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TEAMSTERS' STRIKE.

Trouble in Boston Over a Hold-Up Among the Drivers.

BOSTON, Jan. 21.—The unlawful demonstrations resulting today from the strike of the 400 or more teamsters employed by the 47 master teamsters who refused to pay the schedule of wages recently agreed upon between the team drivers' union and the master teamsters' association...

Scenes of wild disorder were enacted in various parts of the city during the day and early evening, the spite of the crowds being directed wholly against the drivers of the teams owned by the R. B. Brine Transportation Co., the largest of the concerns that have declined to sign the schedule and which has thus far steadfastly refused to recognize the union.

Conferences were held during the afternoon between representatives of the drivers, the state board of arbitration, and President Lincoln of the Chamber of Commerce, to which a representative of the R. B. Brine Transportation Co. sent several invitations, which, however, were ignored.

At a meeting of the various unions represented in the allied freight transportation council tonight it was unanimously voted to give the conciliation committee of the council full power to order a strike whenever they may deem it advisable.

\$30,000 FIRE.

SOUTH FARMINGHAM, Mass., Jan. 22.—Two four story buildings and a store house occupied for manufacturing purposes and located near the Sherborn line were burned early this morning, causing a loss of about \$30,000. The fire broke out at 12.40 o'clock in the rattan chair factory owned by A. H. Ordway and immediately spread to the storehouse of that factory and to the building nearby, owned and occupied by H. N. Wilcox, who employed fifty hands in the manufacture of calendar pads.

BRIEFS BY WIRE.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 21.—Four more federal convicts, Campbell, Morton, Ainsworth and Davis, were captured on McNeil's Island today, leaving but four now at large.

LONDON, Jan. 22.—The Sofia correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says that the American delegates to effect the release of Miss Stone, the captive missionary, have arrived at Djumaja, on the Bulgarian frontier, where it has been ascertained that Miss Stone and Miss Telika are hidden.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 21.—Advices have been received here that the missing sloop of war Condon had not reached Honolulu up to Jan. 15. She sailed from Esquimaux on Dec. 2.

CAN'T PROTECT HIM.

BERLIN, Jan. 21.—A news agency here has received a despatch from Chicago representing the chief of police of that city as saying that he cannot be responsible for the safety of Prince Henry of Prussia while he is in Chicago, without a large increase in the detective force with which to defeat probable anarchist attempts. This cablegram is regarded by some officials as an invention intended to frighten Prince Henry into abandoning his trip or to inject a sinister element into his visit.

A SMART OLD MAN.

There is a smart old gentleman in Annapolis Co., N. S., says the Spectator, in the person of George Spinney, of Meadow Vale, who is in his 74th year. Mr. Spinney the past year has done his haying (about 13 tons), gathered his apples (about 20 bbls.), raised 70 bushels of grain, 60 bushels vegetables, several bushels of beans, made 350 rods ditch, hauled the mud 125 rods to the barnyard, chopped and hauled two years' firewood, besides \$25 worth of lumber. In addition to doing this on his own farm without assistance, he has earned by working out \$150.

ELECTION GOSSIP.

James Duddy told the Star this morning that he had no intention of becoming an aldermanic candidate for Duke's ward. The latest names mentioned by the man on the street are P. S. McNutt for Duke's and James Pullen for Duke's.

ARROSTOOK GIANT DEAD.

Remarkable Feats of Big Swede Who Has Recently Succumbed to Fever.

Arroostook county's giant, John Brostrom of Woodland, is dead at the age of 32. Brostrom was a Swede, stood 6 feet, 7 inches in his stocking feet and weighed when in good health, 287 pounds. There was not an ounce of fat on his huge frame. He was much the strongest man in northern Maine, and many stories are related of remarkable feats accomplished, says a special to the New York Sun.

At once, by sheer strength, started a log jam that had for three days defied the efforts of 12 river drivers. On another occasion he carried on his shoulder to the mill a load of wood that would have been a load for four ordinary men, had it sawed into boards and carried the boards strapped to his back a distance of two miles to his home.

Brostrom could lift barrels of potatoes into a high wagon with less effort than most men make to lift a bushel, and his services were in great demand at the raising of barns. He would pick up the heavy timbers like so many light joists and place them in their proper position while the others were getting ready to lift.

When there was a fire his stall-like arms would bring down the brakes of the hand tub on one side faster than four or five of the firemen could lift up on the other side, and the small boys said that he was as good as a steamer.

A fever carried the giant off, and at Woodland and the other Swedish colonies mourned. He died in a second-floor room, and his casket was so long that it could not be carried down the stairs and had to be taken out at a window.

IMPORTANCE OF VACCINATION.

(The Public Ledger.)

The gratifying announcement is made that a number of cases of smallpox developed in Philadelphia last week was much smaller than for the preceding week, 32 for the week ending January 18, as compared with 11 for the week ending January 11. Whether this marks the beginning of the end of the epidemic cannot yet be known, but it should encourage the board of health to renewed efforts to master the disease.

The only really effective measure of prevention is vaccination, and no false sense of security should lead any unvaccinated person to further delay in taking this precaution. Out of 877 patients treated for smallpox at the Municipal hospital last year, not one had been vaccinated within four years. Of 346 cases of smallpox reported in Chicago within three years, 806 had never been successfully vaccinated.

The only safety to the community as well as to the individual, is in general vaccination, which would leave the disease no congenial soil in which to spread. With the disease on the decrease efforts should be redoubled to stamp it out altogether.

TEACHERS NOT WELL EQUIPPED.

Dr. G. Stanley Hall, President of Clark University, at Worcester, Mass., delivered in addressing the other afternoon before the Conference of Educational Workers on the subject, "Present Issues and Tendencies in Grammar and High School," New York. The meeting was the last which the conference will hold as it was resolved yesterday to disband the association.

