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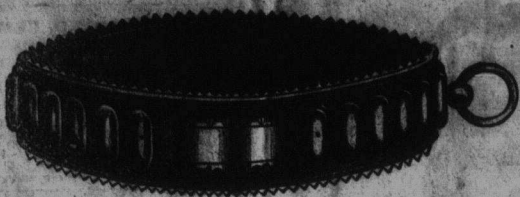
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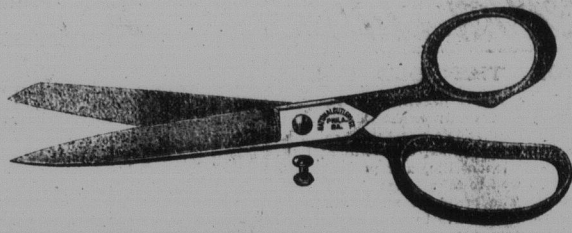
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PRESENTATION TO A. J. HEATH.

The new arrangement in the C. P. R. passenger department went into effect today. C. H. Foster occupying the position formerly held by A. J. Heath. The latter leaves for Montreal via Boston this evening.

This afternoon the members of the passenger department staff waited upon Mr. Heath in the offices on King street and presented him with a handsome looking bearing the inscription, "Passenger Dept. Staff, C. P. R., Feb. 15, 1902," and on the reverse Mr. Heath's monogram. In making the presentation W. H. C. Mackay spoke of the many pleasant years Mr. Heath had been connected with the department, and while regretting his transference, congratulated him on his promotion and wished him every success in his new work. Mr. Heath made a suitable reply.

AT OTTAWA.

In parliament yesterday Mr. Campbell, of West York, moved the address and Dr. Beland of Beauce, seconded it. Mr. Borden, the opposition leader, keenly criticised the government and Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied. The house adjourned till Monday.

A WEEK'S DEATHS.

There have been fourteen deaths during the week from the following causes:

Consumption	3
Gastritis	2
Bronchitis	1
Suicide	1
Insanitation	1
Bright's Disease	1
Gangrene	1
Old Age	1
Strangulated Hernia	1
Epileptic Fit	1
Pulmonary Congestion	1

NEW ENGLAND TEA.

Lend-A-Hand circle of the King's Daughters held a novel New England tea at the guild rooms this afternoon. Beans, brown bread, pie and doughnuts were the staple delicacies offered for sale. Visitors were received by Mrs. John Foster and Mrs. Hetherington. The tea tables were in charge of Mrs. Bullock, Mrs. Dean, Miss Iddolls and Mrs. Wood. Miss Flo Bullock and Miss Hanson had charge of the candy table.

Mrs. John Parks, 165 Main street, died suddenly this morning at the residence of her son-in-law, Scott Estey. Mrs. Parks was sixty-three years of age and has been sick for a short time. She leaves three sons and one daughter.

THREE YEARS OLD BOY

Deliberately Burns His Baby Sister to Death.

HAMMOND, Ind., Feb. 15.—William Nowak, the three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Nowak, of this city, is said to have deliberately set fire to the clothing of his sister and watched her burn to death. At the inquest, it developed that the father of the child, who is a fireman, had gone to his work, the mother reprimanded the boy for some trifling fault and locked the children in the kitchen while she went to a grocery store. In one corner of the kitchen was a cupboard and on the shelf were stored matches. The mother was absent about 15 minutes. When she returned and opened the kitchen door the sickening odor of burning flesh almost overpowered her. On the floor lay the fifteen months old girl, writhing in pain and burned almost beyond recognition. Standing near by was her little brother watching the flames, which had begun to eat into the pine floor of the room. The boy, who is precocious and talkative, said at the inquest that he had lighted the baby's clothes. He exhibited no grief upon being shown the charred body.

PRINCE HENRY'S GOOD TIME.

KIEL, Holstein, Prussia, Feb. 14.—Admiral Prince Henry of Prussia dropped his books on America and romped with his children most of the day. He and the princess and their children went out coasting again. Prince Henry went down on his stomach back wards and standing up. Once, while darting down the hill, standing, the sled struck a hillock, wildly gyrated, and the prince pitched into the snow, which caused the boys to scream with delight. The princess also made a descent standing. She looked quite girlish.

Prince Henry went to the Kiel yacht club yesterday evening. The young fellows stayed away. About twenty of the elders were present, mostly naval officers. Three bowls of punch were mixed. The prince proposed "The United States" and the toast was drunk to the chorus of "Hohe." In a bunch of newspaper clippings that came to the prince this morning from Berlin was one which described the "Hohenzollern punch," invented by a Broadway bar tender. On the margin of the clipping the emperor, in his own handwriting had written: "Schrecklicher Katzenjammer am morgen." (What a headache in the morning.) The prince's special train will leave here at eight in the morning. The princess will not go to Bremer Haven to bid the prince farewell.

THE BOER EMISSARY.

BRUSSELS, Feb. 15.—It is said that the desire to keep the departure of Dr. Mueller, the former consul of the Orange Free State in Holland, for the U. S. a secret, was so keen the Boer emissary booked his passage under an assumed name.

According to report, Mr. Kruger's letter to President Roosevelt, of which Dr. Mueller is the bearer, does not appeal for intervention, but expresses regret that he is unable at present to personally congratulate President Roosevelt on his accession to office and concludes with a gratified allusion to the numerous invitations to visit the great republic which have arrived and are still arriving. Resulting regarding the Boer propaganda in the U. S., Dr. Mueller will direct his efforts principally to obtaining government prohibition of the exportation of articles regarded by the Boers as contraband of war, thus indirectly eliciting an opinion on the war from the United States government.

BRITISH ARMY ESTIMATES.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—The army estimates issued today show a grand total for the year 1902-03 of £69,310,000, which is intended to provide 420,000 men, of which 219,700 men are for the ordinary army service and 200,300 for war service. The estimate of which £40,000,000 is required for war, show a decrease under this head of £23,230,000 compared with 1901-02.

A memorandum from the war secretary, Mr. Broderick, explains that there are sufficient funds to maintain a field force in South Africa, of the present strength, for eight or nine months of the new financial year.

TROOPS CALLED OUT.

TRIEST, Feb. 15.—Crowds throng the streets this morning, but military patrols keep the strikers and public generally quiet. All the squares and public buildings are occupied by soldiers and large contingents of the military forces are in readiness for immediate action. Business is suspended. A number of those who were wounded when the troops on the Piazza Grande fired a volley into a mob yesterday, killing six and wounding twenty persons, have since died.

ELLA STARR DEAD.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Ella Starr, a well known contributor to newspapers and periodicals, is dead at Fishkill, after an illness of several months. She was for three years editor of Frank Leslie's Young Folk and contributed to Judge and Life. She also spent some time abroad as a newspaper correspondent.

TOLSTOI BETTER.

YALTA, Feb. 15.—Count Tolstoi is improving. His pulse is 90 and his temperature is satisfactory. The change for the worse in his condition, which occurred yesterday evening, was caused by a spread of the pulmonary inflammation to the right lung. The inflammation is beginning to subside.

FIREMEN'S MISTAKE.

Dragged Out Six Dead Bodies From a Dissecting Room.

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Firemen who groped their way through fire and smoke and dragged six dead bodies into the street from Bennett hospital at Ada and Fulton streets, late last night, carried on their heroic labor in the belief that they were rescuing persons who had been asphyxiated, and not until the flames had been subdued did they learn that they had been in the dissecting room of the Bennett hospital college and rescued the bodies before they were put on the dissecting table of the school. Several of the cadavers were clothed, having been brought to the school yesterday. The dissecting room and laboratory of the college were destroyed, entailing a loss of \$5,000.

A score of patients in the hospital were badly frightened, but none were injured. The firemen had supposed that the buildings were used exclusively for hospital purposes.

SHOOTING LIVE BIRDS.

