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THE ST. JOHN EVENING TIMES

ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1905.

WEATHER--Fair and very cold weather will continue tomorrow.

ONE CENT.

YAMAHA REPORTS ON LAST BIG BATTLE.

Russians Had 100,000 Men Engaged at Heikoutai and Were Completely Whipped--Strikers and Troops in Bloody Affray at Lodz.

Tokio, Feb. 3--9 p. m.--Field Marshal Oyama telegraphing yesterday reports that the Russian army...

Details of the fighting from January 25 to 29, which Field Marshal Oyama officially designates as the battle of Heikoutai, showed that the operations were more extensive...

On January 26, about noon, while the attack on Heikoutai was developing, a report reached the Japanese headquarters that another division of Russian troops had advanced...

The attack on Heikoutai was resumed January 27. A covering force was sent to protect the right flank...

Military and Strikers Clash.

Lodz, Russian Poland, Feb. 3--In a conflict between troops and strikers at the Kunitzer factory here today, the former fired, killing six persons, and wounding 48.

CANNED TOMATOES PROVED BAD FOOD.

Whole Family Ill in Chicago From Eating Poisoned Fruit--One Woman Dead.

Chicago, Feb. 3--One death and four cases of illness have been caused by supposed ptomaines in canned tomatoes...

ROCKS AHEAD FOR PARENT.

Three Members of the Quebec Cabinet Have Resigned.

Montreal, Feb. 3 (Special)--Three members of the Parent cabinet have announced their intention to resign...

THEIR STATUS RESTORED.

British Columbia Judge Overrules Medical Council and Orders Licenses to Physicians.

Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 3--(Special)--The names of Doctors Talford and Veerbruggen of Vancouver...

HAS HE GONE TO HIS OWN FUNERAL?

Peterboro, Ont., Feb. 3--(Special)--John Gemmel, aged 65 years, an employe of the Canadian General Electric Co., is missing.

MURDER SUSPECTED.

Montreal, Feb. 3--(Special)--An unknown man found in a mangled condition on the G. T. R. tracks in this city a few days ago is now identified as one McGarr.

ROOSEVELT IS IRISH.

It will come as a surprise to most people to learn that President Roosevelt is of Irish stock.

A Complete Failure.

General Okta's Headquarters, Jan. 30--Nood--via Tien Tsin, Feb. 3--(Delayed in transmission) The Russian attempt to turn General Okta's division into a complete failure...

FRENCH AUTHORESS SAYS SYVETON WAS POISONED.

Paris, Feb. 3--The affair against the decision of the procurator of the republic that Deputy Gabriel Syveton committed suicide will come before the court today.

WOULD NOT HALT: SOLDIER FIRED.

Man Shot by Sentry While Trying to Steal in Brooklyn Navy Yard.

New York, Feb. 3--James Sebery, one of the four men caught in the act of robbing the New York Navy Yard in Brooklyn today, was shot and instantly killed by Private Mott...

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NOBY YEARNING FOR FACTORY ACT.

No Minors Engaged in Bottling Liquors--James Ready, Josiah Fowler, J. Fraser Gregory and Others Testified This Morning.

The Factory Act Commission met this morning in the government rooms, Church St. The members were all present. A committee from the Sons of Temperance were present...

FREDERICTON NEWS.

Supreme Court--Measles, Among the Soldiers--Pleased With Government Appointments.

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Financial and Commercial.

WE SOLD \$50,000,000 IN BONDS IN YEAR 1904.

Canadian Issues Disposed of Last Year in Canada, the United States and England--Municipal, Provincial and Corporation Bonds--A Market Both at Home and Abroad.

(F. D. L. S., in Toronto News.) The year 1904 was a particularly good one in the Canadian bond market.

is still in the hands of the English brokers. However, the English market has been the chief resort for our securities.

Taking the first class, the city of Toronto during 1904 placed \$1,170,000 of bonds to the extent of \$2,288,000.

The present accessibility of the American market for the disposal of Canadian bonds is an unique development.

But when we come to the corporations we have larger figures still. Some 100 corporations among them got rid last year of bonds to the value of \$15,240,000.

Canada is the market for the very numerous municipal issues of our towns and villages, while we now look to the United States for the bulk of our bonds.

EXPORT DUTY ON CANADIAN WHEAT.

R. Meighen Claims It Would Be in the Interest of the Country.

It is interesting to ask where all these Canadian securities disposed of within the last year have gone to.

THE WHEAT SITUATION.

Caruthers, the big Canadian exporter, says there is good demand from the United Kingdom for No 3 and the lower grades of Manitoba wheat.

CATTLE EXPORTS.

The shipments of live stock from Portland and St. John for the week ending Jan. 28, as compiled by D. A. Campbell, Montreal are as follows:

THE CUT IN OIL.

The Standard Oil Company on Jan. 21st, reduced the price on all grades of crude oil. A reduction of three cents was made on high grades and two cents on the lower grades.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns: Stock Name, Yesterday's Close, Today's Open, Today's High, Today's Low. Includes stocks like Amalgamated, Anaconda, Am Sugar, etc.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

Table with columns: Commodity, Price. Includes items like May Corn, May Wheat, July Corn, etc.

WALL STREET.

New York, Feb. 3--Large buying or selling in the Pennsylvania group and the United States Steel today ranged from 2 1/2 to 12,000 shares.

DECREASED CUSTOMS RETURNS.