Dr. Hall said that the teachers are, as a rule not properly qualified for their work. In no other country of the world, he said, is there so large a percentage of women teachers as here, and he expressed the opinion that better results would be obtained if more men were employed. He did not agree with the President of Bryn Mawr who said recently that there is a glorious epoch coming when the college woman is going to monopolize the educational work of the country.

Dr. Hall expressed himself as being very much opposed to the teaching of Latin in the high schools if the pupils are not preparing for college. The speaker praised the tendency to give a wide range of education and to develop all the parts of the brain. He had praise, too, for the individual treatment of pupils which is becoming more and more common in our schools.

THE NEW STAMPS.

No fewer than \$2,270,720 of the new English stamps bearing the King's head were issued in the first three days of the year in London.

The Postmaster General had instructed the inland revenue department to supply post offices with the new issue up to a maximum of a fortnight's supply.

The idea throughout has been to use up the old stamps first, and for this reason only the 1-2d., 1d., 2 1/2-d., and 6d. varieties have yet been issued. The more expensive stamps are ready, but will not be issued until the post offices exhaust the old supplies.

HE WILL NOT RUN.

Ex-Mayor Sears announces that he cannot be persuaded to enter the mayoralty field unless there is opposition strong enough to change the personnel of the present council. As the council is at present constituted, he says he would not accept the office of mayor even if elected by acclamation.

Representative Smith, in a resolution in congress yesterday set forth a number of reasons why the Boer rebel Scheepers should not be shot. The chief reason was omitted. It is the fact that Scheepers is already dead. The British government does not waste time in these matters. They didn't even burn Scheepers at the stake.

The steamer Kansas, which arrived at Boston last week, with a case of smallpox on board, was quarantined, and four others of the crew now have the disease.

Prof. Robertson will deliver an address on Manual Training in the Public Schools, on Monday evening next, in the High school building.

METHODISTS INDIGNANT

Over an Attack Made By Prof. Pearson on Bible Miracles.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—Charles W. Pearson, professor of English literature in the Northwestern university, has created a storm in that home of Methodism by an attack on the Bible miracles. He says: "Jesus told the scribes and pharisees that they had made 'the word of God of no effect through their tradition.' Very many of our religious teachers of today are doing the same thing. Modern preaching lacks truth and power because so many churches cling to the utterly untenable tradition that the Bible is an infallible book."

"If theologians wish to regain their lost intellectual leadership, or even to possess an influence on the thoughtful part of the community ordinate with that of poets, philosophers and men of science, they must throw aside the dogmas of an infallible Bible as completely and frankly as Protestants have thrown aside the dogma of an infallible pope."

Some of the miracles which Prof. Pearson says that a sane person cannot believe are: The feeding of Elijah by the ravens; Elijah smiting and dividing the waters with his mantle; Elijah raising the dead; Elisha making the widow's pot of oil to fill many vessels; Jesus feeding the multitude; Jesus walking on the water; three men cast into a fiery furnace and not burned.

Concerning the last named Prof. Pearson says: "He must be a very bold or very ignorant man who will assert that he believes this account is literally true. It is certainly a thousand times more probable that it is a legend or allegory."

"The legendary element is as obvious and indisputable in the New Testament as in the old. It will be objected that this is the infidel's view of miracles. What then? Wise men will accept the truth from any source. If Christians were more ready to learn from infidels when the infidels are right, there would soon be less of infidelity in the world. 'The Bible is the most precious of all books. Its teaching that man is the child of God and heir of Heaven ennobles human life and is the great basis of virtue, happiness and high achievement. The Bible is a noble collection of law, history, biography, precept and poetry.'"

Prof. Pearson declares that the policy of the Methodist church is one of inactivity, obstruction and jesuitical silence on the views in which the leaders and scholars of the church have gradually come to believe, but which are not held by the body of the church. He says that the most of the teaching is evasive and that most of the Sunday school teaching is almost farcical and entirely inadequate.

It is said Prof. Pearson may lose his university place, be tried for heresy and expelled from the Methodist church.

OFF FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

(Special to Star.)

FREDERICTON, Jan. 22.—Principals Mullin, of the Normal school, and his daughter, leave for Pretoria, South Africa, early next month to assume positions in the normal school there. Dr. Wm. Crockett, formerly superintendent of education in New Brunswick, and latterly of Mariposa College, Quebec, has been appointed to the principalship of the normal school during Mr. Mullin's leave of absence for one year.

TOURIST ASSOCIATION.

Annual Meeting of the N. B. Tourist Association Friday Night.

The estimated annual value of tourist travel to the maritime provinces is about three million dollars. It might be a far smaller sum and yet be of very great value, and well worthy of effort to secure it. And it is capable of expansion to a vastly larger sum as the charms of this region are made more widely known to tourists and sportsmen.

These remarks are suggested by the announcement that the New Brunswick Tourist Association will hold their annual meeting at the board of trade rooms, Prince William street, next Friday evening. The reports of the executive and the treasurer will be submitted, and it is hoped that a large number of citizens will be present to hear the reports and offer suggestions along the line of this year's campaign. The association last year were successful in making it easier for visitors to see the attractive places around the city itself, and did much excellent work to attract the attention of the people of the upper provinces and the United States to the lovely scenery and excellent fish and game resorts of the province.

This question of tourist business touches closely the interests of all the people, since the visitors who come spend money quite freely. It is all money that they bring with them, and leave in circulation when they have gone. The citizens who form the executive of the tourist association have worked hard and deserve great credit for their zeal. They should be supported, and therefore it is to be hoped the attendance at the annual meeting on Friday evening will be both large and representative.

DEATH OF A. E. ROBINSON.