Effect of Proposed Legislation Stated From Sportsman's Standpoint.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 15.—The sportsman's Review, published in Cincinnati, the official organ of the trap shooters of the United States and Canada, says:

"The bills pending before different legislatures to prevent the shooting of live birds will work an incalculable damage to farmers and charitable institutions. Throughout the United States and Canada there are farmers who make their living by raising pigeons for sale to trap shooters. Every bird shot is given to some hospital, so that suffering patients receive a delicacy which they otherwise could not get. The trap shooters unite in saying that there is no inhumanity whatever in killing the birds, and that it does not exhaust the supply of natural birds, and that the agitation is due to misapprehension of the facts."

TWELVE PALL BEARERS

For the Dead Man Weighed Seven Hundred Pounds.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—It required the utmost strength of twelve men to carry to the grave the casket containing the remains of Dennis Leahy, whose funeral has just been held. The dead man weighed 700 pounds. His enormous weight had been acquired within the past ten years. When he turned the 500 pound mark two years ago a physician pronounced his case due to fatty degeneration of the heart, and told Leahy his death was only a question of time. Appreciating the trouble his interment might cause his friends, Leahy hunted up a place of residence close to a cemetery, and it was necessary to carry the casket only a short distance.

BRIEFS BY WIRE.

HONG KONG, Feb. 15.—S. S. Athenian arrived here at seven o'clock morning of fourteenth, from Vancouver.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 15.—Herr Horup, the minister of public works, who had been suffering from cancer, is dead.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—William Waldorf Astor, as a preliminary to going in for horse racing, has registered his colors, under the Jockey club rules. They are light blue with pink sash and cap.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Charles T. Yerkes, who has been reported to be seriously ill, has been confined to his room as the result of a chill, but he has transacted business daily and is improving. Mr. Yerkes expects to be out Feb. 17.

BURNED TO DEATH.

WASHINGTON, Penn., Feb. 15.—Mrs. Henry Dague and her three-year-old son were fatally burned last night by the child pulling an oil lamp off the table. An explosion followed, and the blazing oil was scattered over the two. Henry Dague, the husband, was also badly burned while trying to rescue his child.

RESOURCEFUL "MURPHY."

"Your pal to a cinder." Evans has at last distinguished himself by being arrested. During the past week or two, Evans, or "Murphy," as he is familiarly known, has engaged in different occupations. One of them was selling horse medicine, and when Murphy struck a prospective customer who had no horse he was advised to use it on himself. In cases where this advice was not accepted the customer was given a chance to buy a photo of Evans or Murphy lying on the ground eating.

On Monday last Evans got a job in Progress office removing copper engravings from the blocks to which they were fastened. The proprietor of Progress went away on a business trip and during his absence Evans removed the engravings and some type metal for the purpose of selling them. He tried McAvity and E. Lantulum, but they did not feel like buying, so he finally disposed of the lot to Goldberg, a junk dealer on Water street. This morning Evans was arrested, but as the goods were recovered, Mr. Carter of Progress did not wish to prosecute and he was let go. Evans states that he is going back to England on a cattle boat, although he denies having come out on one. He has the satisfaction of knowing that he stuck the police cop for 25c. to pay for a ride to the jail.

Among the vessels that touch at Hong-Kong, the English flag leads, followed by Germany, Japan, France, China, America, in the order given.

ANOTHER I. C. R. ACCIDENT.

A Serious Head-on Collision at Sydney Yesterday.

(Special to Star.)

SYDNEY, N. S.—Feb. 15.—A serious head on collision took place here yesterday within sight of the railway station, that resulted in two engines and several cars being completely wrecked and the trestle work of the Dominion Coal Co. more or less damaged. Shortly after eleven o'clock a train of seven cars of dolomite was coming in from Scotch Lake. The driver noticed the semaphore down, and was proceeding to the station. On turning the curve at Townsend crossing he was horrified to see a shunter coming out the main line. He reversed, and after applying the brakes, jumped. The driver of the shunter also reversed, but the two engines were close on to each other, at the time and a collision could not be averted. They collided. The shunter had two carloads of steel girders for the steel company that were too high to go underneath the bridge. The impact threw the train back, and the girders came in contact with the Dominion Coal Co.'s trestle work, and carried it away. It fell with a heavy crash on the car. Fortunately no one was injured.

One of the engines will be taken to Moncton for repairs, the other was wrecked beyond repair. The accident occurred through a misunderstanding of signals. The man operating the semaphore, dropped it, thinking the line was clear when it was not.

JEFFRIES AND FITZ.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Robert Fitzsimmons, former world's champion pugilist, said today he would accept a proposition made by James J. Jeffries, present holder of the title, for a finish contest between them, the winner to take sixty per cent and the loser forty per cent of the entire purse. Fitzsimmons said he was willing to sign articles at any time and the only stipulation he wished to make was that the winner should have all of the picture privileges proceeds. He thought the fight should take place before the club offering the largest purse.

Jeffries expressed himself as well pleased when informed of Fitzsimmons' intentions. He arranged to meet Fitzsimmons tomorrow and sign articles. He said he would be ready to fight in April or May. The battle ground will probably be on the Pacific coast.

TORONTO.

(Special to Star.)

TORONTO, Feb. 15.—The city is in danger of a soft coal famine and it is feared that factories will have to shut down for ten days or a fortnight.

The biggest sale of timber limits for many years in Canada has just been made. All the property of Cook Brothers has been sold to Cook & Lumsden for \$1,250,000.

Notice has been given that application will be made to the present session of parliament for an act to incorporate the Metropolitan Bank of Canada.

CANADA IN LONDON.

(Special to Star.)

TORONTO, Feb. 14.—The Evening Telegram's London cable says: Lord Strathcona and a deputation will, on Thursday, ask the colonial secretary to induce the government to provide transport to take Welsh settlers in Patagonia to Canada.

In the colonial exhibition at the Royal Exchange, Canada occupies the whole north side of the hall.

ROBERT GLOVER'S DEATH.

(Special to Star.)

SYDNEY, N. S., Feb. 15.—The inquiry of the coroner's jury into the circumstances surrounding the death of Robert Glover, of St. Stephen, at the steel works, returned a verdict yesterday as follows: "The deceased came to his death from injuries received by coming in contact with a live wire at No. 3 furnace of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company, and we attribute it as accidental."

HUNDREDS KILLED.

TIFLIS, Russian Trans-Caucasia, Feb. 13.—Two hundred bodies of victims of the earthquake, which destroyed the town of Shamakav had been recovered up to last evening. It appears certain that several hundred bodies are buried in the fire debris. The quakes continue at intervals and the work of excavating in search of the victims therefore proceeds with difficulty. Among the dead are many women, who, at the time of the principal shock, were congregated in the various bath houses.

THE DEATH ROLL.

(Special to Star.)

MONTREAL, Feb. 15.—James Drummond, sr., of Petite Cote, one of the best known of Canadian Ayshire breeders, is dead, aged 79.

PETERBORO, Feb. 15.—William Hamilton, president of the Wm. Hamilton Manufacturing Company, is dead, aged 79.

PRINCIPAL MEIGS.

MONTREAL, Feb. 15.—Rev. Principal Meigs, of the Wesleyan Theological college, has handed his resignation to the board of governors. He came here from England a year ago, and has been most successful. Those concerned refuse to discuss reasons for his resignation.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—Forecast—Eastern states and northern New York—Cloudy tonight and Sunday; fresh northwest winds.

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F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

A man by the name of Daniel Quinn fell insensible near the foot of the country market yesterday. Dr. Berryman, who was called, ordered that the man be removed to his home on Mill street.

TO LET.

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

TO LEASE.—Moosepath Driving Park to lease for one or more years at reasonable rate. Apply to R. B. PATCHELL, Secretary to Agricultural Society, Stanley Street, St. John, N. B.

TO LET.—Comfortable flat No. 40 Britannia Street, at present occupied by R. Benthall, Esq. Can be seen on Tuesday and Friday afternoons.