Following is a statement of the customs returns for the month of January 1905, compared with the corresponding month of the previous year:

Table with columns: Month, 1905, 1904, Difference. Shows a decrease in returns for January 1905.

THE WORLD OF SHIPPING.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Table with columns: Date, Sun, Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri, Sat. Shows dates and days of the week.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Today. Sch. Lorne, 2,000 tons, from Halifax, N.S., via St. John's, N.B., and St. John's, N.S.

FOREIGN PORTS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2--Art sch. Charlotte, 1,000 tons, from Liverpool, N.Y., via St. John's, N.B., and St. John's, N.S.

EXPORTS.

For New York, per schr Harry Knowlton, 224,882 lb spruce plank. A Cushing & Co.

INLAND REVENUE.

Table with columns: Item, 1904, 1905. Shows revenue for Spirits, Tobacco, etc.

NEW INCORPORATIONS.

New York Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin--One of the best of the kind of the revival of business among the country's industries.

THE RAILWAYS.

Illinois Central has reported \$500,000 increase in December earnings.

AUTHORITY CELEBRATION.

It has been the custom of the Knights of Pythias in this city to celebrate in some fitting manner the anniversary of the order.

SUSSEX NEWS.

Sussex Lumbermen Doing Well in the West--Literary Club Meets--Personal News.

REPORTS, DISASTERS, ETC.

The Grampus King was purchased by Elderkin Co., of Port Greville, New Brunswick, for \$100,000.

YARMOUTH, N. S., Feb. 2--An accident happened on the government pier.

SPOKEN.

Schr Viking from New York for Penzance, Jan. 30, lat 88, lon 74.

VESSELS BOUND FOR ST. JOHN.

Alcides, 2181, to sail from Glasgow, Feb. 22.

WHY?

Because its exceptional strength will relieve you from all anxiety as to the safety of your money.

The Bank of British North America.

Capital, £1,000,000 Reserve, £400,000. Branches in St. John's, 29 Prince William Street, Corner Union and Sydney Streets.

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WANTED--Junior Drug Clerk, having about two years experience. Apply C. K. Sherburne, 63 Garden Street.

TO LET.

TO LET--House No. 192 East side of Sydney Street, foot of Queen Square, containing suite of parlors, two bedrooms, etc., etc. Apply at 137 Sydney Street, St. John's.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE--Lady's Gold Hunting Case Watch and Gold Bracelet, cost forty dollars, well for twenty. Address, Cashier, Hotel Ottawa.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

\$20.00 EARNS \$100.00 IN ONE MONTH. This represents average profits for past six months. In six weeks recently \$1,650.00 was earned on a \$20 investment.

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED by man and wife heated furnished room and board with use of bath and privilege of doing small laundry, city or country, state terms. Apply "C" Times office.

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AT BOSTON HOUSE, 14 Prince William Street, good board, very homelike, reasonable.

LOST.

LOST--A Collie dog pup, color brown and white, answering to the name of Sandy. Any person having it in their possession will please notify Charles J. Lutton, Custom House.

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AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE.

MONDAY, FEB'Y 6TH. For Nine Nights and Saturday Matinee Only.

Bandmann-Dallas Opera Company.

Under the personal direction of Maurice E. Bandmann, will present the following latest London successes for the first time in St. John's.

Monday, Feb. 6--The Ordeal. Tuesday, Feb. 7--The Cingales. Wednesday, Feb. 8--The Duchess of Burgundy. Thursday, Feb. 9--Three Little Maids. Friday, Feb. 10--Veronique. Saturday, Feb. 11--The Earl and the Girl. Monday, Feb. 13--The Kait and the Season. Tuesday, Feb. 14--Sergeant Bledsoe. Wednesday, Feb. 15--Faint-up-to-Death. Seats--75c, 50c, and 25c. Seats can now be booked.

V. S. & A. CLUB.

SIXTH ANNUAL CARNIVAL.

FRIDAY, FEB. 3rd. AT THE Victoria Rink.

The following prizes will be awarded: \$10.00 Combination, 3 or more ladies or gentlemen. \$10.00 Most Original Lady. \$10.00 Most Original Gent. \$5.00 Handicapped Costume, lady. \$5.00 Handicapped costume, gent. Admission 25c. Tickets on sale at leading chemists throughout the city.

J. ARTHUR DAWSON, Sec. Treas. GEO. SALMON, President.

QUEENS' SKATING RINK.

Season 1904-5. Bands will be in attendance Tuesday and Thursday evenings and Saturday afternoons throughout the winter.

Gentlemen's Tickets, 85 Ladies' Tickets, 65 Children's Tickets, 25-50

F. G. SPENCER, Manager. House telephone 1305.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NEW BRUNSWICK TOURIST ASSOCIATION.

Will be held in the Board of Trade rooms on Thursday evening, February 2nd, at 8 p.m. The reports of the Executive Committee and Treasurer will be submitted and officers elected for the coming year. M. S. C. OLIVE, Secretary.

ROYAL INSURANCE CO. OF LIVERPOOL, £60,000,000.

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THINK IT OVER. If the next St. John city council should prove to be less intelligent, less experienced and less able to deal with important civic problems and the general administration of civic affairs than the present council, the fault will lie entirely with the citizens. Think it over.