NORTH SYDNEY, Jan. 21.—Alfred E. Robinson, an old time operator, for several years in the employ of the Western Union Telegraph Co., at North Sydney, C. B., died this morning, after an illness of only two days. The deceased complained of pain in the forehead and soon became unconscious, remaining so until his death. He leaves a wife and seven children. Deceased was a son of Wm. T. Robinson of the Canada Eastern Railway, Gibson, N. B.

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ST. JOHN STAR.

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THE SITUATION ENCOURAGING.

The report of the board of health to the municipal council yesterday on the smallpox situation is certainly encouraging. Of the one hundred and one cases that have come under their jurisdiction, seventy-two have already recovered, and six are still suffering from the disease.

THE KING'S SANATORIUM.

King Edward has been for some time identified with the National Association for the Prevention of Consumption. He has expressed great interest in the work of this body, and it is understood has devoted some time to the personal study of the means of preventing and curing this and kindred diseases.

THE NEW JERSEY MOSQUITO.

The mosquito of New Jersey has passed into a proverb. Now there are a number of gentlemen of that state endeavoring to have it passed into oblivion. The official entomologist, who has evidently been bitten, wants the legislature to appropriate ten thousand dollars for the extermination of the insect.

The United States has got to return \$376,000 to China. This amount was commandeered by American sailors and marines in Trentain when that place was captured by the allies in 1900.

Carnegie is buying a few books on his own account now. He has given an order for eight thousand volumes for the library at Skibo Castle.

The Telegraph remarks that this paper is opposed to the expenditure in connection with the I. C. R. terminal facilities. The Star considers that \$160,000 is a little too much money to pay for facilities to heat sheds and freight cars.

It would appear from the discussion at the meeting of the municipal council yesterday that a large number of the county ratepayers are in arrears. Taxes are seemingly the last thing to be paid, and settlement is to be avoided as long as possible.

SUSPECTED MURDERER.

Arrested in Halifax From Ranks of Mounted Rifles.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 21.—Detective Power of the Halifax police today arrested a member of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, whom they believe to be the long wanted Walter Gordon, but who joined the force under the name of John Gray of Montreal.

After the murder Gordon disappeared, later he was located at Dalnair, in the U. S. army. Before the authorities made arrangements for his arrest he disappeared. From some remarks that he made before leaving it was judged that he was coming to Canada to join the Mounted Rifles.

Detective Power is certain that the right man has been arrested. He bears a striking resemblance to the photograph, and the description is wonderfully complete, even to a gold capped tooth and moles on the back. The man under arrest is 22 years old, five feet nine in height, straight as an arrow and has dark hair and complexion.

SMALLPOX ON S. S. DAHOME.

HALIFAX, Jan. 21.—The Furness liner Dahome arrived from London this morning. The despatch announcing that the vessel had reported smallpox on board created considerable interest in the ship's company. She displayed the yellow flag at her mainmast as a warning to all comers to stay away.

GOLD GALORE.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 21.—The str. Amur arrived today from Skagway. She brought news that rich pay dirt has been found running from four to seven cents to the pan on Gold Pasture Creek. A stampede has occurred. Circle City is deserted. Good pasture is a tributary of the Chiloa, which flows into the Tanana.

W. C. T. U.

At the annual meeting of the St. John W. C. T. U. yesterday afternoon the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. S. D. Scott; vice-presidents, Mrs. T. Bullock, Mrs. T. G. Allan; cor. secretary, Miss Betts; recording secretary, Mrs. E. Clarke; treasurer, Mrs. J. Porter; superintendents of departments: evangelistic, Miss Betts; social, Mrs. J. Seymour; coffee room, Mrs. H. L. Everett; literature, Miss Betts; wall pockets, Mrs. Hoar; Sunday school, Mrs. T. Bullock; world's mission, Mrs. T. G. Allan; Little Girls' Home, Mrs. Davidson.

EXHIBITION ASSOCIATION.

The following gentlemen have been added to the board of directors of the Exhibition Association: J. M. Johnson, H. M. Campbell, H. A. Drury, H. Gallagher, Robt. Maxwell, T. R. Hilliard, J. M. Scott, W. F. Burditt, C. B. Lockhart, D. W. McCormick.

RATHER IMPERTINENT.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—Representative Smith of Michigan introduced a resolution today directing the state department to request the English government to withhold the sentence of death passed on Commandant Scheepers, who is about to be shot.

To cure a Headache in ten minutes use KUMFORT Headache Powder.

COURT LA TOUR.

Court La Tour, No. 125, I. O. F., last evening had officers installed for the ensuing year by E. R. Chapman, H. C. R., and A. W. Macrae, P. H. C. R., as follows: H. N. Sharp, C. R.; C. B. Boyd, V. C. R.; J. H. Bond, R. S.; M. G. Grass, F. S.; Dr. Manning, treasurer; F. S. Burpee, auditor; S. E. Grass, S. W.; H. H. Wood, J. W.; J. W. McLellan, S. B.; C. W. Straug, J. B.; Dr. E. S. Price, court physician; A. A. Wilson, C. D.

E. R. Chapman and J. E. Rossiter were appointed trustees. A. A. Wilson and O. A. Crawford, fin. com. Reports of officers show the court to be in a strong financial condition.

FAREWELL DINNER.

Last evening Jan. F. Robertson, at his residence, gave a farewell dinner to Rev. R. H. A. Haslam, who next week takes his departure from St. John to engage in his new duties of missionary work.

The Y. M. A. of St. John's (Stone) church, on invitation, responded to the number of twenty-two. After the coat of the King had been honored Mr. Robertson proposed the departing curate, Mr. Haslam, and referred in feeling terms to the good work done by his connection with St. John's church. The health of Mr. Robertson was proposed, responded to, and He's a Jolly Good Fellow was sung.

BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW.

The annual meeting of the local assembly of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew was held in the Church of England Institute rooms last evening, the vice-president, S. Merritt Wetmore, in the chair. The secretary-treasurer presented his annual report dealing with the work that had been carried out during the past year.

NEPTUNE CLUB CARNIVAL.

The carnival of the Neptune Rowing Club on Friday evening next will prove an evening of enjoyment to all who attend. Besides the pretty sight of the various costumes will be the various new specialties which the club will introduce. The curling match between the rinks of the "all comers" and "Neptune boys" will follow the second band, and there is much speculation as to who will be successful.

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BRITISH PARLIAMENT.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—In the house of commons today, Frederick Cayley's amendment to the reply to the speech from the throne was rejected by a vote of 333 to 123. The announcement of the vote was received with enthusiastic ministerial cheers, and afforded renewed proof of liberal dimensions.

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HANDSOME PAINTING.

Where Shakespeare Sleeps is the title of a painting which is on exhibition in the window of Barnes & Co., Prince Wm. street. The painting is from the brush of F. H. C. Miles, who, during his European trip, visited the tomb of the immortal dramatist in Stratford on Avon.

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NO ROMANCE IN THE CASE.

(Detroit Free Press.) "It must have been quite a year ago," said the general delivery clerk at the post office, "that a man came in one day and enquired for a letter in his name, and he looked much disappointed when I could find none to hand out. Since that day, up to a week ago, he has been coming twice a week, most always when I was on duty, and as no letter for him ever arrived I had considerable curiosity regarding his case. In fact, I built up a romance around him. I took it that he might have separated from his wife in some distant town, and was hoping to hear from her and make up the quarrel, and I actually came to feel hard toward her because she refused to write. It seemed to me that the man was falling in health as he lost hope, and now and then I gave him a cheerful word to brace him up. A week ago I saw his name on a letter, and next time he called I passed it out with the remark: "Here is your long-expected letter at last, and I hope it contains good news."

"He stepped away from the window to read it, and after a few minutes he came back to say: "I didn't get it." "What was it?" "Why, I sent to my brother-in-law in Pittsburg, almost a year ago to borrow a dollar to buy some porous plasters, and he writes to me that he can't well spare it, and that I'd better use mustard instead!"

NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY.

The annual meeting of the Natural History Society was held last evening at a fairly large attendance. Hon. J. V. Ellis, the president, occupied the chair. Dr. Ellis delivered an interesting address re the origin of the society and the progress during the past forty years, this being the fortieth anniversary of the society. Dr. Ellis covered the advancement of science during the past decade, and his remarks were loudly applauded. A vote of thanks was tendered Senator Ellis by Dr. Matthew and presented by Dr. G. U. Hay.

A PHOTOGRAPH SOCIAL.

An entertainment as unique as it was enjoyable was held in the vestry of Brussels street Baptist church last night. It was advertised as a photograph social and the feature of the evening was a test of the knowledge of those present of the personnel of their church's membership as well as their information upon literary subjects. In one part of the room was posted a series of fifty portraits of noted authors, and a prize was offered to the person who presented the largest correct list of the names presented. This was won by Miss Noble, whose list covered correctly 49 out of the 50. In another place were thirty photographs of members of Brussels street church, under the same conditions. The winner of this was Miss Maude Stillwell, who named correctly 27 from the list.

Besides this novel means of entertainment, a programme was given consisting of a piano solo by Miss Burpee; reading, Miss Blanche; solo, Miss Olive Golding; duet, Misses Golding and Warden; reading, Miss Cameron, and autoharp selection by Miss Dunn. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening to the large number present.

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"The girl who jilted Kitchener" is the title now added to that previously possessed by Lady Helen Stewart, the daughter of the Marquis of Londonderry. Lady Helen is a beauty and one of the most famous belles of London court society. She became engaged to Lord Kitchener of Khartoum about a year ago. Some time in the autumn following she broke her engagement to him and immediately beseeched her hand upon Lord Stavordale.

The undoing of Lord Kitchener in his affairs of the heart came about, it is said, through Lady Helen's reading

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GIRL WANTED for general housework. Apply at 51 Haas street.

MONEY TO LOAN

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Five cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

MONEY.—Advanced on mortgage in large or small sums. Apply to Chas Macdonald, Barrister, Walker Building, Canterbury St.

On Freehold and leasehold property, repayable by monthly instalments or otherwise. Apply to CHAPMAN & TILLEY, Barristers, Palmer's Building, Princess street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ALL KINDS SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED. Needles and parts for all makes at W. H. BRILL, 21 Dock Street.

TO LET.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Five cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

TO LET OR FOR SALE.—A house and barn with about 1 acre of land at Crowville. A good well of water. House contains 9 rooms and cellar. Apply to E. T. C. Knowles, Palmer's Chambers, Princess street, or 186 Union street.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET.—A gentleman wishing a nice light sunny bedroom in a private house, where it would be quiet, can hear of the same by applying to 241 King street east. A lady could also be accommodated with room and board. Ring left hand bell.

FOR SALE.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Five cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

FOR SALE.—A chemist's balance with all necessary weights: good as new. Apply A. M., Star office.

WANTED.

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Five cents a word for ten times. Payable in advance.