Also flat No. 40 Britannia Street at present occupied by J. H. Miller, Esq. Can be seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons.

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Your obedient servant,
ENOCH B. COLWELL.

CARD.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

To the delegation of Citizens who called on me for the purpose of allowing my name to be brought forward as a Candidate for Alderman for Queens Ward, I hereby accept your proposition and I elected will support all measures brought before the Council that I consider the most conducive to the best interests of the city. I remain,

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A SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.

The Montreal Star publishes a list of contributors to a fund to erect a monument to the Canadian soldiers who fell in South Africa. Seventy-three contributors have subscribed a total of \$18,250. The Bank of Montreal gave \$2,500; Sir William C. Macdonald, \$1,000; nineteen firms or persons \$500 each; twenty-two, \$250 each; one, \$150; and thirty-one, \$100 each. This is a magnificent start for the fund for a memorial that will be an ornament to Montreal and a source of pride to all Canadians. The following from an editorial in the Star is directly to the point, and applies as well in St. John as in Montreal:

"When we visit American cities, we do not judge the great American war by the monuments that we see—we judge the cities. There is a hint here for the good people of Montreal at this time. History will tell what kind of men we sent to South Africa. The monument will tell what kind of people they left at home, and to what extent it was given them to appreciate the magnificent patriotism of their sons who died for and under the flag. Emphatically, it should be the people's monument. None should fail to feel that they have a share in it. Some can give much, but it is even more important that the many shall give what they can. We cannot make the monument too good. No one need withhold a large gift for fear there will be too much. He will deprive no one else of the opportunity to give. And no one should be content to stand aside and have no part and lot in this citizens' memorial of our volunteer citizen soldiery. As rich and poor alike gave from their hearthstones, so will rich and poor alike be welcomed to this honor roll of those who do not forget."

WHERE MILLIONAIRES LIVE.

To read of the cost of living in the central part of New York quite takes one's breath. A writer in the Saturday Evening Post says that in this section of the city a two-room suite with private bath, in an unpretentious apartment house, costs one hundred dollars per month, and this without furniture. Of course the fittings and decorations are of the most costly description. The writer says he knows of one apartment on Madison Avenue that rents for twelve thousand dollars per year, and its furnishings are insured for four hundred thousand dollars. The millionaire who has a two-years' lease of it spent fifty thousand dollars in permanent decorations and improvements, which he cannot take with him when he moves. The writer further states that there are today in New York fully a hundred apartments that rent anywhere from ten to sixteen thousand dollars a year, and none of them are vacant. Magnificently appointed apartment houses, each a palace in itself, are being erected, and only millionaires can afford to occupy them. But the millionaires are there, "with money to burn." So much of the financial and industrial life of the country centres in New York that it attracts rich men from all parts of the union. A plan is now afoot for a hotel that will completely dwarf the Waldorf-Astoria. "Here guests are to dine off china, the smallest piece of which will cost five dollars. The table napery is to be woven in the finest looms in France. The lodgers are to sleep in chambers in which every article would rival the furniture once used by kings." As an illustration of how real estate has increased in value it is pointed out that twenty years ago the old Broadway tabernacle near Herald square was offered for \$140,000, and the party declined to purchase. A few weeks ago the property sold for \$1,300,000.

Of course it is possible to live cheaply in New York if one desires to do so, but the annual outlay of many millionaires is almost fabulous in its extent.

With characteristic vanity the American press declares that "the glory of England is beginning to depend upon America for support." The other side of the story is discreetly withheld. No reference is made to the value of the British market to the United States, nor to the fact that British capital is invested to an enormous extent in American resources, industries and transportation lines. The calm assurance with which our neighbors sweep aside everything but their abounding self-conceit would be entertaining if it were a trifle less assertive. One New York journal complacently observes that the United States was wise not to join the Anglo-Japanese alliance, because that country will get all the benefits and run no risk.

The Maritime Merchant this week makes a suggestion relative to the fast Atlantic line, which takes for granted that the Canadian terminus would be in Nova Scotia both summer and winter. The proposition is that the line be run by the government in connection with the Intercolonial railway. The Merchant believes that such a scheme is feasible and argues that an appropriation of two million dollars, with a million a year for ten years thereafter, would provide the steamers and the necessary working capital. The ocean service, the Merchant

thinks, should be as fast as any out of New York.

A property owners' and rate payers' association has been organized in Halifax, and a writer in the Maritime Merchant points out that its first problem will be "to avert the crisis that seems to overshadow the city, with the rate of taxation hardening perilously close on 2 per cent. and the civic debt reaching a proportion to taxable property that is truly alarming." A retail merchants' association has also been formed in the sister city, whose objects are "early closing and the friendly discussion of all matters of interest to the various branches of trade represented."

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL.

The Trades and Labor Council held its regular session last night in the moulde's hall, Brussels street, a large number of delegates being present. Trade reports were as follows: Printers, excellent, no members of the union being idle; cigar makers, fair; machinists, fair; moulders, good; carpenters and joiners, good—working nights in some factories; teamsters, good; freight handlers, good; ship laborers, good at present.

The following resolution was adopted.

Resolved, That it is the opinion of the Trades and Labor Council of St. John, in order to save the expense of appeals to Ottawa and London, it is necessary that the government should embody in the Workmen's Compensation Act the following clauses:

1. A final or central court of appeal, to be composed of three members appointed by the governor, one to be a supreme court judge, the other two to be appointed as follows, namely: The different city and municipal councils of the province to send to the governor the names of those persons whom they think would be most fit to act as a member of the final or central court; the different trades and labor councils of the province to send to the governor the names of those persons whom they think would be most fit to act as a member of the final or central court. The governor to choose from those names so sent in one person to represent the trades and labor councils, and one to represent the city and municipal councils, thus making the three members of the final or central court of arbitration. Full power to be vested in this court to decide all cases brought before them under the Compensation Act. No appeal to be allowed from this court.

2. Costs of the final court to be provided for by the provincial government, such costs to be according to the regular scale of charges. The sittings of the court to be held at St. John.

The following committee was appointed to work in union with the Lord's Day Alliance in securing the better observance of Sunday as regards servile labor: E. J. Neve, G. Edgar Golding, W. H. Coates, Peter C. Sharkey and F. W. Kirkpatrick. Several other important subjects were discussed and a large amount of routine business transacted, after which the council adjourned to meet on Friday evening, the 28th inst.

BILLS AND BY-LAWS COMMITTEE.

The bills and by-laws committee of the common council met last evening. They will recommend to the council that the bridge bill to be sent to the dominion parliament include a provision attesting the harbor line near Reed's Point so that an additional wharf may be built if required, and also in the vicinity of the Pettingill and McLeod wharves so that a future berth to the northward may be constructed on a straight line.

Ald. McGoldrick brought up the question of permitting the city to fix the license fees for second hand dealers and to limit their number. At present the fee is \$20 each and the number is unlimited. The committee will recommend the council to forward it.

The bill for vesting the appointment of the recorder in the common council was read and approved.

The library bill was discussed. It provides for calling the library "The Saint John Free Public Library." Some discussion ensued as to whether the grant of \$600 should be continued to the north end library. The bill as drafted provides for discontinuing the north end grant upon the new building being ready for occupancy. This bill was laid over until the next meeting of the committee.

The bill for the increase of assessment for salvage corps was read and approved. This does not alter the payment of \$750, the present contribution, by the fire insurance companies.

ROYAL SCARLET CHAPTER.

St. John county Royal Scarlet Chapter held its annual meeting in the Orange hall, Germain street, last evening. After the exaltation of two members to the rank of Sir Knights and the ordinary business of the convocation, the officers read their reports for the past year. These bore testimony to the great success of the chapter for the past twelve months. For many years back the chapter has not had so successful a term. The election of officers took place as follows:

Scott E. Morrill, W. C. in C.; W. H. Sully, E. C. in C.; Wm. Grant, chap.; W. E. Wallace, C. scribe; John Kinney, C. treasurer; A. J. Estabrooke, C. Sir H. K. at A.; A. Stephenson, inner herald; Wm. Rogers, outer herald.