A PROFITABLE EVENING. The discussion at the annual meeting of the Tourist Association last evening took a wide range. This grew out of the fact that there were present, in addition to members of the association, the provincial premier, the leader of the opposition, Hon. Mr. Hill of St. Stephen, and game wardens, guides and railway men. The meeting was decidedly the most interesting and instructive yet held by the Tourist Association. The executive were able to point to a record of useful and successful work during the past year, and to a good programme for the present year, while their finances are in a healthy condition. The scope of their work has been enlarged every year, and the report showed very clearly the truth of Mr. W. S. Fisher's statement, supported by Mr. A. C. Dwyer, that they work on broad lines, for the good of the whole province, and not for St. John alone.

ROOSEVELT AND RECIPROCITY. The advocates of reciprocity with Canada had another hearing before the committee of the Massachusetts legislature on Tuesday. The report of the previous day's session had made this case. I am with you, heart and soul. All we want to agree upon is as to the method of accomplishing it. What I want is the fullest possible trade relations with Canada and Newfoundland and other nations. Secretary Hay said Mr. Hill, "is most earnestly in favor of doing this. We also saw the president-elect. He told us he was doing all he could to secure a re-convening of the joint high commission, and expected shortly to hear from Laurier. He did hear from him later, but it was not so favorable. We may, however, yet be able to woo and win Canada."

Last night's Associated Press summary of conditions in Russia was as follows: Order appears to have been quite generally restored in Russia, the exceptions being in Poland. Even in Warsaw, however, there has been a return to conditions approximating the normal. The committee of ministers at St. Petersburg has formulated, and the Emperor has sanctioned, a number of proposals looking toward the establishment of a cabinet upon a basis of closer connection with the throne; doing away with the administrative orders, suspending certain laws, and in other ways checking the evils that have arisen through the arbitrary act of ministers or officials. The report that Maxim Gorky has been released is difficult of verification; the rumor is true the author has probably been requested to leave St. Petersburg immediately.

Ontario municipalities will this year make the first assessment under the act passed last year. It is worthy of note that this act provides for personal property assessment and substitutes a business and income tax. It is pointed out as the business tax is based upon the value of the realty, there will be a strong effort made by all classes of the community to have a low assessment upon realty, not only for itself alone, but for the purpose of getting down as low as possible the business tax.

POLICE REPORTS. The door of the Dunn building on Prince William street was found open and secured by the police last night. A horse attached to a delivery wagon owned by Charles Robinson, was run away on Brussels street yesterday, and was caught near Richmond street. The conveyance was badly damaged. The police loaned rings and lock to Fraser, Fraser & Co., last night to secure the door of their store at No. 71 Gormin St. Officer Ross found a Collie dog on Water street yesterday. The owner is requested to call at the officer's residence No. 107 St. James street.

"Are they first-class instruments?" "You don't have to take my word for that," replied the dealer; "these photographs speak for themselves."

TRACADIE LAZARETTO.

Medical Superintendent Submits an Interesting Annual Report.

The Dreaded Disease Rapidly Decreasing in This Province --An Efficient New Treatment.

Ottawa, Feb. 3.—Dr. Smith, medical superintendent of the leper hospital at Tracadie, N. B., in his annual report, says: "The register of the institution shows the name of fifteen inmates, ten males and five females. One of these, a man aged forty-one, has been some time out on leave of absence. His case appears to be one of those rare ones in which the malady having run its course, the effects alone remain. There are five stages of the disease, which are, however, often ill defined. Classifying the lepers in the lazaretto, the number in each stage is six; in the second, seven, and in the third, one. The youngest patient is 10, and the oldest 72 years of age. There were four deaths during the past twelve months; and three new cases were admitted—one from the province of Quebec, one from the island of St. John's, and three of English origin. Four of the lepers have lost their sight, one from repeated attacks of tritis, the others from ulcerations and lypers. Whenever practicable, the patients are given light employment in and around the building. Some of the men go boat sailing in the harbor. During the year, chaumigra oil, in combination with very beneficial effects. Even in some advanced cases, the effects of the oil are very marked, the patients becoming vigorous and expressing themselves as feeling better and much more comfortable. A medical examination of the doctor finds tubercles and the blotches so characteristic of leprosy are disappearing. In the past, are almost unknown since the introduction of the oil two years ago. Investigation through adjoining parishes, the doctor found one undoubtedly leper. This person has not yet been admitted. He also found three persons showing suspicious symptoms of leprosy. Notwithstanding this, he has again to report that leprosy is rapidly decreasing. The number of lepers has become much reduced within the past few years, and the reduction in ratio to the population is still much greater. For several years past, under instructions from the director-general, Dr. Smith has been engaged in compiling a record from all available sources of the history of the lepers from the first known cases; the local conditions connected with them; their origin, nativity, etc. As a result of this investigation he is more and more convinced of the communicability of leprosy through contagion. One case is cited from the records. A young woman, whose father was leprosy, and who herself developed the disease after marriage, had for some time with her husband's brother and his family. One of this brother's children afterwards became a leper, and four more of the children subsequently became affected and died in the lazaretto. Had the disease been promptly segregated then as it is being done today, the parents would have spared the distress of seeing five of their offspring die of leprosy, away from their home. The state of Louisiana has recently been declared a leper colony, and an expert of the United States public health and Marine Hospital has pronounced it the equal of any hospital for lepers in the world, and superior to all in equipment, and method of treatment, except that of Tracadie, N. B.