WANTED.—Convalescer, male or female, through the city to handle a rapid selling book on the way. Good commission. Address "M.," Star Office.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

Advertisements under this head inserted free of charge. WANTED.—Dressmaker wants sewing by the day. Address H. R., Star office.

and seeing the awful accounts and caricatures of her lover in the French illustrated papers; from a hero in his sight he became the cruel creature that the French press represented him to be. It was said that Kitchener was a woman hater until he met Lady Helen; he was deeply infatuated with her loveliness and courted her persistently. His rank and military achievements fascinated her, and she became engaged to him. Kitchener is now 50 years of age, a tall, handsome man, with broad shoulders and a frame as lean and stoney as a greyhound's. It is said that he has taken his dismissal from Lady Helen far more deeply than any defeat in war. — Leslie's Weekly.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Cresolene tablets. Ten tablets per box. All druggists.

"G" COMPANY

(By the Late R. G. HUBLY)

This little book should be in every home in New Brunswick, as a memento of the loyalty and suffering of our boys.

It gives the everyday life of our heroes from their leaving St. John for the scene of war until their arrival home again.

The story is told in language, witty, humorous, pathetic and truthful.

PRICE 25 CENTS. For Sale at E. G. NELSON & CO'S.

GOOD BUTTER.

JAMES PATTERSON, 19 and 20 South Market Wharf & City Market.

THE LADIES ARE PLEASED

With the NEEDLE CASES that I am presenting to CASH CUSTOMERS.

One said: "I have got my coat for years from — but I saw one of your NEEDLE CASES at a friend's house and decided to have one myself."

Every cash purchaser of a load of RESERVE CALEDONIA, SPRING HILL, SYDNEY and HARD COAL will get one.

J. S. FROST, 11 Union Street.

When you want coal delivered and put into the bin, do not forget that you will save from 50 to 75c per ton by placing your orders with GIBSON & CO., who have always taken the lead in providing the best facilities for handling coal at the lowest cost.

OFFICES: Smythe St. (near N. Wharf) and 6 1-2 Charlotte Street.

Coal

Sold by bushel, barrel or ton. Wood in any quantity at

LAW & CO'S, Tel. 1346. Foot of Clarence St.

JOHN RUBINS, CUSTOM TAILOR—

Clothes cleaned, repaired and pressed at short notice. 53 Germain Street.

TURKISH BATHS, Union, Corner Hazen Street.

Among the many who have derived pleasure and benefit and permit the proprietor to use their names as references are:

Dr. J. E. March, Dr. G. A. B. Addy, Dr. J. H. Cunningham, Boston; Dr. Geo. Hetherington, Dr. J. M. Smith, Dr. J. B. Steeves, Dr. Kettle Jones, John A. McAvity, Rev. G. F. Seville, G. J. Coster, A. W. Macrae, John McMillan, W. C. Purvis, E. L. Rising, Silas Alward, A. C. Fairweather, Wm. Pugsley, H. C. Page, W. Watson, Allen, Percy W. Thomson, E. G. Evans, A. Geo. Blair, P. E. Williams, S. L. Kerr, D. Churchill, and many others.

NOTICE.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of James Pender & Co., Ltd., will be held at the Office of the Company, Charlotte Street Extension, in the City of Saint John, N. B., on WEDNESDAY, the FIFTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1902, at 2 o'clock, p. m., for the Election of Directors and such other business as may legally come before such meeting.

January 17th, 1902. WALTER O. PURDY, Secretary and Treas.

CARD.

To the Electors of the City of St. John:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Notwithstanding all reports to the contrary, I now announce most emphatically that I will be a candidate for the honorable position of Mayor. At present I have the honorable position of Deputy, and my many years' experience as a member of the board fits me to fill the Mayor's chair. I therefore solicit your support.

Your obedient servant, ENOCH B. COLWELL.

The funeral of the late Edward Walsh took place this afternoon from the residence of his son, 182 Rockland road. At half-past two o'clock the body was taken to Holy Trinity church, where the burial service was conducted by Rev. Fr. Walsh. Interment was in the old Catholic burying ground. There were no pallbearers.

Winslow Staples, of Fredericton, has accepted a situation in Sydney, N. S., and is to go there early in February.

PATTERSON'S Cor. Charlotte and Duke Sts.

LACES.

Slaughter Sale of 'Silk' and Cotton Laces at Half Price:

- 25c. quality for 12 1/2c.
20c. quality for 10c.
18c. quality for 9c.
16c. quality for 8c.
15c. quality for 7c.
12c. quality for 6c.
10c. quality for 5c.
8c. quality for 4c.
7c. quality for 3 1/2c.
5c. quality for 2 1/2c.

These are Genuine Bargains. STORE OPEN TILL 9 O'CLOCK.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers will please send in copy early in the morning, to ensure the necessary change being made.

LOCAL NEWS.

Teamsters of the city have wheels in their heads today.

Steamer Manchester Trader cleared today for Manchester direct, with general cargo.

The Fredericton curlers left this morning for St. Stephen, where they will play the local club.

Today being the anniversary of Queen Victoria's death, there will be no band at the Victoria rink tonight.

Geo. Frost has gone on the road for Dearborn & Co., as their representative along the I. C. R. between St. John and Campbellton.

Remember you can get good costumes at Spencer's, 81 Germain street, for the carnival, 24th, at Victoria rink. Fine assortment to select from.

The S. S. Garth Castle and Parisian are both due here on Sunday. The Garth Castle will bring 400 immigrants and the Parisian about 200.

A delivery team, owner unknown, ran away this morning on Queen street, but was caught in lower cove before any damage was done.

Clifford Harmed accepts Mort McLaren's challenge for a mile skating race in the Victoria rink. Any night next week will suit Mr. Harmed.

J. W. Hoyt, of McAdam, has resigned from the York Co. board of health, and Geo. J. Green is mentioned as his successor.

Coun. Archie McMullin of York county is still suffering from having had his feet frozen recently and is quite lame.

Two prominent sporting men while speeding on the Marsh road last evening became mixed in a head-on collision. The harness on both horses was broken, but neither horses nor drivers were injured.