In the absence of the W. C. in C., Grand Secretary Sir Kt. N. J. Morrison presided and conducted the election and A. J. Armstrong, P. D. G. M. B. A., installed the officers. Before closing the chapter a most hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Past W. C. in C., Scott E. Morrill, and Sir Kt. W. E. Wallace, companion scribe, for the very great interest they had taken and the work they had performed for the chapter during the past year.

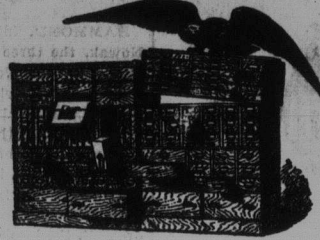
Bicyclists and all athletes depend on BENTLEY'S Liniment to keep their joints limber and muscles in trim.

SMALLPOX MEMORIAL.

At the memorial service held in Tabernacle Baptist church last Sunday

TWO ENTRANCES: 27-29 King Street, 20 and 41 Cornhill Street. TELEPHONES: 201, Retail, Ground Floor; 1925, Studio and Office; 123, Millinery; 554n, Garages. FURNITURE WAREHOUSES: 13 and 15 Market Square. Telephone 870.

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and the people of enfeeble digestion, well baked, easily assimilated, highly nutritious bread is absolutely essential for the preservation of health and the prolongation of life, and young people will do well to take a lesson from their elders. The bread we make will bring the glow of health to your cheeks, and is in every way conducive to longevity, because it's first, last and all the time wholesome.

Hygienic Bakery
134-136-138 Mill Street.

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GREAT REDUCTION SALE OF CHINA TEA SETS.

1 Tea Set at \$18.00 reduced to \$7.00	1 Tea Set at \$ 7.50 reduced to \$4.00
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W. H. HAYWARD, 55, 57, 59, 61, 63 PRINCESS STREET.

FAIRALL'S BIG SALE

The Dry Goods stock remaining in the store, 17 Charlotte Street, must be closed out at once, whatever the sacrifice.

There are still many fine lines. Look at these prices:

Stockinette, the best in the market, Mr. Fairall's own manufacture, at one third former price.
Colored Wool Hose, formerly 60c. now two pairs for 25c.
Merino Yarns, were 40c., now 5c.
Balance fine Velveteens, all 25c. yard.
Ladies' Colored Capes, were \$2.50, now 50c.
Men's Cardigan Jackets, were \$2.65, now 75c.

This is the way we are reducing prices. All other goods are in proportion. Come early.
OPEN EVERY EVENING.

W. H. FAIRALL,

17 Charlotte Street.

For This Week Only,
WHITE GUPS AND SAUGERS, large size,
Only 5 Cents Each.

C. F. BROWN, 501-505 Main St.

FALL WOOLLENS.

My stock of Imported and Domestic Woollens now open.

J. P. HOGAN, 101 Charlotte St. Opp. Hotel Dufferin, Telephone 1251

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN'S TAILORING.
evening, Rev. H. H. Roach in the course of his address suggested the erection in the church of a tablet as a permanent memorial of those of the congregation who had met their death in the smallpox epidemic. He had intended to proceed at some time in the near future to the collection of a fund for that purpose. But the matter has been taken out of his hands, for on Thursday last he was called upon by two young ladies, members of another church in the city, who informed him that they had privately collected a sufficient amount for the placing of the tablet which they wished to donate to the church. Needless to say, their kindly offer was gratefully accepted, and Mr. Roach will announce the donation to his congregation tomorrow.

HELP WANTED, MALE.

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

WANTED.—Two boys over 16 years old. Apply at Troop's Vinegar Factory, corner Pitt and Broad streets.

WANTED.—Bell Boy at the Park Hotel.

GENERAL AGENTS WANTED in each town for special, accident, sickness, indemnification policies and general insurance business. Liberal terms to reliable men. Write box 276, Montreal.

HELP WANTED, FEMALE.

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

WANTED.—At once, girl for general housework in small family. Apply at 13 Wentworth Street to Mrs. J. H. RITCHIE.

WANTED.—A general servant in a small family. Apply 173 Germain Street.

MONEY TO LOAN

Advertisements under this head: Two words for one cent each time, or Three 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.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

ALL KINDS SEWING MACHINES

REPAIRED.
Needles and parts for all makes at W. H. BELLS, 28 Dock Street.

FOR SALE.

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

FOR SALE.—A second-hand typewriter in good condition. Address "TYPEWRITER," Star Office.

WANTED.

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

WANTED.—A college student or teacher who would be willing to take a pupil at home. Address "G." Star Office.

WANTED.—Canvassers, male or female, through the city to handle a rapid selling book on the war. Good commissions. Address "M." Star Office.

LOST.

LOST.—On Sunday, Feb. 9, a Pearl Rosary, enclosed in a leather case. Lost coming from St. Peter's church by way of Douglas Avenue and Main Street. Finder will confer a great favor by leaving the same at St. Peter's rectory.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

Advertisements under this head inserted free of charge.

WANTED.—Expert Male Stenographer wants work during part time. Will furnish machine. Address X, Star Office.

In the matter of the

Estate of W. McLeod Daye,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. Pursuant to Act of Assembly 83 Victoria, Chapter 8, and amending Acts, that W. McLeod Daye, of the City of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, Grocer, has this day with the consent of a majority of his Creditors computed according to the provisions of said Act, made a general assignment for the benefit of his Creditors to the undersigned.

A meeting of the Creditors of said W. McLeod Daye will be held at the Law Offices of the undersigned, 50 Princess Street, in the City of Saint John, on

WEDNESDAY, the 19th day of FEBRUARY

instant.

at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the appointment of Inspectors and giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the Estate and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

All Creditors are required to file their claims, duly proven, with me within three months of the date of this notice, unless further time be allowed by the Judge of the Supreme or County Court; and all claims not filed within the time limited, or such further time, if any, as may be allowed by any such Judge, shall be wholly barred of any right to share in the proceeds of the Estate, and I shall be at liberty to distribute the proceeds of the Estate as if any claim not filed as aforesaid did not exist, but without prejudice to the liability of the debtor therefor.

Dated the tenth day of February, A. D. 1902.

H. H. PICKETT, Assignee.

By Order of the Common Council of the City of Saint John.

(1) Public notice is hereby given that a Bill will be presented for enactment at the next session of the Provincial Legislature, entitled "An Act relating to the Free Public Library in the City of Saint John."

The objects desired to be attained by the Bill are:—

(1) To authorize the City of Saint John to purchase a site for a Public Library Building, in the City of Saint John, and to issue debentures to provide for the payment of such site.

(2) To authorize and empower the City of Saint John to levy an annual assessment of Five Thousand Dollars towards the maintenance of the Free Public Library, in the City of Saint John, provided a gift of Fifty Thousand Dollars is made to the City by Mr. Andrew Carnegie for the erection of a Public Library Building.

(3) To provide that from and after the first annual assessment is made under this Act for the maintenance of the Free Public Library, all the assessments upon the City of Saint John for library maintenance shall cease, and all Acts and parts of Acts authorizing such assessments shall be repealed, and that no further grant shall thereafter be given by the City of Saint John toward the maintenance of the Library situated in the North End, so called, in said City, which is managed by, or is under the control of the Women's Christian Temperance Union.

HERBERT B. WARDROP, Common Clerk.

Feb. 8, 1902, 22-m 1.

HOTELS.

HOTEL DUFFERIN.

E. LeROY WILLIS, St. John, N. B.

J. J. McCAFFREY, Manager.

HOUSES TO LET.

Citizens having houses or flats to let should take advantage of the Star's wide circulation to advertise them. The columns of this paper are eagerly scanned by thousands every evening. The Star's rate for these advertisements is half a cent a word.