A TRIP TO LONDON.

Rev. Dr. Lindsay Parker Took an Opera House Audience on a Personally Conducted One Last Night.

With Dr. Lindsay Parker as Captain, cook and crew the large audience at the Opera House took a trip to London last night. In the absence of the president of the Church of England Institute, under the auspices of which the lecture was given, presided, and in a few graceful sentences introduced the lecturer, who, his remarks, was well and favorably known to St. John audiences, although personally he had never had the pleasure of meeting him until a few minutes previously.

Dr. Parker humorously observed that the chairman seemed to feel some little gratification in that fact, but he could assure him that the feeling was not reciprocated on the speaker's part. The trip across the ocean was made on the White Star liner, the Celtic, a picture of which was thrown upon the canvas. Several other shipboard scenes were shown. About eighty pictures in all were shown.

Westminster Abbey was one of the most interesting places visited; and among the immortals recalled to the memory of the audience was Charles Dickens, the creator of Micawber and the bumbling Sairy Gamp. The artist's conceptions of these celebrated characters were shown, and each was characterized in the inimitable style of the lecturer.

Pitt, Fox, Burke and Sheridan and others of that brilliant galaxy of famous orators whose robes repose in the Abbey, were passed in swift review by the speaker. "What's the matter with Hannah?" was the lecturer's eloquent epitome of the famous scene in the Abbey, which he referred to as the "beautiful royal palace and of the grim and forbidding Tower of London and taken to Hyde Park and the fatal square. Dr. Parker cordially hearted the lecturer, who is honored with a memorial in the Abbey, and the audience was given a glimpse of the beautiful royal palace and of the grim and forbidding Tower of London and taken to Hyde Park and the fatal square. Dr. Parker cordially hearted the lecturer, who is honored with a memorial in the Abbey, and the audience was given a glimpse of the beautiful royal palace and of the grim and forbidding Tower of London and taken to Hyde Park and the fatal square.

OBITUARY.

R. B. Gilmore. R. B. Gilmore, who for many years has carried on the corner of Union and St. Patrick streets, died at his home last evening. He was attacked by a very violent cold, almost without warning. A little time after supper last night, he came down stairs to where the family was assembled, and said he had a bad spell. Mrs. Gilmore had at once administered to him, and when the doctor arrived, Mr. Gilmore had breathed his last. He is survived by his wife, his daughter, a school teacher, and two sons, John and Robert who reside at home.

Mrs. W. D. M. Pearson. Mrs. W. D. M. Pearson, died at her home in Halifax last evening. She was sixty-five years of age, and leaves a grown up family.

Mrs. Andrew Garrick. Mrs. Andrew Garrick, the beloved wife of Andrew Garrick, a member of No. 1 Wellington engine company, died at her home, 126 St. James street, yesterday. The members of the company and friends attended the funeral, and the bereaved family accompanied by the bereaved family and her loss, of a beloved wife and mother. Mrs. Garrick was for some years of age, had been ill for some time. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon.

WEDDINGS.

Nice—Carr. A very pretty, though quiet wedding was celebrated last evening at J. M. Christopher's, Guildford St., when Charles R. Carr by Rev. R. W. Ferguson. Among the invited guests was a beautiful upholstered rocker presented by the groom's fellow employees at Leonard Bros. upholstery establishment. The happy couple will reside on Guildford street.

THEY ARE IMPROVING.

The condition of Police Officer Hamilton is reported as practically unchanged. Police Sgt. Baxter is progressing favorably, and was out for a short time yesterday. Policeman Smith is reported as somewhat improved to-day.

C. P. R. IMPROVEMENTS.

During the coming season the C. P. R. will spend on improvements on the Atlantic division, from St. John to Megantic, and branch lines, not less than \$275,000, and it is possible that this amount may be largely increased by other work not yet definitely decided upon. The appropriations, made out by the St. John officials, have been forwarded to Montreal, and most of them have been approved of, while others have not yet been considered. There will be \$150,000 for new bridges. The Carleton branch will be laid with new 72 lb. rails. New sidings and other improvements along the main line are provided for.

FIRST-CLASS JEWELRY

Marked Down to Clear. Who Wants a Watch?

DON'T ALL SPEAK AT ONCE as the supply is limited, but those in need, or even fancy they are, I can and will provide with a first class article of either Waltham, Elgin, Springfield or Swiss make in the very newest and best style SOLID GOLD, GOLD FILLED or SILVER CASES, at very lowest prices to enforce cash sales. Also a splendid line of Ladies' and Gents' chains to match. Call and see the goods and be sure they are all right and warranted by W. Tremaine Gard. Goldsmith and Jeweler. 77 Charlotte Street.

AN ATLANTIC

FAST SERVICE. Resolutions Adopted by the Montreal Board of Trade.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted, at the annual meeting of the Montreal board of trade this week: "Whereas, this board has for many years past advocated the government's establishment of a fast passenger and mail steamship service between Canada and Great Britain; and Whereas, this board submitted at the fifth congress of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire, held here in 1903, the following resolution, and procured its adoption: "It is resolved, that this congress considers it of the utmost importance to the interest of the Empire that the United Kingdom and her colonies should adopt the policy under which lines of steamships will be secured and retained, for (1) the provision of fast mail services on the several routes; and (2) the development and control of trade between the Mother Country, and her possessions, and between the colonies themselves." "Therefore, resolved, that this board urges upon the Dominion Government, special consideration of this matter; with a view to the granting of the subsidy necessary for the establishment of a fast line of steamships between this country and Great Britain."

