a man with a bald head, pair of bowlegs and a Saturday night pay check of \$10, you can't accuse her of marrying for anything but pure, unadulterated, unconditioned, unquestioned and undying love. Lemar, Mo., Democrat.

APPENDICITIS. Wife—Now that Dr. Parker has married that millionaire, do you suppose he'll cut us? Husband—Yes; but he'll charge more for doing it.—Judge.

THEATRES THE ETERNAL CITY

There was a large attendance at the Opera House last night, when Kirk Brown's company presented the Eternal City. The piece was splendidly staged and the various members of the company acquitted themselves creditably. That the production was greatly enjoyed was evidenced by the hearty applause.

This afternoon at the matinee the popular success, Under the Red Robe, is being played and tonight the English play of Madame Sarah Bernhardt's Camille will be put on and it is safe to say that it will be greeted by a bumper house.

A NIGHT OFF

"A Night Off" will be the opening attraction of the Lyceum Stock Company during their week's return engagement at the Opera House commencing next Monday night. Mr. Jelenko who appears in the leading comedy role of Marcus Brutus Snap has made an artistic success of the part and many will no doubt remember the hit he made when he was a member of the W. R. Daily Stock Company several seasons ago. The role of the broken-down tragedian affords the popular actor wide scope to display his versatile talents and he will have fine support by the entire cast. "A Night Off" will be given on Monday, Tuesday and Saturday nights. On Tuesday afternoon a special benefit matinee performance will be given. The proceeds will be devoted to Miss Grace Goodall who has been seriously ill at the local hospital. At the regular Wednesday matinee, "Thelma" will be revived. A large number who witnessed the performance of Marie Corelli's famous play, have requested a revival, and it will be elaborately staged. On Wednesday evening the Lyceum Company will present a new play "Sherlock Holmes" in the "Sign of the Four." "The Sign of the Four" is conceded to be the best of the detective stories and is a thrilling drama. It will be given Wednesday night and Saturday matinee. At the Wednesday matinee, souvenir group photos will be presented to the ladies attending, and the final reception will be held on Saturday afternoon. The sale for the return engagement is now open at the Opera House box office.

The work of tearing down the old No. 1 Salvation Army barracks in Charlotte street was commenced yesterday. Ensign Freeman, who came here from Toronto a year ago and who has the oversight of the army property in the maritime provinces, is in charge. The ensign will also have charge of the carpenter work on the new building, hiring the men by the day. Others who have contracts on the new building are J. H. Burrell, masonry and plastering, and W. A. Steiper, plumbing and iron work.

The United States schooner Three Sisters, Captain Price, cleared yesterday for Louisa, with more than 1,500,000 of spruce logs, shipped by J. H. Seaman & Co.

Norwegian steamer Sticketstad, Captain Aasen, sailed yesterday afternoon for Louisa (C. B.) The steamer will return here with another cargo of coal in the near future.

Fireworks for 24th

Fire Crackers—72 for 1c; 14 for 1c; 20 for 1c. Cannon Crackers, 2 for 1c; Box Torpedoes, 1c; Sky Rockets, 1c; 2c; 3c; 4c; 5c; 6c; 7c; 8c; 9c; 10c; 11c; 12c; 13c; 14c; 15c; 16c; 17c; 18c; 19c; 20c; 21c; 22c; 23c; 24c; 25c; 26c; 27c; 28c; 29c; 30c; 31c; 32c; 33c; 34c; 35c; 36c; 37c; 38c; 39c; 40c; 41c; 42c; 43c; 44c; 45c; 46c; 47c; 48c; 49c; 50c; 51c; 52c; 53c; 54c; 55c; 56c; 57c; 58c; 59c; 60c; 61c; 62c; 63c; 64c; 65c; 66c; 67c; 68c; 69c; 70c; 71c; 72c; 73c; 74c; 75c; 76c; 77c; 78c; 79c; 80c; 81c; 82c; 83c; 84c; 85c; 86c; 87c; 88c; 89c; 90c; 91c; 92c; 93c; 94c; 95c; 96c; 97c; 98c; 99c; 100c.

ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE

25 Charlotte street. Telephone, 1762.

ANNUAL Carpet Sale. Our Annual Carpet Sale commences tomorrow morning. Big reductions in all kinds of English Velvets, Brussels and Tapestry Carpets. DO YOUR SHOPPING EARLY. AMLAND BROS. Ltd., Furniture and Carpet Dealers, 19 WATERLOO STREET

The World's Palate Prefers Dewar's Whisky. Biggest Sale, Because the Best.

Francis & Vaughan, 19 KING STREET. Shoe value must not be confused with price. Shoe value means quality, workmanship, durability, fit, shape, design and general satisfaction. A shoe falling short in any one of these qualifications is expensive at any price, for it does not possess actual everyday wearing value. Those who consider real economy rather than cheapness—real value rather than price, buy THE W. L. DOUGLAS SHOE.

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FRESH STRAWBERRIES, Spinach, New Cab- bage, Beet Greens, Rhubarb, Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Sweet Potatoes, Celery, Lettuce, Raddish, Parsley. Pure Maple Syrup. J. E. QUINN, City Market, Telephone 636.

White Clover Bread Clean from Baker to Eater Because wrapped just after leaving oven. All Handling on Wrapper. Fresh Pork Lamb and Veal Hams and Bacon Lettuce and Radish Cooked Hams JOHN HOPKINS. 1907 133-Phone-133 1867 1907 186 Union St. 1867

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Outing Hats for Victoria Day

In Linen, Low Priced Felts and Knockabouts. Prices 50c. 75c. \$1.00 and \$1.25.

F. S. THOMAS, Dufferin Block, 539 Main Street, N. E.

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146-148 Charlotte St., (Cor. Duke)

sell new and used Furniture, Stoves, Carpets and General House Furnishings Goods.

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TRADE WITH THE BAHAMAS

Now Do Business Mainly With United States, But Would Prefer Dealing With Canada

(Montreal Gazette.) Possibilities of trade with the Bahamas yesterday received the attention of the council of the board of trade, S. O. Shorey, on the invitation of that body, being present at the meeting and giving particulars concerning such possibilities.

Some of the traders, he continued, are more or less in the hands of the commission men, but there are plenty of others who can pay as they go, and they are only waiting the advent of representatives from Canada to place their orders.

Imports into Nassau and the other Bahama Islands in 1905, as per blue book, and also a list of exports for that period, showing that the former amounted to \$208,544, or about \$1,500,000, in value, and the latter to \$204,900 or about \$1,000,000.

ST. JOHN SHOULD BENEFIT BY E. H. HARRIMAN'S MERGER (Continued from page one.)

Maine. If the New Haven or Mr. Harriman had the New Brunswick Southern, it or he would have a straight through rail connection with St. John, with its splendid harbor and its possibility of development into the greatest harbor on the coast.

With a through road from St. John to New York the American railroad kings would be in a position to see the game of the Canadian Pacific and go it one better, for with a fast line of steamers having for its eastern terminus St. John, and for New York, the South and West, the time from Europe to New York and the South and West would be cut many hours.

CANADIAN SEEKS SAME GOAL. The New Haven road interests were in a quiet way negotiating for the control of the New Brunswick Southern when they learned that the Canadian Pacific was doing the same thing.

AFTER THE DOMINION LINE. The New Haven people immediately opened negotiations for the purchase of the Dominion Atlantic Railway, which runs from Yarmouth in Nova Scotia to Digby in the same province, and then across to Windsor, a few miles outside of Halifax, where it connects with the International, having the right of way into Halifax. Except for maritime business in connection with the Henry M. Whitney interests, the New Haven has no use, just at present, for the Dominion Atlantic, but it would be as good a club as the Ontario and Western has been. The O. and W. is reported to have been sold to the New York, New Haven and Hartford, and by the big interests back of President Mellan was and is an absolute necessity to Harriman's conquest from the Atlantic to New York and Albany.

POLICY ONE OF COMPLETE MERGER. NEW HAVEN, May 19.—In connection with the future control of the Boston and Maine system by the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, a high railroad authority here points out the fact that since President Mellan became the head of the latter corporation, four years ago, there have been between forty and fifty consolidations of various kinds in the system, including steam lines and trolley lines in this state and in Massachusetts.

J. H. CROCKET OUT ON BAIL

Editor of Gleaner Arrested Yesterday at Instance of Hon. H. R. Emmerson.