Girardot Brand
Can't Beat Canada on Wine

The best wines produced by any country are no better than the "Girardot Brand," made right here in Canada. Epicures say so. Comparison proves it. Most dealers sell the "Girardot Brand" now. They all will soon. Ask for it.

Let us send you our booklet telling all you should know about wines. Free. The St. John's Star, Ltd., St. John's, Nfld.

CANADIAN WINE.

FREDERICTON.
FREDERICTON, Feb. 14.—At the police court this morning three offenders against the Canada Temperance Act acknowledged the offence and paid the usual fines.

R. L. Savage, manager of the Hart Boot and Shoe Co., has resigned the position, to take effect June 1st next. The appointment of a successor to Mr. Savage has not yet been made.

The crown land department has just had a new and large edition of Gun and Rod in New Brunswick printed. The book contains, besides a fund of information regarding hunting and fishing in the province, a summary of the game law as revised and amended to date. A large number of copies are being sent to Boston for distribution at the Sportsmen's show.

The damages at Gibson's provision store fire on Monday night have been appraised; to the building, \$245; to the stock, \$491.

DIED IN MALDEN.

In Malden, Mass., at the residence of his son Charles, on Monday, 10th, there passed away another old resident of St. John in the person of Hiram English, aged 76 years. About twenty-one years ago Mr. English moved with his family to Boston. His wife predeceased him some ten years. He leaves a family of six children, three sons and three daughters living in Boston and vicinity. J. J. English of the Sun staff is a nephew of the deceased, and many relatives in the maritime provinces also survive. Deceased was one of the pioneer members of Corinthian lodge, A. F. and A. M., of Hampton, Kings Co. The remains were interred in Malden cemetery on Wednesday, 12th inst.

WINTER PORT MATTERS.

The Allan liner Ionian will leave this

afternoon for Liverpool via Halifax. The mail str. Tunisian is reported in this morning's despatches to have left Liverpool Thursday for this port.

Str. Alcides will sail for Glasgow via Halifax this afternoon. She will have 200 head of cattle and 15 horses.

The Furness steamer Florence arrived at Halifax from London at 3.30 o'clock yesterday morning. Pilot Henry Spears has gone over to bring her to St. John.

Strs. Manchester Commerce and Lake Ontario sailed at an early hour this morning for Manchester and Liverpool respectively. Both had full general cargoes.

ROYAL ARCANUM MEETING.

A meeting was held last night in the K. of P. hall by the St. John Council, 133, Royal Arcanum, at which G. W. Liddell, of Montreal, explained the advantages, benefits and rules of the order, in an eloquent address. Three signified their intention of joining and 12 or 14 more will probably do so. The meeting resolved itself into a committee of the whole and decided to hold a public meeting of the Arcanum on the 25th inst., to take the form of a social. At the close of the business meeting a smoking concert was held and a most pleasant time enjoyed. An informal musical programme was rendered. The Royal Arcanum was organized in June, 1877, and in 24 years has paid \$64,443.91 to beneficiaries.

ASYLUM INVESTIGATION.

Dr. Travers, assistant superintendent, has made to the local government complaints against Dr. George A. Hetherington, the superintendent of the institution. Other complaints have been made, it is said, and the government has appointed Hon. Dr. Pugsley a commissioner to investigate and hear evidence under oath relating to all matters connected with the institution. Premier Tweedie says the enquiry will begin at an early date.

In watering house plants sufficient should be given to soak the soil thoroughly.

SPORTING NEWS.

CURLING.

The St. Andrews Club defeated the Halifax Visitors. The Halifax curlers were again defeated in this city yesterday afternoon, this time by the St. Andrews club. It was a fine game, the home players securing only eight points more than the Halifaxians scored. Dr. Magee and Mr. Kaye finished with 17 points each. It was rather one sided till the last end, when Mr. Kaye got a six end. Mr. Watson and Mr. Silver had a hard battle for the supremacy, but the big Halifax man came out on top, three points to the good. This left the St. Andrews club behind, but Skip J. E. Thomas and his rink duplicated their performance of the previous night and won for their club. Mr. Thomas beat Mr. Costley eleven points. The score follows:

St. Andrews Club.	Halifax Club.
W. T. White, 3 to 1.	W. K. Thomson, 3 to 1.
G. S. Robertson, 3 to 1.	E. F. Smith, 3 to 1.
F. L. Harrison, 3 to 1.	J. A. McKinnon, 3 to 1.
Alex. Watson, 3 to 1.	L. W. G. Silver, 3 to 1.
Skip, 13 to 1.	Skip, 13 to 1.
R. K. Jones, 3 to 1.	C. H. McKinley, 3 to 1.
A. Kimball, 3 to 1.	F. R. Major, 3 to 1.
C. McLa Troop, 3 to 1.	R. Roberts, 3 to 1.
J. U. Thomas, 3 to 1.	A. Costley, 3 to 1.
E. A. Schuch, 3 to 1.	Dr. A. W. Rogers, 3 to 1.
P. A. Clark, 3 to 1.	Dr. D. A. Campbell, 3 to 1.
F. S. Whitt, 3 to 1.	G. W. Campbell, 3 to 1.
Dr. J. M. Savage, 3 to 1.	L. R. Major, 3 to 1.
Skip, 17 to 1.	Skip, 17 to 1.
Total, 50 to 1.	Total, 42 to 1.

There was quite a large attendance of spectators throughout the afternoon, and many good plays were cheered and applauded. At the close cheers were given by the local men for the visitors, and the Halifax men returned the compliment.

HOCKEY.

Mohawks Defeat St. Stephen by a Score of 3 to 1.

In a fast, clean and interesting game at the Queens rink last night the Thistles of St. Stephen were handily taken into camp by the Mohawks. The score was 3 to 1. The St. Stephen boys, lighter than the home team, are fast skaters and many of them carry the puck the length of the ice by the strong work of the St. Stephen goal. The best shown this season, all the forwards working well together and sometimes carrying the puck the length of the ice by the strong work of the St. Stephen goal. The score was not much larger is explained by the Mohawks, who played a strong individual game marked by brilliant rushes. Moore at centre was also conspicuous. For the Mohawks, Howard, who relieved Sturdee by Sturdee and Murray were stopped by the clever work of Holt in goal.

In the second half the Mohawks had things largely their own way and added two more to their score. The first was made by Howard from a mix-up near goal and the last by Sturdee later by Murray on a pass from the side. Score 3-1.

After the game the St. Stephen boys were treated to a supper at Washington, followed by songs, speeches and other evidences of good fellowship. Ken Macrae presided.

Junior Games.

Two games in the junior league were also played at Queens rink last night. Centenary won from High School 2 to 1, and Trinity defeated Rothsay 1-0.

THE RING.

McGovern's Brother in the Ring. CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Kid Broad, of Cleveland and young Mowatt, of Chicago, fought

six fast and clever rounds to a draw tonight at the Illinois Athletic Club. Hughey McGovern, Terry's brother, made his professional debut in the ring by winning over "Dusty" Miller, a local 115 pounder.

WALCOTT WINS.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14.—Jimmy Handler was knocked out in the second round by Joe Walcott, tonight, at Industrial Hall. It was to have been a six round bout.

WALKING MATCH.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Almost on the verge of collapse, the sixteen teams now in the six days' walking match entered upon the sixth and last day of the contest this morning. Hegelman and Cavanaugh have been in the lead since the opening day for the race and are about 25 miles ahead of their nearest competitors. All of the walkers are greatly in need of sleep and some actually fell themselves around the oval. At times one of them breaks into a sprint only to retire exhausted. The score of the leaders at 8 o'clock this morning was:

Hegelman and Cavanaugh, 719.1; Shelton Guerrero, 694.9; Fabey and Meikus, 687.2; Golden and Tracy, 677.8; Glick and Howarth, 668.4; Norem and Cartwright, 622.1; Peeney, 613.5; Fraser and Sullivan, 607.8; Davis and Carroll, 585.4; Dean and Campbell, 585.5.