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NOTICE OF MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Tobique Valley Railway Co., will be held at the office of the president, James Knox Walker's wharf, St. John, N. B., on THURSDAY the 16th day of FEBRUARY, A. D. 1905, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before the meeting. Dated January 18th, A. D. 1905. JAMES KNOX, President. CLARENCE H. FERGUSON, Secretary.

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To Rise Every Morning Fit to Face the World One Needs All One's VITALITY. A Cold or a Cough is a severe handicap and it spells DANGER To Avoid, or Cure, Seek the Best Remedy. George Philips I. C. R. Ticket Agent and Exchange Broker, St. John, N. B., says: "I was completely cured of influenza cold by a bottle of Hawker's Tolu and Wild Cherry Balm." H. A. McKeown Ex-M. P. P., St. John, N. B., says: "I take great pleasure in stating that I have used Hawker's Tolu and Cherry Balm for the last eight years and consider it the best cough cure I ever used. I find Hawker's Liver Pills an excellent liver regulator."

THE COUNTRY MARKET.

As the Roads are Cleared Produce Comes in More Freely.

During the past week the supply of country produce has been exceptionally poor, the big storm having stopped the farmers from driving in to the city. The country roads, however, are now open, and a large amount of produce was brought in this morning. The prices for the week are quoted as follows: Turkeys, 22-24c; ducks, \$1.50-\$2; chickens, 50c-\$1.50; geese, \$1.40-\$1.75; mutton, 10c; veal, 10c; beef, 8c-10c; western beef, 18c; lamb and mutton, 7c-14c; pork, 12c-dried, 10c; hams and bacon, 16c-18c; beef, 10c; mutton, 10c; veal, 10c; carrots, beets, and parsnips, 30c; cabbage, 6c-15c; squash, 3c; potatoes, 20c; parsley, 5c; tomatoes, 30c; cucumbers, 20c; mushrooms, 48c; per can; tub butter, 18-20c; case eggs, 20c; henry eggs, 35c.

"I'm engaged in the dairy business now," said the lawyer. "You don't say!" exclaimed his friend, the doctor. "Fact," rejoined the legal light. "I'm milking an estate."

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THE ST. JOHN EVENING TIMES, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1905

News of Sport.

THE KLONDIKERS WON AGAIN LAST NIGHT.

Manager Hanson and Trojans Come to Terms-- News of the Curlers--Wrestling--Y. M. C. A. Notes--Baseball, Turf and General Items of Interest.

HOCKEY.

Dawson, 5; St. John, 0.

Again St. John went down before a visiting team, when the Dawson boys trimmed them last night to the time of 5 to 0. The Klondikers played all round the home team both in combination and individual play. The St. John boys worked hard and at times played strong, but it was woefully apparent, as on every occasion they have played this season, that they cannot shoot. Time after time good chances to score were lost on account of their inability to place the puck. Inches, played a good game, and did the most aggressive work for St. John, and while it might be said that the other boys played hard and fast, yet their inaccurate shooting no doubt lost them the game.

For the Dawson's McLennan, Young and Johnston did effective work, as did also Smith who played in place of Fairburn at centre. H. Sturdee as referee was very satisfactory. Two of the visitors were sent to the side for a rest for rough work.

The teams lined up as follows-- Dawson Goal. St. John Forrester. Point. Carlyle. Johnstone. Centre. Brown. Young. Left Wing. Inches. Smith. Rover. Mooney. McLennan. Right Wing. Kennedy. Lett. Murray. Watt. Timers. Jas. Boyle, F. G. Campbell.

The game started at 8.35 with some end to end work, in which Inches, Johnstone and Brown figured. Smith gave Murray a bad dump into the end of the rink, and he received a well earned five minutes' rest. Young passed to McLennan, who tried for goal, but could not connect. Johnstone's rush and shot were annulled by Carlyle's good stop. Kennedy rushed but shot at too great a distance. Crowe began to warm up and was making good dashes. St. John went on the defence for a while. Young's work was marred by Crowe, and Murray started up the side. St. John's general in having the players from the far north as guests in their city. He hoped that some time in the near future they would be able to repay their visit. He then called upon the manager of the team, Mr. Boyle.

Mr. Boyle assured his hearers that the team appreciated the gentlemanly and sportsmanlike way in which they had been treated while in this city, and in a trip comprising many enjoyable experiences none would be looked back upon with greater delight than the time spent in St. John. Stephen C. Matthews then entertained the gathering with a comic song and recitation. Mr. Rainie responded to calls for a whistle solo, and the health of F. G. Spencer, who had been instrumental in bringing the Dawson City players to this part of Canada was proposed and drunk amid hearty cheers. In response Mr. Spencer expressed his pleasure in having the visitors from the Klondike in this part of Canada, and trusted their experiences had been pleasant. Dr. T. Dawson Walker was also called upon for a few remarks. Capt. Young thanked the people of St. John on behalf of himself and team for the generous treatment they had received. He felt amply repaid for journeying so far, and of all the good sportsmen they had met during the trip none could touch the St. John representatives. He hoped it might be possible to repeat the trip, and extended an invitation to a St. John team to visit his far away home in the Yukon, where he assured one and all that a hearty welcome will be ready for everyone coming from St. John.