Frederickton, N. B., May 21.—Jas. H. Crockett, managing director of the Frederickton Gleaner was arrested this afternoon on a warrant issued by Police Magistrate Marsh at the instance of Hon. Henry R. Emmerson, charging him with defamatory libel.

The warrant was served by Police Sergeant Phillips, in the police magistrate's office and the accused was immediately admitted to bail in the sum of \$800 being held in his own recognizance for \$400 and land sureties of \$200 each.

Proceedings have been taken under sections 333 and 334, chapter 146 of revised statutes of Canada. Section 333 sets forth that any person who publishes a defamatory article, knowing it to be false, is liable on conviction to a fine of \$400 or two years imprisonment or both.

W. F. LUXTON DEAD. Founder of Manitoba Free Press Died in Winnipeg Yesterday.

Winnipeg, May 21.—The founder of the Manitoba Free Press, W. F. Luxton, passed away last evening from paralytic stroke. Mr. Luxton, who has latterly been in the city of Winnipeg, had been in the city since 1870 as correspondent of the Toronto Globe, having previously been editor of the Expositor in Seaford (Ont.).

ANOTHER WONDER

U. S. Submarine Boat Lake Figures in Successful Tests in Narragansett Bay.

NEWPORT, R. I., May 21.—The submarine boat Lake was given her submergence speed trial in Narragansett Bay today, and subsequently was put through several other manoeuvring tests.

A Windsor Lady's Appeal. To All Women: I will send free full instructions, my home treatment which positively cures Leucorrhoea, Ulceration, Displacements, Falling of the Womb, Painful or Irregular Periods, Uterine and Ovarian Tumors, or growths, also Hot Flashes, Nervousness, Melancholy, Pains in the Head, Back, or Bowels, Kidney and Bladder Troubles, where caused by weakness peculiar to our sex.

Muscular Rheumatism is only one of the common ailments it is possible to eradicate with Dr. Scott's White Liniment Sold Everywhere.

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IN THE COURTS. Judgment Given in Three Important Cases Yesterday Afternoon - - - Circuit and Probate Courts.

In the equity court yesterday afternoon judgment was given in three important cases. In the matter of Tooke Bros. vs. Brook & Paterson a decree was made in the plaintiff's favor and both bills of sale were set aside.

\$1,000.00 Can't Buy More. You can search the world over, and for an even thousand dollars not find a remedy that destroys as many pains or aches as a 25c bottle of Nervine. Stronger by five times than ordinary liniments and more penetrating, it soothes away inflammation and destroys pain instantly.

CITY CORNET BAND FAIR. There was another good attendance last night at the City Cornet Band festival in the St. Andrew's rink. The programme by the band was greatly enjoyed, and included the march, Golden Rod, and the waltz, Dreams.

A Delightful and varied programme had been prepared for this evening. It is as follows: Band overture, Northern Lights; vocal solo, Miss Della Gallagher; walking clog, Frank L. O'Hara; cornet solo, Mr. G. B. Sullivan; piano solo, D. J. Gallagher.

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WILL BE HEARD TODAY. Street Railway Application to Lay Rails on Pond Street to Come Before the Board of Works Sub Committee.

AT THE NICKEL. The crowds that are thronging to The Nickel, formerly Keith's, for the first three days of the present week attest to the popularity of the attractive bill of motion pictures and illustrated songs offered at that popular play house.

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VESSLES OUTFITS A. W. ADAMS, VESSELS' OUTFITS, Ship chandlery, ship and marine insurance broker...

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FOR SALE-THOROUGHbred SCOTCH colts dog, one year old. Address "COOLIE", Times Office, 408-10.

FOR SALE-RED BIRD SPECIAL BICYCLE work, first class condition, leaving city, \$12.50. Apply 36 Main street, 424-2.

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WANTED-MEN AND BOYS, APPLY TO McAVITY & SONS, Water street, or Vulcan Iron Works, Broad street, 624-2-2.

WANTED-APPLY J. A. TILTON, North West, 608-1.

WANTED-Carpenters and Laborers, Highest Wages paid. Steady Work. Apply Canadian White Co., New Royal Bank Building, King Street, 15-16-51.

WANTED-BRIGHT BOY FOR FIRE INSURANCE OFFICE, one with knowledge of typing preferred. Apply giving references to J. H. BURNLEY, 46 Prince street, 533-1.