Coastwise—Large No. 3, 431, McNameara, Parrsboro; barge No. 4, 431, McLeod, from do.

Coastwise—Sch Britannia, Sinclair, North-head; Tug Springhill, Cook, Parrsboro.

Sir Ionian, 5,339, Brown, Liverpool via

Clearing for the week aggregate \$38,366.54, a fractional gain over last week and an increase of 30 per cent. over last year.

Failures amount to 25, as against 29 last week and 39 in this week a year ago.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Cotton futures opened firm, March, 82½; April, 83½; May, 84½; June, 85½; July, 86½; August, 87½; September, 88½; October, 89½.

STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—The opening movement of prices was confined to irregular and the dealings were small and narrowly distributed. Metropolitan Street Railway advanced by fractional steps 1½¢ to 17½¢. The night, and Manhattan gained 1¼¢. Bri. decline a fraction. There were no other features of note.

BANK RESERVE.

A despatch from New York to W. S. Barker, today, stated that its bank reserve shows a decrease of \$4,335,375.

DAILY QUOTATIONS.

Furnished by W. S. Barker, Banker and Broker, Palmer's Building.

Feb. 15.

Yester. To-day.

Op. g. 11 a.m. Close.

Amal. Copper, 98½, 98½, 98½.

Am. Sugar Refin., 128½, 128, 128½.

A. T. and Santa F., 77½, 77½, 77½.

At. and N. E., 105½, 105½, 105½.

Balt. and Ohio, 105½, 105½, 105½.

Brooklyn R. T., 62½, 62½, 62½.

Chen and Ohio, 46, 46, 46.

C. M. and St. Paul, 165½, 165½, 165½.

C. R. 14 and Pac., 163½, 163½, 163½.

C. and Great West., 21, 21, 21.

Col. and Southern, 19½, 19½, 19½.

Det. Street Ry., 170½, 170½, 170½.

Gen. Electric, 291, 291, 291.

Glucose Sugar Ref., 44, 44, 44.

Illinois Central, 141½, 141½, 141½.

Louis and Nash, 105½, 105½, 105½.

Manhattan Ry., 132½, 132½, 132½.

Met. Street Ry., 170½, 170½, 170½.

M. K. and Texas, 164, 164, 164.

Missouri Pac., 105½, 105½, 105½.

N. Y. Central, 164½, 164½, 164½.

N. Y. Out. and West., 34, 34, 34.

Norfolk and West., 57½, 57½, 57½.

Penn. R. R., 150½, 150½, 150½.

Pacific Mail S. S., 46, 46, 46.

P. Gas L. and C., 100, 100, 100.

Reading, 57½, 57½, 57½.

Reading Co. 1st prd., 82½, 82½, 82½.

Read Co. 2nd prd., 66½, 66½, 66½.

Southern Pac. Co., 67, 67, 67.

Southern Railway, 34½, 34½, 34½.

Tenn. C. and Ind., 66, 66, 66.

Texas and Pacific, 42½, 42½, 42½.

Union Pacific, 103½, 103½, 103½.

U. S. Leather, 11½, 11½, 11½.

U. S. Steel Common, 44½, 44½, 44½.

U. S. Steel, 44½, 44½, 44½.

Wabash, 24½, 24½, 24½.

Wabash, 43½, 43½, 43½.

West Union Tele., 51, 51, 51.

TERrible ACCIDENT.

Seven men were killed and at least 14 seriously injured by a 15 ton boulder, which crashed into the caboose of a work train on the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf railroad, 20 miles west of Little Rock, Arkansas, yesterday.

Ten men, injured in an explosion of a dynamite cartridge at some railway work, at North Andover yesterday morning, are at the general hospital in Lawrence, Mass., and two are in a most critical condition. The injuries sustained by all the men are most painful, as the wounds were made by pieces of rocks and frozen earth, which lacerated the flesh terribly.

HEAVY BUSINESS.

Every siding between Brownville Junction and St. John west is full of freight for the winter. There are eleven steamers now here loading, most of them of considerable size. Besides that there are to arrive within a few days. This gives a fair idea of the magnitude of this year's winter port trade.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—The Commercial Cable company today makes the announcement that commencing March 1, the rate to India will be eighty-six cents per word.

MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL.

No. 1 Scots Company will meet for drill tonight.

To cure a Headache in ten minutes use KUMFORT Headache Powders. An orchestra has been organized by Professor W. C. Bowden among the young musicians of the city.

WANTED.—A case of Headache that KUMFORT Powders will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes. Pilot John S. Thomas leaves today for Boston to come down on the str. St. Irene, which is fixed to load hay for South Africa.

Tug Flushing, having completed the repairs made necessary by her striking the Alcides some days since, left for Parrsboro yesterday afternoon with an empty coal barge.

An attempt to use the new ladder truck on runners proved a failure. The "Elephant" has been placed on wheels again, and the old truck is in readiness to respond to all alarms.

Ship Creedmoore, Capt. Kennedy, sailed yesterday afternoon for Montreal with dry lumber. This vessel has spent a long time in St. John reclassing, and left a lot of money in the town.

A social and entertainment will be given in Carleton Methodist church on Tuesday next. A good programme has been prepared, comprising vocal and instrumental music. There will be refreshments, ice cream and candy.

Great preparations are being made for the concert in Queen square church next Tuesday evening, at which some of the leading singers of the city will sing and Miss M. Florence Rogers will read. There will also be instrumental music.

A large crowd attended the carnival at the Carleton rink last night. The ice was good and the skaters enjoyed themselves. The prizes were given for fancy costumes, of which there were quite a variety. Dr. J. Strathorn won the gentlemen's prize, a silver glass. The ladies' prize, a silver jelly dish, was carried off by Miss B. Wheaton of Fairville. The City Cornet band was in attendance.

Sch. Avis, Capt. Cole, which sailed yesterday morning for New York, lumber laden, returned to port in the afternoon looking badly. She got down about as far as Point Lepreau when it was found that her pumps would not keep her clear. She was headed for St. John and was towed in by the tug Nereid, which started her on her voyage earlier in the day. The Avis was placed in Rodney slip.

The following have been granted master's certificates by Capt. Eboerfield Douglas, R. N. R.: W. H. Davis, St. John, master, foreign; Norman Smith, mate of the Battle liner Nema, master, foreign; Mr. Butcher, Bay Chaleur, master, tow boat. Capt. Hayes was before Capt. Douglas qualifying as an examiner of masters and mates in the coastwise trade. Capt. Douglas leaves for Yarmouth today to hold other examinations. He will be back here the middle of next month.

A meeting and musicale will be held by the Victorian Order of Nurses at York Theatre Thursday evening next. The yearly report of the secretary-treasurer will be read. Dr. W. W. White, Rev. John de Soyres, Dr. Walker, J. D. Hazen, Rev. J. D. Freeman and others will address the meeting.

The Victorian section of the Junior Templars of Honor and Temperance held a sleigh drive last night, which was participated in by about 75 members. After a drive to Newcombe's, they returned about 10.30 o'clock, when a pleasant time was spent in their rooms with refreshments and an impromptu programme.

H. Vaughan Dewar and Fred W. Dewar of the firm of John Dewar & Sons, Ltd., of St. George, which concern has carried on a large lumbering business at that place for many years, have disposed of all their timber lands and their mill property to New York parties. The transfer was made in this city yesterday. Geo. J. Clarke of St. George represented the purchasers, and James O'Brien, M. P. P., of St. George and the Messrs. Dewar were here in connection with the transfer.

It is understood it is the intention of the new owners of the valuable property to erect a large pulp mill at St. George. This depends upon their being able to make satisfactory arrangements for the use of the power at the falls there. The timber lands, which aggregate 30,000 acres of well wooded country, are in Charlotte and York counties. They are the old Gilmour lands and have not been cut over for years. The establishment of this manufacturing establishment in St. George will mean a great thing for that part of the province.