As the visitors had to take the early train for Fredericton the gathering broke up before midnight. God Save the King and Auld Lang Syne were sung.

Long Lists.

There was an excellent exhibition of "tumbling" at the Queen's rink last night, all the players took their turn at it.

Crowe who took Sturdee's place on the team played well, but he showed lack of wind and practice.

Collins may be small but he gave as good as he got last night.

When the St. John boys learn to shoot we can look for a winning score, but not until then.

The Klondikers are keeping up the reputation they made of beating every picked septette they have played.

Why not have a game between the lady hockeists and one of our invincible teams?

The Trojan Matter.

The Fredericton Gleaner states that the difficulty between the Trojans and Manager Hanson of the Arctic rink has been satisfactorily settled.

Mr. Hanson will pay all the travelling expenses of the team when they are away on their foreign trips. For the league games this will amount to something like \$175.00. The Trojans will have the exclusive use of one of the rooms at the rink as a dressing room on the nights of matches. Mr. Hanson will pay to the

from this city were defeated after a closely contested game by a score of 54 to 67. After the game finished the visitors were lunched and entertained by the Fredericton club. The following is the score by rinks:

St. Andrew's, Fredericton. S.A. Jones, B. Lemont. R.M. Magee, H.V. Bridges. H.H. Harvey, H. Campbell. W.A. Stewart, T.L. Fowler. skip 12 skip 10. C.H. Allen, N. Doherty. F.C. Beatty, T.A. Wilson. P.A. Clarke, R.F. Fendolip. S.S. Barker, S.D. Siamons. skip 16 skip 15. Evening. R.J. Dineen, W. Yewart. W.B. Howard, A.V. Masie. O.S. Robertson, H.C. Jutter. J.L. Thomas, H.L. Hawthorne. skip 18 skip 19. H. Bedford, H. Croxy. W.T. White, J.C. Macnitz. W.P. Harrison, H.P. Hatt. E.A. Smith, Jas. Tibbitts. skip 19 skip 19. Total 54 skip 67.

Tee Shots.

Napoleon on deck again. What do you think of the new handles "Jamie"?

Dick Tibbitts made it warm for Skip Smith.

The boys always have a good time at the capital.

Thistles Defeat Hampton.

The Thistles defeated the Hampton curlers on Thistle ice last evening. Thistles scoring 77 to their opponents 37.

The scores by rinks were: Hampton Thistle. H.H. McCallan, H.C. Olive. Dr. Wilson, H.G. Chesley. E. Sprout, H.C. Chesley. W.A. Schindler, A.W. Sharp. skip 9 skip 28. W. Barnes, E.L. Corbett. H. Brown, H.M. McAlpine. F. Gagey, D. McLeod. W. A. Shaw, W. J. Brown. skip 11 skip 33. D. Dole, A.P. Patterson. H. Appleby, H.N. Sharp. W. March, J.S. Macdonald. W. Langstroth, A.W. Malcolm. skip 17 skip 28. Total 77 skip 37.

Thistles and Carleton.

The Thistle club play an eight rink match with the Carleton club on Tuesday next, three rinks in the afternoon and three rinks in the evening on Carleton ice. A special meeting of the club will be held this evening to elect skip for the above game.

Truro Wins From Amherst.

Truro, N. S., Feb. 2.—The Truro junior curlers in a league game defeated Amherst tonight 54 to 41. Skips Fraser and McDowell, of Truro, beat Skips Carter and Black of Amherst, 20 to 16 and 11 to 9 respectively, and Skip McLaughlin, of Amherst, won from Skip Christie, of Truro, 16 to 13. The ice was excellent.

Ladies Play Gentlemen.

The St. Andrew's club ladies are playing the gentlemen at their rink this afternoon. The ladies' rinks will be skipped by Mrs. J. P. Barnes, Mrs. J. D. Harn, Mrs. Geo. K. McLeod and Mrs. Frank White.

CURLING.

Fredericton Defeats St. John.

At Fredericton yesterday afternoon and evening the St. Andrew's curlers

WRESTLING. Jenkins Flogged by Gotch. Cleveland, O., Feb. 2.—Frank Gotch of Humbolt, Iowa, tonight successfully defended his title of champion of the United States in a wrestling match with Tom Jenkins, of Cleveland. Gotch won the second and third falls in one minute and twelve seconds respectively. Jenkins took the first fall in twenty-eight minutes. The contest was for the title of heavyweight champion of the United States and a purse of \$2,000. The exhibition was the most exciting that has been seen here in years and attracted a crowd of probably 3,000 spectators, many of whom came from Buffalo and surrounding Ohio towns.

BILLIARDS.

United States Championship.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—At the end of the third day's play in the amateur billiard tournament for the National championship, Charles F. Conkling of Chicago, and Wilson, H. Sigourney, of San Francisco, are tied for first honors, each having won both games that he has participated in. J. F. Poggenburg of New York, present champion is next high, having won one game and lost none but there is little likelihood that Poggenburg will return to finish.

The results today were as follows: Schmitt defeats Rein, 300 to 281. Threshie defeats Stack, 300 to 284. Cockfin defeated Norris 300 to 262.

BASEBALL.

Indoor Game at Y. M. C. A.