The death is reported of James McAllister, which occurred last night at his home at Pisarino. Mr. McAllister was sixty-one years of age, and had been ill for some time.

The case of Allen's executors v. Sheehan was set to come up this morning in the circuit court, but the parties did not appear and Chief Justice Tuck adjourned the court sine die.

Mayor Daniel today received a letter from the Imperial Dry Dock Co. to the common council, asking that a representative accompany a delegate of the company to Ottawa for the purpose of interviewing the government respecting the question of subsidy.

A. W. Foster of Springhill died yesterday afternoon at the residence of his father-in-law, M. D. Pride of Amherst. He was a barrister-at-law, and has practised at Springhill since 1893. In 1897 he was appointed collector of customs at that town.

A service in commemoration of the anniversary of the king's accession will be held this evening in St. John's church, commencing at 8, when the appointed form of prayer will be used and an address delivered by the rector.

Surveyor General Dunn, Chief Game Commissioner Knight and Fishery Commissioner, D. G. Smith, will probably represent New Brunswick at the annual meeting of the International fish and game association to be held at Johnsonburg, Vermont, this week.

The Thistle club, last night, selected the following skips for the second match with St. Andrews:—A. W. Sharpe, J. F. Shaw, D. R. Willet, Rev. W. O. Raymond, W. P. Robinson, J. M. Barnes, A. B. Holley, John Thomson, J. S. Malcolm, A. Malcolm, W. A. Shaw, W. M. Rivers, D. A. Kennedy, and D. McClelland.

It is understood, says the Fredericton Herald, that the students of the U. N. B. have completed arrangements with the students of Mount Allison University for a joint debate, to take place at Sackville some time during the month of March. The subject to be discussed has not yet been decided upon.

Thomas Kane McLaughlin, the Boston pilot, who found his relatives here after the lapse of almost half a century, leaves for his Boston home on Friday of this week. He will be accompanied by his wife and one of his nieces, Miss M. Lowe, of Broad street. Recent Boston papers contain the life story of Mr. McLaughlin.

L. B. Knight, chief game commissioner for New Brunswick, left last night for St. Johnbury, Vermont, to attend the meeting of the New England Game and Fisheries Protective Association, which is being held there today and tomorrow. This association will formulate and discuss definite plans for a more perfect protection of game than has heretofore existed.

There will be four specialties at the Neptune club carnival on Friday evening next. The curling match of "All Comers" versus Neptune Boys during the intermission after the second band; the Twirling of the May Pole, during the fifth band; the Browmie Obstacle race, after the seventh band; and the Cake Walk after the tenth band. Before each of these specialties will be put on the gong will be struck three times as a signal for skaters to clear the ice.

The Fredericton Tourist Association is making arrangements with the provincial government to send a New Brunswick exhibit to the Sportsman's show to be held in Boston in February. It is probable that the exhibit will consist of a log cabin, and specimens of stuffed animals, such as moose, caribou, etc., of which the government possess quite a number. The St. John Tourist Association are expected to send a representative to the show, which is open to all New England and eastern Canada.

DR. A. B. WALKER,

On Monday Night's Meeting in St. Philip's Church.

Says It Was a Glaring Disgrace to St. John's Respectable Colored People.

Today, a Star reporter asked Dr. A. B. Walker, barrister-at-law, what he thought of the meeting held in the school room of St. Philip's church on Monday night?

Dr. Walker said: "I was not there. But from the report of it in the morning papers, it was a most disgraceful affair; the worst I ever heard of in this city. It is a glaring slander on the respectable colored people of this community. There never was a more debasing burlesque put on the stage. I cannot see what object Messrs. I. T. Richardson, John Jackson, Philip Bush-Richardson, and Charles E. Brackett had in calling such a meeting except to expose the whole colored race here to open and violent ridicule. After the colored people had met in the church at two previous meetings—meetings carried on, according to the reports in the city press, in a most decorous and business like manner—and elected a new board of trustees, it seems to me that it was utter suicide in the old board to attempt to reverse this decision by throwing itself into the arms of the black rabble. Indeed, from the accounts in the papers, and I have no doubt but they are accurate, they would characterize the whole proceeding as a regular old-fashioned jim-crow, lime-killin club fracas, or what the whites in the South style an old-time nigger pow-wow. It is self-evident, however, that the old trustees were in very bad luck, and that they were not to be blamed under their own management—with the level-headed people, who outnumbered it is pleasing to note, the infuriated mob. That it, is as plain as anything can be that the level-headed colored people were on the side of the Rev. J. G. May and the new board; and that they were in the majority.

"On the credit side of the report of the old trustees, as published in the papers, I notice that on April 7, 1899, Gerow was paid \$5.00 for minutes in type; on May 19, 1899, John Kerr, \$12.80 for minutes; on August 7, 1899, \$2.50 for ice cream; in 1899, by materials for pupils, \$1.75; in 1900, A. Foster, \$2.49; in 1900, D. McArthur, \$2.50; August 2, 1900, E. G. Nelson & Co., \$1.20 for flags; February 5, 1901, E. G. Nelson & Co., \$2.23; February 5, 1901, A. Foster, \$2.49; August 8, 1901; E. G. Nelson & Co., prizes, \$2.00; November 1, 1901, chairs for school, \$4.20; November 19, 1901, table for school, \$1.35; making a total of \$40.81.