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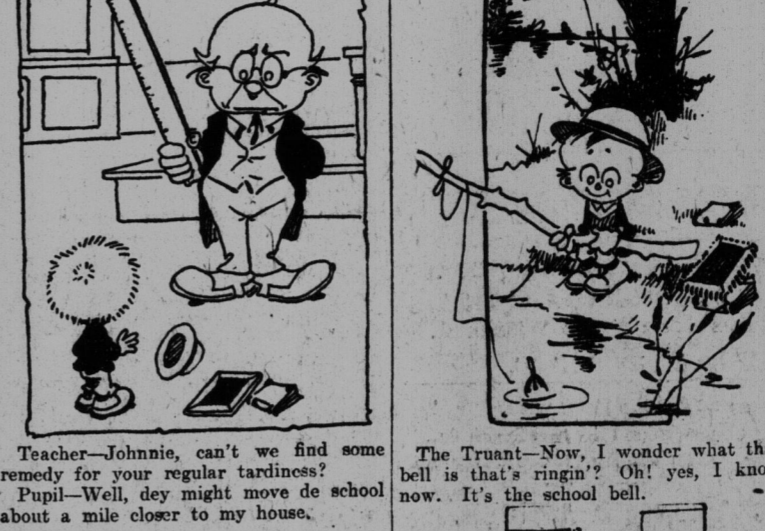
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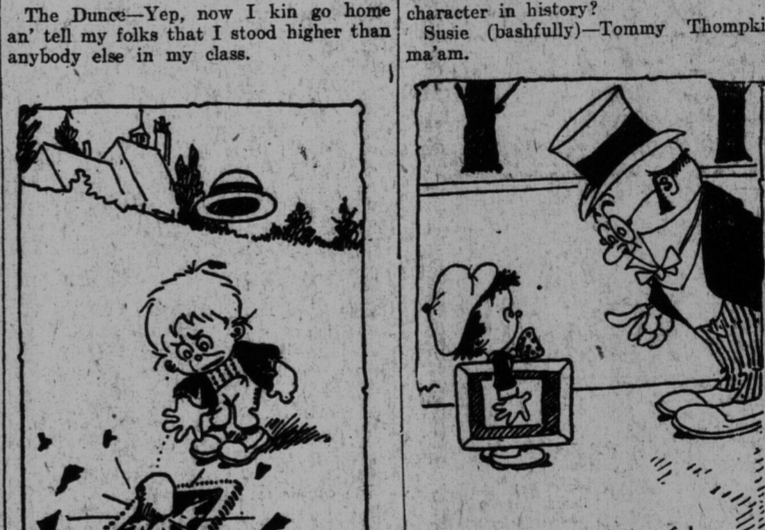
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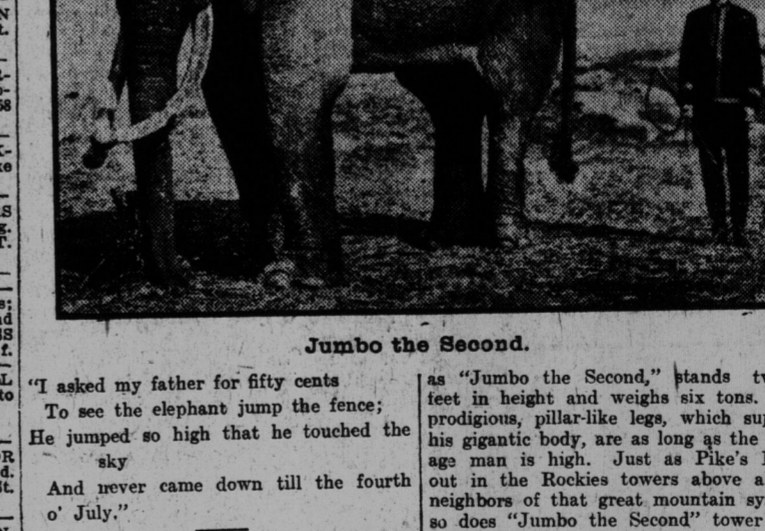
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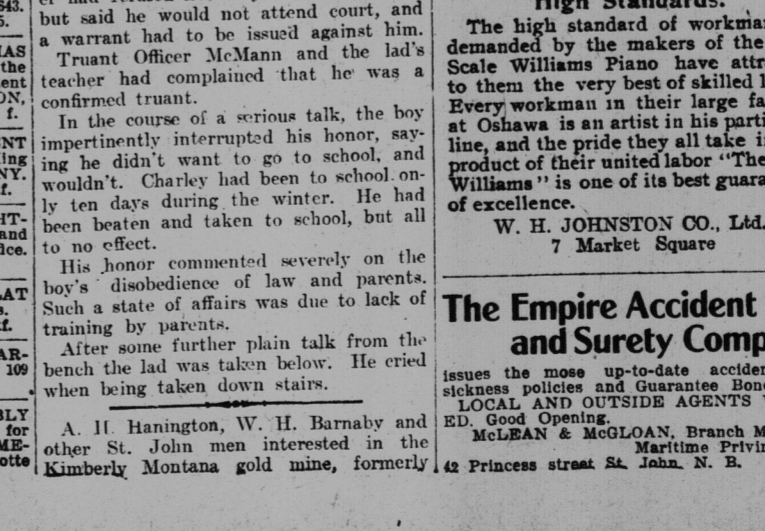
Teacher-Johnnie, can't we find some remedy for your regular tardiness? Pupil-Well, dey might move de school about a mile closer to my house.