A game of baseball took place in the Y. M. C. A. last evening, when the reds defeated the blues and yielding them in the lead of the contest which is carried on every Thursday afternoon. The line up of teams was as follows: Reds—Pitcher, Armstrong; catcher, Melrose; 1st base, Skinner; 2nd base, Short; 3rd base Miller; short stop, Cutlip; left field, McAvity; centre field, Smith; right field, DeForest. Blues—Pitcher, Smith; catcher, Boyer; 1st base, McLaughlin; 2nd base, Golding; 3rd base, Seddler; short stop, Young; left field, McHugh; centre field, McLean; right field, Stein.

As a result of winning yesterday the reds have a good lead in the contest, the score to date being: Reds, 1,014 points; blues, 988; yellows, 784. Next Thursday's events are the tug-of-war and back jump.

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The roots of the hair penetrate the skin about one-twelfth of an inch.

MISCELLANEOUS.

World's Record Broken.

Palm Beach, Fla., Feb. 2.—In the International motor boat carnival today, W. Gould Brokaves motor boat Challenger, operated by Proctor Smith, made a kilometre in one minute and 21 seconds flat, and broke the world's record.

Keep Your Bowels Regular In Nature's Way.

Suppose your bowels fail to move for a week or ten days. Don't you know you would be quickly prostrated? Of course you do. It is just the same, differing in degree, when your bowels don't move once every day. You know you soon become languid and tired, and your head goes bad and you feel out of sorts—just all over—if you don't have a full, healthy passage daily. Don't let such serious conditions develop. Use Smith's Pinapple and Buttermilk Pills. They will drive bowel poison out of your system and establish regularity. These little pills are purely vegetable and cure in one night.

Remember that bowel poison is the direct cause of slow, wasting fevers, loss of memory, female weakness, nervous prostration and general debility. Bowel poison leads to misery and death as surely as constipation or heart disease; the well-advised use of Smith's Pinapple and Buttermilk Pills will cure and establish bowel, stomach and liver health. Sick at night, wake in the morning. Smith's Pinapple and Buttermilk Pills cure constipation, biliousness, headache in one night. Ask dealer, 25 cents.

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THE ST. JOHN EVENING TIMES, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1905.

THIS EVENING. Preparatory service at St. Stephen's church.

Local News.

The treasury board meets this afternoon. The Y. M. C. A. senior sleigh drive will take place Feb. 16th. The arrest book at police headquarters showed a clean sheet this morning. The Boston express was fifty-five minutes late today and the Atlantic one hour and fifty minutes.

A VISITOR FROM 'FRISCO.

Shirley Baker Talks of the Californian Metropolis--In St. John on Business.

Shirley Baker, manager of The Excelsior Wooden Pipe Co. of San Francisco is at the Royal. This company is practically the largest in this line on the continent and the object of Mr. Baker's visit here is to look over the ground in connection with the proposed water works extension to Loch Lomond, with a view to making a bid for the contract. Interviewed by a Times reporter Mr. Baker said: "I am here to have a look over the local conditions in connection with the water works extension and may possibly make a bid for the contract."

SEVERAL BIG FIRES IN VARIOUS CITIES.

Montreal Has \$120,000 Blaze--Twenty Families Burned Out in New York--Six Buildings Destroyed in St. Louis--Family Is Suffocated.

Montreal, Feb. 3.--(Special).--A disastrous fire started about 8 o'clock this morning in the building owned by the Robillard estate on St. Lawrence Main street, and occupied by Tuckett Cigar Co. Merchants Telephone Company's central exchange and Peeters Light Company. Here and there could be seen men frozen to the ladders, and others with their faces and hands frost bitten. The heat was so intense that the telephone and electric cables on the opposite side of the street were melted, and falling to the ground, making a spectacular display. After three hours hard work the fire was under control. The loss is estimated at \$125,000, with insurance at \$25,000.

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SOME FUNNY THINGS

That Were Said at the Tourist Association Meeting Last Night.

Mr. Moore, one of the members of the Guides Association, who was present at last evening's meeting of the Tourist Association provoked much laughter by his ready replies to questions. He had been asked about the resorts of moose, caribou and deer, and their food, and had also replied to questions about bears, lynx, catamounts and wolves, when Geo. Robertson, M. P. P. enquired: "Did you ever see a yobo, Mr. Moore?" "Yes, sir," promptly replied Mr. Moore, "there's lots of them right around here."

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

At the Royal--William Robson, Cambridge; J. E. Vincent, Montreal; W. A. Emery, Boston. At the Victoria--F. W. Broderick, Ottawa; N. S. Tompkins, Meductic; W. D. Gillies, Springfield; E. M. Pond, Calais; L. Marchand, Montreal; J. M. Kennan, Boston. At the Dufferin--J. C. Simms, Charlottetown; T. E. Hester, Fredericton; W. R. McMurray, Peel. At the Clifton--F. S. Hanford, Amherst; M. D. Colbath, Bangor; H. E. Puddington, Queensdown; Miss Wilmot, Salisbury. At the New Victoria--John Greenham, Boston.

THE BANDMANN COMPANY.

The coming season of the Bandmann Dallas Opera Company is no doubt going to prove a record one for us here, as the advance sale of seats is progressing rapidly, which shows what a welcome change music will be after such a long run of comedies and dramas. The repertoire for the season is undoubtedly a strong and varied one and entirely new to St. John. We are assured that the different operas will be staged in a superior style than before as Mr. Bandmann has had special scenery painted and has spared no expense in procuring an excellent wardrobe in order to ensure each piece being a genuine success.