Surveyor General Dunn has given his decision in the matter of the application of the People's Bank of Halifax for licenses to issue to them which they claim had been assigned to them by Hale & Murchie through J. G. Murchie. Mr. Dunn has determined that the licenses shall issue as applied for upon the condition that as the bank and Hale & Murchie had given an alleged assignment, allowed and permitted the Tobique Manufacturing Company to enter upon, cut and haul away lumber from said lands, the bank should release the said Tobique Manufacturing Company from all claims arising therefrom, the department of crown lands to release the bank from the claim for stumpage upon the lumber cut, and look to the Tobique Manufacturing Company for said stumpage, and in default of their paying the same, to hold said lumber therefor.

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Letter Carriers' Race—Half mile.

Firemen's Race—Half mile; open to all city firemen.

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Entries received up to and including WEDNESDAY, 19th inst., by the Secretary at Victoria Rink.

THOS. CAPLES, Sergt., Secretary to Committee.

BAND

Tuesday and Thursday

Evenings and

Saturday Afternoons.

— AT —

QUEEN'S RINK

PROVINCIAL.

Simon Graham of Rexton, Kent county, is dead, aged 76 years.

A new Episcopal church is to be erected near the mouth of the Jemseg.

The banquet to F. C. Hale, M. P., at Woodstock last evening was a very enthusiastic affair, representatives being present from all parts of the country. It took place at the Carlie hotel.

L. H. Cohoon of the Massey-Harris company's travelling staff died on Thursday night at his home in Midleton, N. S. Most of his life was spent in Ontario, and his remains will be interred in Aylmer, in that province.

GENERAL.

Bradstreet's report this week suggests that, as a result of a recent series of bad fires in the United States there may be an advance in insurance rates.

Lord Rosebery received a great ovation at the liberal demonstration in Liverpool last evening. He strongly emphasizes his hostility to the Irish party, declaring that no sane person would ever consent to the handing over of the destinies of Ireland, situated in the very heart of the empire, to a parliament controlled by those who have expressed the earnest wish that Britain might be overthrown in battle.

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THE SPORTSMEN'S SHOW.

(Yesterday's Fredericton Gleaner).

The New Brunswick exhibit for the Boston Sportsmen's Show is being to day placed in a car at the C. P. R. station, Taxidermist Carvell of St. John superintending the work. The exhibit will go forward to Boston tomorrow. Harry Allen of Penniac has built a log cabin to form a part of the exhibit from this province. It is so constructed that it can be put up and taken down without the use of nails, and was taken apart and yesterday loaded upon a box car and will go forward with the rest of the exhibit.

Coughs



SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' ORPHAN HOME, Xenia, Ohio, April 1st, 1905.

During the past winter we had an outbreak of whooping-cough at this institution, having about 60 cases. They were all treated by inhalations of our Vapo-Cresolene without other treatment. In these cases they all made uneventful recoveries without complications. I enthusiastically recommend your preparation in Whooping-Cough.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Steamer Ionian sailed this afternoon.

A good time is promised at the weekly free concert at Glad Tidings hall to-night.

Mrs. Arthur Shears of Amherst Highlands died yesterday, after a long illness.

J. S. Tichenor will address a men's meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms tomorrow afternoon.

There will be a meeting of the teamsters' union Monday evening in Sutherland's hall, at eight.

The Star is indebted to R. S. Ritchie, general agent in St. John, for a handsome calendar issued by the Quebec Fire Assurance Co.

Ora P. King, the local government candidate for Kings county, is in the city today consulting with the local heads.

A very good supply of eggs is coming into the market now, and the price has dropped to about twenty-six cents a dozen.

The ferry committee of the common council will meet Monday evening to consider the matter of the pay of the ferry employees.

During the present week, two marriages and fifteen births, ten of which were females, were recorded by Registrar Jones.

This evening at 8 o'clock Evangelist Beatty will speak in the People's Mission, 41 Waterloo street, on the Evil of Intemperance. The discourse will be illustrated by magic lantern views.

Henry Dunbrack is in the field as an alderman for Queens ward. Mr. Dunbrack is a live citizen of keen business instincts and would make a good representative. His card to the electors appears in today's Star.

Squire Palmer, of Palmer's wharf, Kings County, is in town today. A new low water wharf, costing in the vicinity of \$800, is to be put in place there just as soon as the timber can be got through.

In the Bluff weir case this morning Chief Justice Tuck gave it as his decision that he would not try the case. Judge Landry will be asked to try it. Adjournment was made until Wednesday.

A large sleigh drive of the members of Johnston L. O. B. A., No. 19, and their friends visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Moore, Fairville, last evening, and a very pleasant night was spent in dancing, games and singing.

This has been the best week in the local market for some months, Clerk Dunham said today. The country people are beginning to come in and there has been a good but not an overabundance of stuff. It has been quickly disposed of, and at a more than average price.

Thirteen carloads of perishable freight are now on the way from Montreal for shipment by the S. S. Ionian. They will be rushed through to Halifax and will catch the steamer there, as she will have sailed from St. John some time before they are due to arrive.

Frederick Ogilvie of Glenvale, Albert Co., employed in the I. C. R. as a shunter, while coupling cars this morning had his left hand badly crushed between the buffers. The wound was dressed by Dr. Jas. Christie. It is probable that one or more of the fingers will have to be amputated.

On Monday evening the members of the party who went on the midwinter excursion up river on the tug Lily in 1892, intend commemorating the event by holding a drive and dinner at Newcomb's. A number of friends have been invited and the sleighs will leave Isaac Erb's, 13 Charlotte street, at 7.30 p. m. Dinner will be served at Newcomb's, a photo of the group taken, and the party will return to the city about midnight.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

The rector of St. John's (Stone) church will commence tomorrow evening a course of sermons upon Life After Death.

Rev. Leo Hoyt will preach in Trinity church tomorrow morning, and the rector in the evening.

Rev. W. J. Kirby will preach in Exmouth Street church in the morning and Rev. T. J. Deinhardt in the evening.

Rev. J. L. Batty will preach in Carmarthen street church morning and evening.

Rev. G. A. Soller will preach in Carleton Methodist church in the morning, and Rev. H. Penna in the evening.

Rev. George Steel and Rev. Dr. Wilson will exchange pulpits tomorrow morning.

Rev. G. W. Fisher will preach in Centenary church tomorrow morning and in Queens Square church in the evening.

Rev. G. M. Campbell will preach in Queens Square church in the morning. Mrs. C. A. Smith will conduct a Gospel service at the King's Daughters' Guild at 4 p. m.

Godless Christians will be the subject of Rev. H. F. Waring's address in Brussels Street Baptist church tomorrow night.

Rev. I. B. Cowell will preach tomorrow in Leinster Street Baptist church. Rev. T. J. Deinhardt will preach at the Fairville Methodist church in the morning.

Evangelist Beatty will conduct services at the People's Mission, Waterloo street, at 11 a. m., 3 p. m., and 7 p. m.

IN KINGS COUNTY.
The campaign in Kings is now in full swing, and F. M. Sproul, the opposition candidate, is putting up a splendid fight. Mr. Hazen is also throwing himself into the struggle with vigor. He will speak at Kingston tonight.

Fourteen teamsters have been reported by Inspector Green for driving vehicles for hire in the city without licenses.

THE AMBULANCE WILL BE READY.

Trainer "Bob" Godfrey of the St. John Railway Co. staff of motormen has engaged the ambulance for Friday evening, Feb. 15, and will have it standing at the Victoria Rink side entrance. The reason for this precaution is obvious. It is a well-known fact by this time that some six or eight of the street car conductors and motormen are training hard for their big race in the Policemen's Ice Tournament. Excitement among them has reached a high point, and weeks' wages have been bet in advance. Those of the electric men who are not entered in the contest are as badly affected by the enthusiasm as those who are. Trainer Godfrey's foresight in securing the hospital wagon is greatly appreciated, for by the looks of things there's going to be a mix-up of some kind. Everybody wants to wear aluminum racing skates, and when a pair of these "greased lightning rods" gets a new hand a-going it's a proposition how to stop. Tonight at the "Vic" the firemen, cops, electricians and others will have a grand training bee.