"Now these charges are wrong and unwarranted. I do not mean to say that the bills were not incurred, but I do say that it is both monstrous and flagrant abuse of the trust reposed in them out of the rent money of the church. In the name of all that is good and great, what right had they to pay John Kerr \$12.80 for legal advice in looking after the rent money, and to pay \$12.80 for legal advice, which was probably paid to the same attorney, or to the same law firm, as the St. John School Board. It is childish and foolish and reprehensible in the extreme. Just think of it, four men cannot collect \$75.00 a year from the St. John School Board, and pay the current expenses of the church, and the rent of a little building, and hand the balance over to the minister in charge of the church, and then make their report to the people, without consulting a lawyer about it, and kicking up a miserable fuss. It is shameful, sickening, disgusting. Nothing could be more condemnatory of their incapacity to manage the money of the church, and their unpardonable extravagance. To cap the climax of everything that is droll and comical, they took John Kerr to the meeting to coach them in the proper conduct of it. And it is said that Mr. Kerr enjoyed the scene most heartily. It was a rich, rich scene for him. Of course, he will have to be well paid for his evening's enjoyment.

"It would appear that the old trustees used every endeavor to blow away all the rent money in useless expense, in order that nothing should be left for the presiding minister. Yes, if any sane person will say that the \$40.81 which I have pointed out should be paid out of this rent of the church, and that, too, against the express and solemn protest of the people to whom the money and the church belong, I will forever after hold my tongue about the affair.

"My idea is that the old board should now step out and give up the seals of office to the new board, which is composed of most capable and trustworthy men, and end all further dispute. Monday night's fiasco and the sound and sensible reasoning which they got on Tuesday morning, ought to teach them a lesson that will last them the rest of their lives. It is self-evident that the respectable colored people have lost all confidence in their ability and candor to administer their trust. Hence, let them throw up the sponge and hand over their books and papers, and what cash there remains, to their lawful successors, the Rev. J. O. Morley, R. H. McIntyre, Andrew Lane, James Cox, and Charles Morrison, as these gentlemen stand, today, for the interest of the respectable colored people in the matter."

CONFERENCES MET.

The annual meeting of the confectionery manufacturers of the maritime provinces was held at half-past ten o'clock this forenoon at the Victoria hotel. There were present G. W. Gagnon, M. P. of St. Stephen, H. H. Hamilton of Pictou, James W. Moir of Halifax and T. F. White of St. John. The time was devoted to a discussion of matters relating to the confectionery business in regard to freight rates, discounts, etc., and the meeting was adjourned until two o'clock this afternoon. It is not probable that any changes will be made in the prices of confectionery.

A sandwich social will be held in the Waterloo street Free Baptist church on Tuesday evening, Jan. 28th, under the auspices of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor.

POLICE COURT.

Came in on a Freight and Will Stay Ten Days.

James Doyle came in on a freight train very late last night, but set out at once to find a lodging house. He had forty-two cents, sufficient under board of health estimates, to support him for two days. But James fell upon evil ways and was scooped by Officer Finley. James who bears many signs of age, approached the magistrate this morning with an earnest appeal for one more chance.

"When were you here before?"

"It's nearly six months ago, mister, and I know that once a year is quite often enough for a man who is over sixty. But I wasn't tight. I was only drunk."

"Four dollars or ten days."

"Won't you give me just one chance."

"I'm not giving chances to men like you and besides you are old enough to know better."

"Yes, mister, I'm nearly old enough to vote once or twice, but if you will give me one more —"

"Sit down."

Margaret Collins was overcome by excitement over the spirits on Brussels street last evening, but secured her liberty by leaving a deposit of eight dollars, which was forfeited this morning.

John McGlone, aged 22, and Robert McCann, aged 19, tried to take charge of Sheriff street yesterday evening, but they evidently left the police out of their calculations. The attempt ended disastrously and the failure was attributed by McCann to the fact that he had taken a drink from a bottle offered by a sailor, a friend of his, whose name he did not know. McGlone had also partaken of the same beverage and the two were sent to jail for twenty days in order that the refreshments might have time to be digested.

Edward McPharland was arrested this morning on a warrant issued by his father-in-law, charging the wilful destruction of furniture. He was remanded until the complainant could be sent for.

WHAT THE MEN SAID.

Several gentlemen stood on King street this morning and made derogatory remarks. They had their trousers tucked up and their hands thrust into their pockets, and were not doing anything in particular. Their very idleness it may have been that caused them to look at the ladies who passed, and make the aforesaid remarks. Most of the ladies wore trailing skirts, and as the skirts were chiefly of heavy material—they trailed. They trailed in the wet and dirt and sand and microbes, and gathered all these to themselves. The spectacle moved the men to say things, and they said them. One this morning said that a woman who would allow a nice new skirt to trail on the street today ought to be made to wear bloomers or stay at home. That's what the horrid men said.

REFUSING VACCINATION.

Two patients, Miss McDermott and Hugh Gourley will be discharged tomorrow from the isolation hospital.

Last week when cases of smallpox were discovered on Lombard and Erin streets, Dr. W. A. Christie was deputed by the board of health to learn if there were any unvaccinated persons in the localities infected. In his tour of inspection the physician encountered several who refused absolutely to submit to the treatment.

Those refusing have been served with summonses, but while a decision regarding the legality of compulsory vaccination is pending in the courts the board of health is unable to effectively deal with those who thus endanger the community by their criminal neglect of preventive measures.

At the board of health office statistics are being compiled of the vaccination history of all persons who were inmates of houses where smallpox developed.

THE SPORTSMEN'S SHOW.

Surveyor General Dunn, while in Fredericton on Monday, held a conference with the Fredericton Tourist Association in reference to the Boston Sportsman's Show. He intimated that it was his intention to forward to Boston the most complete game exhibit yet sent from this province to a sportsman's show. It will include the best mounted specimens in the Crown Land office, an assortment of native furs, a log cabin, and a number of moose and caribou heads to be loaned for the occasion by private parties. The exhibit will be transported in a combined baggage and express car, to be provided by the C. P. R.

BONDSMEN ASSESSED \$600.