The Dunc-Yes, now I kin go home an' tell my folks that I stood here nobody else in my class.



The Scholar-My folks is dead set on me gettin' a education, but, by gum, I'm goin, to make it cost 'em some!



History Teacher-Susie, who do you consider the bravest, noblest, grandest character in history? Susie (bashfully)-Tommy Thompson, ma'am.

AMUSEMENTS OPERA HOUSE POSITIVELY LAST WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY, MAY 20 MR. KIRK BROWN

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Jumbo the Second. I asked my father for fifty cents to see the elephant jump the fence. He jumped so high that he touched the sky.

TRUANT GOES TO JAIL The case of ten-year-old Charles Harrington, a north end lad, charged with truancy, came up in the police court yesterday afternoon and drew some plain talk from Judge Ritchie.

High Standards. The high standard of workmanship demanded by the makers of the New Scale Williams Piano have attracted to them the very best of skilled labor.

In the World of Sport.

BASE BALL
St. Rose's 9; F. M. A. 1.
The feature of the game on the Shamrock grounds last evening was the St. Rose's out...

ROLLER SKATING
Jack Olive the Winner.
Last night in the Queen's hall a large crowd saw the finish of the one and a half hour race started last Friday. The last half...

THE TURF
HORSE NEWS OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES
Down at Middleton, N. S. which is situated in the beautiful Annapolis valley of Nova Scotia and one of the growing towns in the productive apple belt, they are building a half mile track, and are looking...

WILD TIME AT NEW YORK GAME
New York, May 21.—The first game of the series between the New York and Chicago National League teams at the Polo grounds today ended almost in a riot.

Champion Amateur Long Distance and One Mile Roller Skater of Maritime Provinces.
hour made one of the best roller skates ever seen in this city and those who saw it say...

CRICKET
CRICKETERS COMING HERE.
The Boston Cricketers who will visit Nova Scotia during the month of July, are arranging games to take place in the following order: Boston to Cape Torrey, St. John, Fredericton and Moncton.

Table with columns: Team, W, L, P.C.
National League
At Brooklyn-Cincinnati, 2; Brooklyn, 5.
At Philadelphia-Pittsburgh, 2; Pittsburgh, 3.

Table with columns: Team, W, L, P.C.
American League Standing
Chicago, 12; Cleveland, 12; Detroit, 12; New York, 12; Philadelphia, 12; Washington, 12; Boston, 12; St. Louis, 12.

STOP THAT HEADACHE
Foolish to Suffer when a Simple Remedy will Prevent and Cure.
Ever stop to think what caused your headaches? Probably not. Then look to the bowels and stomach...

MONTREAL STRIKE OFF
Longshoremen's Strike Died Last Night and Men Went Back to Work.
Montreal, May 21.—The longshoremen's strike died peacefully at 7 p. m. tonight. At the hour for the night shift to go to the wharves, there was a stream of men to be seen making their way to the various sheds.