KLONDIKERS IN THE VIC.

The Klondyke hockey team won't get a thing done to them tonight in Victoria rink--yes in the old Victoria rink it will be thought this round icy circle is not suited to play the great sliding game, but it is, as will be seen. You must remember that it is carnival night down on City Road and the Klondykiers are to be carried by a band of young men, who will certainly provide a puncheon coons, tramps, Happy Hooligans, pretty maidens and brave men. A regular grand masquerade ball on the ice. Forty dollars in chilly currency for the winners.

IT WAS KITCHENER.

Hermann Klein relates the following incident in his "Thirty Years of Musical Life in London." "At Drury Lane, on one occasion, actively assisting the manager in training an array of supers in an imaginary fight with African natives was a gentleman in a frock coat and tall hat, of undeniably military appearance, who impressed me both by his quiet, masterful manner and his unperturbable patience with which he directed manoeuvres to be repeated over and over again until they were satisfactorily executed. After the rehearsal Sir Augustus Harris beckoned me to approach. "Klein," he said, "I want to introduce you to my friend, Major Kitchener, who has been kind enough to come and help me with a little soldering work."

MAHER IS DECHARGED BUT MCINTYRE IS HELD.

Judge Forbes Had the Two North End Boys Charged With Burglarizing McGuire's Liquor Store Before Him This Morning in Chambers.

The case against Harry Maher and William McIntyre came up in county Court chambers this morning before Judge Forbes. Maher pleaded guilty and McIntyre, not guilty. Mr. Ferguson stated that all the witnesses were not present. His honor observed that he would live to have Donovan and several others who were in the stable at the time the arrests were made. He then asked statements to make about the prisoners. James G. Bryden, with whom Maher was employed, stated that the prisoner had been employed with him since the death of his father. He had conducted himself creditably and up till this winter had given in no trouble as far as he knew. He had given Maher his board and two dollars a week during the summer, and in winter not so much. He had walked over to town every night, but was nearly always in the house at half-past ten o'clock. "Would you guarantee his good conduct if he were allowed to go on his own and your recognizance?" asked His Honor. "Yes, your honor, indeed I would," was the reply. In addressing the prisoner, His Honor said that the charge was a very serious one, breaking and entering a person's house at night, and that according to law he could be sent to the penitentiary for fourteen years. He had inspired him to commit the crime, and then enjoyed the fruits of his work. His Honor severely criticized the press company in whose bars the prisoners were arrested. He strongly advised Maher to shun barroom liquor as he would poison; for if he did not they would drag him down, and he would again be in jail before long. His honor said he was not there to send him to the penitentiary and destroy his life, nor could he see his way clear to send him to jail, which was even worse. Neither could he send him to the reformatory. He would let him go on his own and employers' recognizance, thus giving him another chance, with the warning that should he ever be brought before him again, he would sentence him to seven years in the penitentiary. His employer had taken a kindly interest in him, and this was more than bad companions would do, for than bad companions would do, for when he got into trouble, he again urged Maher to avoid liquor, and he was shocked to think that he had demanded drink on the night of his arrest, and said it was no wonder

BASEBALL Schedule Big Leagues.

New York, Feb. 2.--After a long conference here with H. C. Pulliam, president of the National League, Ban Johnson, president of the American League, had practical agreement on the playing schedule for the coming season. President Johnson arrived from Washington last night, and he succeeded in effecting the sale of the American League Club in that city to local capitalists. He had gone over the schedule with President Pulliam, he said, "and everything will be satisfactory. I have gone over the five conflicting dates in this city as against 11 last year. The New York Americans will open the championship season on Feb. 14, at Washington and will come back here to open American League Park on April 21, a week later. The season will close October 8. This will leave only seven days for the playing of the world's series. "As far as the demands of the minor leagues are concerned, the American League will never accept the proposition they have submitted." The schedule meeting of the American League will be held in this city, Feb. 20, and that of the National League either on that date or Feb. 15. Husband, "Why in the world do you keep your new fur box hanging out on the line?" Mrs. Fluffy, "Because I nearly roast with it on this kind of weather, and it's the only way I can let people know that I've got it!"

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

C. P. Nixon, formerly of the Bank of New Brunswick here, but now of the B. N. A. Bank at Ottawa, came to St. John yesterday to spend his vacation with his father, Geo. Nixon. Mrs. D. N. Vanwart, who has been visiting relatives in Boston is staying at the home of her uncle, John N. Golding, Paradise Row, for a few weeks. Hon. Wm. Pugsley went to Fredericton yesterday morning. Mrs. Frank Armstrong, formerly of Indiantown, but now of Calais, was in the city for a few days, up to yesterday. Recorder Skinner returned to the city last evening from Fredericton. George Chamberlain, who for some days has been confined to his home with a heavy cold, was out yesterday. Dr. J. W. McLean and Mrs. McLean, of North Sydney, were at the Dufferin last evening. Bruce Macfarlane, of Fredericton, passed through today to Moncton. Bruce has many friends in this city who will be pleased to see him around again after his recent illness. He had to undergo an operation for an abscess. James D. Howe, the well known furniture manufacturer, is confined to his home through illness. Mrs. R. B. Simonds, Dartmouth, N. S., is staying with her mother, Mrs. L. Goldman, 398 Sherbourne street, Toronto.

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