A writ of inquiry was returnable before a sheriff's jury which met this morning in the court house. The writ was issued on behalf of the Royal Victoria Insurance Co. against two bondsmen of J. Otty Sharp, an agent of the company.

The amount assessed against the bondsmen was \$600.

Hamilton & Hamilton appeared for the insurance company and Scott E. Morrell and L. A. Currey, K. C., for the bondsmen.

The jury in the case gave their fees to the King's Daughters, and the foreman, E. G. Nelson, was deputed to make the presentation.

SENSATION AT DOUGLAS.

Douglas has a sensation, says the Gleaner, in the way of a reported elopement of the wife of a well known farmer with the hired man, who is several years younger than the woman. The woman left home a week ago, the man accompanying her, and neither have since returned. The husband states that his wife is visiting her mother, but that the hired man has skipped out. The latter had an order for \$3 upon a Fredericton firm, and raised the order to \$25, got it cashed and left, it is thought, for the States.

A RECORD BREAKER.

The cargo of the Allan liner Pretorian, which sailed for Liverpool last Saturday, though not the largest in volume, was the most valuable shipped from St. John during the history of the winter port. Included in the cargo was a shipment of seal skins valued at \$140,000.

W. H. Johnson Co., Limited,

7 Market Sq., St. John, N. B., and Halifax, N. S.

We beg to say that it is our intention to continue the following agencies during the year 1902:

"Chickering," "Newcombe," "Gerhard Heintzman," and "Mason & Hoch" Pianos, and "Mason & Hamlin" Organs.

Much experience has proved to us that in this collection we have the finest representation of pianos and organs sold in this country, and the fact that our sales during the past year have been far in excess of any previous year, is the strongest assurance of their popularity that the public could give.

Our sales in 1901 were over \$20,000 ahead of 1900.

New PIANOS and ORGANS for 1902.

The W. H. Johnson Co., Limited,

7 Market Sq., St. John, N. B., and Halifax, N. S.

FAIRALL'S BIG SALE

Mr. Fairall has gone to New York and has left instructions to sell at such prices as will at once clear the stock.

Prices have been marked down even lower than last week. Here are some of them:

Pearsall's Embroidery Silks, were 6c., for - - - 2c.

English Filloselle, formerly 17c., now - - - 5c.

36-inch Quilting Cotton, formerly 10c., now - - - 3c.

Jerseys (somewhat old style) were \$2, now - - - 33c.

Best Cashmere Gloves, were 30c., now - - - 12 1/2c.

Ladies' Long Silk Evening Gloves, were 75c., now - - - 33c.

Men's and Ladies' Cardigan Jackets, were \$3.65, now - - - \$1.25

All Veilings are Half Price.

The Store Will Be Open Every Evening.

W. H. FAIRALL, 17 Charlotte Street.

THESE PRICES TALK:

REGULAR PRICE: MY PRICE:

\$5 55 Men's Hip Rubber Boots \$3 50

75c. Men's Rubbers, all sizes 50c.

60c. Boys' Heavy Rubbers, all sizes 40c.

50c. Women's Storm Rubbers 35c.

\$1 25 Boys' Rubbers, Buckled 75c.

\$1 50 Men's Overshoes, sizes 6 and 7 \$1 00

\$1 25 Boys' Waterproof Overshoes 75c.

50c. Youths' Heavy Rubbers, sizes 11 to 13 35c.

75c. Men's Rubbers, sizes 10, 11 and 12 45c.

40c. Misses' Rubbers, sizes 11 to 2 25c.

50c. Misses' Wool Lined Rubbers, sizes 11 to 2 35c.

40c. Child's Wool Lined Rubbers, sizes 6 to 10 30c.

30c. Child's Rubbers 22c.

\$2 00 Men's Felt Cong., Rubber Soles \$1 25

Many other lines of both Rubber and Leather Goods at Reduced Prices.

REVERDY STEEVES, 44 Brussels St.

Advertisements in the STAR are better displayed than in any other St. John paper. Each one is next to reading matter. It pays to advertise in the STAR. Use it and prove it.

PROMINENT NORTH END MAN DEAD.

Alexander K. Clark, one of the best known residents of the North End, died this morning at his home, 206 Paradise Row. Mr. Clark had been in poor health for some time, but his illness did not take a serious turn until a few days ago. He was born in Halifax and has lived in St. John for upwards of twenty years. Mr. Clark was sixty-two years of age. He leaves besides his widow, two sons, George F., of Springfield, Mass., and R. D., in the employ of the Maritime Lithographic Co., and six daughters. Mrs. E. A. Goodwin, of this city; Mrs. D. C. Johnson, of Montreal, and four unmarried sons, of Montreal, and four unmarried, one living in Montreal and the other three at home.

WILLIAM OLIVE DEAD.

William Olive, a former resident of St. John, died at St. Stephen this morning from the effects of an operation performed last week when one of his legs was amputated because of gangrene.

The deceased, who is survived by a widow, one son and four daughters, was a native of Carleton, where he was employed as a lumber surveyor early in life.

Eben and Charles F. Olive, of St. John and Douglas Olive, of Cambridgeport, Mass., are brothers, and Mrs. Norman Wyman and Arthur Cann, of Yarmouth, sisters of the late Mr. Olive.

PERSONAL.

F. A. Peters, Jr., left last evening for Chicago, where he has secured a good position.

F. O. Allison, secretary of the board of trade, is confined to his house, Garden street, through illness.

J. A. Clarke, of Brock & Paterson, leaves this afternoon for New York and will take the Ivernia on Saturday for the old country on a business trip.

Frank Skinner of the London House Wholesale will cross in the same steamer. Miss Fenfold, head milliner with Brock & Paterson, is visiting Toronto, and will return via New York.