On the other hand the shipping federation state that it is too late for arbitration, they having made engagements with other men and their stand is that they permit the union to step in and ask for the reference of the other half to arbitration, and having refused this, the longshoremen, finding there is no difficulty in filling their places, are now willing to accept what they formerly refused.

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STANDARD OF THE WORLD

At Buffalo, N. Y. Jersey City, N. J. At Toronto-New York, 4; Baltimore, 4. At Montreal-Montreal-Providence, 1; Rochester-Newark, 1; Rochester, 1.

Pittsburg, May 21.—Five men were killed and four fatally injured tonight at the explosion of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company. The accident occurred at stack No. 1, and was directly due to a "slip" which immediately resulted in an explosion. Molten metal was thrown over the men, almost cremating them.

IRISH DELEGATES WANT HOME RULE OR NOTHING

Mr. Birrell's Irish Council Bill Unanimously Turned Down by Irish Convention Yesterday--Mr. Redmond's Resolution Carried Amid Great Cheers.

Dublin, May 21.—The largest, most representative and most harmonious convention which ever assembled in Ireland, today repudiated the plan for a limited Irish council, which was all the cabinet government had to offer in fulfillment of its campaign promises. This action killed the hope of a limited self-government by the present parliament, created a serious split in the government's ranks, and may have far-reaching results.

Weak Kidneys
Weak Kidneys, empty point to weak Kidneys. Weak Kidneys, empty point to weak Kidneys. Weak Kidneys, empty point to weak Kidneys.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

THE RAILWAY COMMISSION
Many Important Matters to Come Before the Commission in the Near Future.
Ottawa, May 21.—In addition to grappling with the important questions of telephone rates and express charges and the whole problem of western transportation, the railway commission has just now under consideration a vast number of subjects in which the general welfare of the Canadian people is involved.

CONFLICT

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TIMES DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE
May 22, 1910—Ninety-seven years ago today the Spanish scattered a troublesome tribe near San Francisco, Cal.

All Women

should assist Nature at those times when the system is upset, the nervous tone low and a feeling of depression or languor exists. An experience of over 50 years warrants the statement that no medicine gives such prompt relief as

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tariff on some articles had been reduced, it had been raised on others, making the net result about the same. Another schedule was then prepared by the commission. To this the railway companies objected, and General Manager Hays said that it meant an annual loss of \$1,000,000 a year to the company. The commission is investigating this protest to see if an amendment is necessary.

Some men expect you to do a favor for them as if they were doing it for you. One man a man likes to drink is the doctor who him his back-for his health.

The Flavor!

Isn't that the most sought for in the loaf of bread you buy? If it hasn't the flavor, what matters the good looks? But you find flavor, good looks, moistness—all that go to make the bite enjoyable, in the loaf of

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THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club meets as usual. The Kirk Brown Co. in "Camille," at the Opera House.

THE WEATHER

FORECASTS—Fresh to strong, northwest to west winds. Fair today and on Thursday, not much change in temperature.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT. Highest Temperature during last 24 hours 68. Lowest Temperature during last 24 hours 48.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

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

LATE LOCALS

The treasurer of the Y. M. C. A. building fund received today an unsolicited payment of \$100 from J. Sutton Clark, of St. George.

R. D. Coles received word this morning that the pure Bessemer Siam, owned by him, and which he sent to P. E. Island some time ago has foaled a fine colt.

West India steamer Olinda, Captain Bridges, sailed this morning at 6.30 o'clock for Halifax and Bermuda with a general cargo.

The United States schooner Harold B. Coates, Captain Williams, cleared today from Harvey, N. B., for Philadelphia with over two millions spruce laths, shipped by J. H. Scammell & Co., of this city.

British barkentine Enterprise, Captain Steeves, arrived at Mobile today from Havana to load pine for Santiago-de-Cuba. The bark on her recent trip from Mobile to Havana with hard pine made the passage in four days, which is remarkably quick time.

The Intercolonial and Prince Edward Island Railways Provident Fund voting contest for two members of the board began this morning. There are 10 nominees, two of them St. John, Peter St. John and Frederick Tapley. The former was leading here at noon today.

"Goodie" Humphrey, the 13-year-old boy who was shot in the leg Monday night, is doing well, and Dr. Gray has decided to allow the bullet to remain in the thigh. Wright and McFarlane, the two who were with Humphrey when the shooting occurred, had not been found up to one o'clock today.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

Extra Train Service To Suburban Points Friday, May 24th, 1907

On Friday, May 24th, the Canadian Pacific Railway will run extra trains between St. John and Welsford, as follows: Leave St. John 8.15 a. m., arrive at Welsford about 10.25 a. m. Returning leave Welsford 11.30 a. m., arrive St. John about 12.30 noon. Leave St. John again 1.15 p. m., arrive Welsford about 2.25 p. m. Returning, leave Welsford 7.00 p. m., arrive St. John about 8.15 p. m. These trains will stop at intermediate points both going and returning.

POLICE COURT

In the police court this morning Bernard Barry was fined \$8 or twenty days for drunkenness. Allan Estey, who, yesterday, was sent in for two months in default of payment of a \$20 fine for assault, was liberated, his fine having been paid.

PERSONALS

Dr. J. W. Bridges arrived in the city today. Principal I. E. Moore, of Rothesay College, arrived on the Atlantic today from Toronto. Miss Deinstadt, of Fairville, went to Sackville today to attend the Mt. Allison closing.

Mrs. Adelaide Stirling

The death of Mrs. Adelaide Stirling occurred at Carpenter's, Queens Co. on the 16th inst. Mrs. Stirling was twice married, her first husband was Coles H. Carpenter by whom she had eight children, all but one surviving her. The deceased was highly respected, and her death is keenly felt by all who knew her.

MORE MONEY FOR TEAMSTERS

BOSTON, Mass., May 21—The difference between the city of Boston and the contracting teamsters, which perform the municipal work, were settled tonight. Mayor Fitzgerald promised that after July 1, the city will pay \$6 per day for double teams and \$3.50 for single teams.

KUROKI IN BOSTON

BOSTON, Mass., May 21—General Kuroki, the Japanese military leader, who arrives in Boston tomorrow night, has decided to lengthen his Boston visit one day in order that he may attend the Empire Day dinner of the Victoria Club at the Exchange Club on Friday evening.

If a man that a girl is in love with asks a policeman where a street is she calls him strong and brave.

SMITH IS SENT UP FOR TRIAL

Man Charged With Stealing Oilskins Will go Before Judge Forbes on Tuesday.

Charles Smith, the young colored man, who on Monday, May 13, was arrested on suspicion of stealing a quantity of oilskin clothing and other articles, was today sent up for trial and must face Judge Forbes at the next sitting of the county court on Tuesday next.

Smith was again brought before Judge Ritchie this morning when the hearing of two more witnesses brought the preliminary examination to a close and the prisoner, as already stated, was sent up for trial. John Tyler swore that he lived in Union Alley. He had seen the prisoner twice, the last time on Sunday, the 12th inst. He had dinner with him on the schooner Elgin M. Mitchell. At that time Smith told witness he had three suits of oilskins and said one was his own, the other belonged to a sailor who had left his vessel, and the third he said was given him "by a kid." The prisoner had asked Tom (witness) companion if he wanted to buy a suit of oilclothes and was answered in the negative. Smith also exhibited a watch—"silver bound with gold"—which he said a girl in New York had given him. He would not sell it. Witness identified the watch in court.

Witness said the prisoner sold a pair of rubber boots to the second mate for sixty-five cents, and a pair of old shoes. In reply to a query from the prisoner, witness declared that he (Smith) referred to the oilskins as mentioned above. This the prisoner denied.

Tom Simach, an Indian, was also placed on the stand, but his evidence was unimportant. Sergt. Campbell was sworn and told of arresting Smith on the 13th inst. Smith told him at the time that he had purchased the stolen oilskins in Boston.

On searching the prisoner, he had found on him the watch shown in court.

GETTING READY FOR THE SPORTS

Victoria Grounds Will Be in Good Condition for Friday's Big Meeting.

The work of closing up the fence at the Victoria grounds has been completed, and the other work is being pushed as rapidly as possible, so that everything will be ready for the sports on the 24th.

The joint committee of the Every Day Club and the Amateur Baseball League will meet this evening at J. N. Harvey's store, at 8.30, to arrange the heats for the races, prepare the program, and report as to officials for the day, the prizes and other matters.

Competitions in the various events will be admitted at the gate on the afternoon of the 24th, without securing tickets in advance. There is a fine field of entries and if the day is splendid it should be an splendid afternoon of clean sports.

The grounds, which had been neglected, are being rolled. All members of the Every Day Club who are possibly to be urged to be on the grounds early this evening. Those members who have been at the ten days or so have accomplished wonders, but there are only two more evenings to put everything in condition for the 24th.

It is expected that the Scots Co. Boys Brigade, in uniform, under Col. Buchanan, will give an exhibition of company and fancy drill, physical exercises and marching on the grounds on the afternoon of the 24th. The matter was discussed at a meeting last evening and those present were heartily in favor of going, to aid in making the Every Day Club sports a success. The company will meet again tomorrow evening and decide.

WILL PAY OFF THE MORTGAGE FIRST

Congregation Decides to Clear Germain Street Church Before Building Sabbath School.

At a meeting of the building committee of Germain street Baptist church on Friday night last, it was decided to recommend to the church that the project of building a new Sunday school be deferred for two or three years and in the meantime an effort will be made to pay off the balance of the mortgage on the church. It was found in the canvass for funds for the new building that some of the members were in favor of paying off the mortgage before undertaking any new building operations. The committee will accordingly report to this effect at a meeting of the church members on Friday night next and it is probable their report will be adopted.

FIRE NEAR AMHERST

John A. Davidson's Farm House Practically Destroyed This Morning.

AMHERST, N. S., May 22 (Special)—At 9.30 this morning, fire destroyed the fine farm house of John A. Davidson at the corner of Tyndall road and Upper Victoria street, about two miles from Amherst. The fire caught in the upper flat and all the contents there were destroyed. The effects in the lower flats were partially saved. The loss will be about \$2,500, and it is understood to be covered by insurance. The loss to Mr. Davidson and family is a most serious one. A few years ago he lost a valuable barn and its contents by fire. The five year old son of M. B. Cosman was run over last night by an automobile and badly cut about the head.

WEDDINGS

The marriage of Miss Ethel Blanche Gamblin, daughter of George Gamblin, to Hiram Webb, electrical contractor, of this city, took place today at the residence of the bride's father, Parsonville, Kings county. The newly married couple, who are well and favorably known, were the recipients of numerous wedding gifts. On their arrival in St. John, by today's train, they will proceed to their home 87 Victoria street.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

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

GREAT FIRE SALE OF DAMAGED GOODS

in a few days, notice of which will be given in this space.

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

MACAULAY BROS. & CO. 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, Lane's Hip, and Military Girdle.

L. 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.

BELTS, STOCK COLLARS, SILK SCARFS, GLOVES, FRILLINGS, VEILINGS, HOSIERY, HANDKERCHIEFS AND LONG SILK GLOVES in Black, White and Cream.

CHILDREN'S PARASOLS, LADIES' WHITE SUNSHADES in the Most Beautiful Patterns.

LADIES' UNDERSKIRTS in Black, Brown and Blue Sateen from 96c. up. Black Moirette Underskirts, very cheap.

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Sale of Pitchers! FISHING TACKLE!

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

WE WILL SELL DURING THIS WEEK:

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Appropriate Apparel for Outing or Dressy Trips A Few Additional Lines

Men's Two-Piece Outing Suits

In Worsteds, Homespuns, Chevots, \$7.50 to 13.50

Men's Outing Trousers

In Flannels and Homespuns, \$2.25 to 3.75

White Duck Trousers

Extra Pockets Strong Sewing, \$1.00 to 1.50

Men and Boys' Running Pants

For Athletic Events, etc., 75c. pair

Men's Wash Vests, a handsome line

of new patterns and materials, \$1.25 to \$3.75

SWEATERS, 65c to \$5

UNDERWEAR, 25c up

OUTING SUITS, 65c to \$2.50

NECKTIES, 15c up

NEW LINEN COLLARS "REGATTA SHIRTS"

New GLOVES, all kinds

Soft Negligee COLLARS

SUIT CASES, BAGS

Lunch Boxes, Baskets

Rugs and Shawlstraps

New Fancy Socks

Costume and Coat Clearance Every Finely Tailored Coat and Costume in our large stock, as well as Children's Coats, Reefers, etc., now reduced to the lowest of prices; not because of any fault save that of the Weather Man. A rare opportunity to secure modish apparel at most unusual figures.

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