PERSONALS.

Hon. H. A. McKeown leaves today on the S. S. Ionian on his trip to Europe.

George Waring, engineer of the Prince Rupert, will become chief engineer of the steamer Prince George, on the route between Yarmouth and Boston, and will reside in Yarmouth.

The Countess DeBury last night received a telegram to the effect that her son Charles, in Butte City, Montana, was in a very favorable condition, and would undoubtedly recover.

Rev. R. W. Weddall will go to Moncton this evening to preach in the Central Methodist church tomorrow night, in change with the Rev. G. W. Fisher, the president of the conference.

Thomas H. Bullock, on behalf of the Imperial Oil Company, yesterday afternoon, presented H. A. Drury, prior to his departure for Cleveland, Ohio, with a handsome gold chain and locket.

Miss Emily M. Christie of Amherst, who has been visiting Mrs. B. B. McLaughlin of King street east during the last three weeks, left for home today.

REV. DR. HARTLEY REMEMBERED

On the Rev. Dr. Hartley's birthday, which occurred on Friday, a number of his friends dropped in on him and Mrs. Hartley and gave them a surprise.

The doctor was presented with a richly upholstered Morris chair, a beautiful dressing gown and a pair of slippers. While these things were taken into the parlor of the paragonage, there was taken in by the back door a barrel of flour, a twenty pound chest of Oolong tea and a one hundred pound sack of granulated sugar. The presentation address was made by Deacon W. O. Slipp, who, on behalf of the friends, expressed the wish that the articles presented might all afford comfort to their old pastor and that he might be spared to see many more like pleasant birthdays. About sixty parrot of tea, supplied from the filled baskets brought by the ladies. A very pleasant social evening was enjoyed.

RECENT DEATHS.

Mrs. John F. Grant, of St. Stephen, died Thursday night. She was the wife of John F. Grant, cashier of St. Stephen's bank; two sons, Prof. Herbert, of New York, and Walter L., of St. Stephen's bank, and one daughter, Helen.

Martin F. Eagar, of Halifax, a well known merchant, died yesterday, aged 65 years.

The death occurred at Yarmouth yesterday of Norman A. Wyman. He was 53 years of age and leaves a widow (formerly Miss Olive, of St. John), three sons and three daughters. Mrs. Wyman's brothers reside in Carleton, where she was visiting very recently.

James Hannah, late clerk at the Depot House, Sussex, died Thursday night. He leaves a wife and two children.

James Ferrier, a leading citizen of Montreal, is dead, in his 79th year.

COMPETITION NOT SHARP.

Gold King Mining Stock Sold at 25 and 21 1/2 Cents a Share.

This morning at Market the hull of the schooner Princess Louise, injured in collision with the Prince Rupert, was sold by auction to Robert O'Brien for \$20. Her cargo of herring was sold to J. Peterson for \$40 and her small boat to J. Williams Smith for \$4.

At Chubb's corner the book debts of Joseph Irvine were sold for \$20 to G. R. Taylor. A leasehold property on St. James street was withdrawn at \$700, and a lot on Queen square and facing on Sydney street was withdrawn at \$675.

Eleven thousand shares of Gold King mining stock was put up, after Auctioneer Potts had made a brief address on the value of the property. Despite his efforts twenty-five cents was the best bid he could obtain, and for that one thousand shares were sold. The remaining one thousand brought twenty-one and one-half cents.

A PROHIBITION PETITION.

A petition is being circulated and extensively signed in this city, praying for provincial prohibition. The petition, after a sufficient number of signatures have been obtained, will be presented to the lieutenant governor in council. The action of the Manitoba, Prince Edward Island and Ontario governments has stimulated the temperance people to take this action in the hope that the local government will do something along this line.

Put out of Joint.—A man that wants a good colored shirt can get better values here than anywhere else; there is nothing out of joint about these shirts, except the price, 88c., 89c., and 90c. Comparison is the surest test. Go everywhere, study the goods and prices—then come here. If we can get you to do that, some concern loses a customer and we gain one. Wm. A. Wetmore, 128 Mill street.

A quantity of cents can be had at the office of this paper in exchange for other money.

POLICE COURT.

Ten Prisoners Were on The List This Morning.

"The quality of mercy is not strained," and in the police court this morning it seemed to flow in a steady stream. Out of all the persons charged with different offences, eight were let go, one was given the minimum fine, and the tenth, who was fined four dollars for drunkenness might have got off with the others had he not been in such a hurry to pay up. One after another Mr. Henderson scored off from the sheet the names of the men as they were discharged, murmuring softly as he did so the nursery rhyme in which the fortunes of ten little "injun" boys are related.

Dennis Keefe, John Fox, Charles Hughes and Theodore Craft, reported for driving teams through Queen Square, Carleton, promised to be good boys and said they would not do it again. A fine of two dollars was imposed, but allowed to stand against them.

Fred Baxter, after being ejected from several places yesterday afternoon was finally taken in charge by Officer Scott for being drunk on King Square. He pleaded guilty and having forty-three dollars in his pocket lost no time in paying the four dollars fine imposed.

Joe Docherty was found lying drunk on Reed's Point by Officer Crawford and this morning pleaded guilty to the charge. He explained that it was an accident—a pure accident and that he felt badly over it. Not having a spare dollar in his pocket Joe did not call out the ambulance. He was let go.

Late last evening Officer Hamm heard agonizing groans coming from a snow bank on Elm street and upon investigating found a young lad by the name of Malcolm McLeod lying there drunk. McLeod was arrested and stated today that he had been given the liquor by a fellow named Fowler, who was going to the States. He was let go after being given an opportunity to meditate on his conduct.

Frank Arsenault was given in charge by Michael George, charged with throwing snowballs, assaulting and using abusive language towards the complainant. George said "At me two snowballs last Sunday throw he did and 'You — sheeny' said. He in my house two panes of window glass did broke." Arsenault pleaded guilty to throwing the snowballs, but denied the other charges, whereupon Michael George called Michael Thomas as a witness. The latter said he knew nothing about the George-Arsenault affair, but made some remarks in regard to an occurrence between himself and the prisoner. Arsenault was fined eight dollars or two months, but as neither of the Michaels wished to press the charge, the fine was allowed to stand.

Philip Docherty was reported for violating the Liquor Act by selling to Samuel Orr, an interdict, on Tuesday last. Evidence was given by Officer Finley to the effect that he saw Orr enter Docherty's saloon on Brussels street and also saw him drinking at the counter. At that time he was not certain that Orr was on the list or would have notified Docherty. The latter stated that his copy of the list containing Orr's name could not be found by him, and that he believed Orr's term was up. The minimum penalty of ten dollars was imposed.

A charge against Constable D'Abblee for leaving piles of building material on Pond street without a light, was adjourned until Monday.

ELECTRIC MACHINE.

That Weighs Sixteen Separate Pounds of Tea Per Minute.

To see an electric machine automatically weighing out tea by the pound, at the rate of sixteen pounds per minute, is the novelty that may be witnessed in the big tea warehouse of T. H. Estabrooks, on North wharf.

The machine is Driver's automatic weighing machine, made in London. It is operated by a small electric motor. From a hopper on the floor above, containing a thousand pounds of tea, the tea passes through a funnel, at the bottom of which are automatic jaws, which close the moment a pound of tea has fallen upon the pan of the scales below. Then the moment a package to receive the tea has been pressed under the pan the latter dumps the pound of tea into it, and another pan (the two of them revolve) comes from the jaws of the funnel, which, up and let another pound fall through. And so it goes on. The machine is intricate, but so well adjusted that it does its work with the utmost nicety and precision. Its speed can be regulated, and it can be adjusted to different weights as desired.

Mr. Estabrooks was the first in Canada to get one of these machines in operation. W. E. Miles, when in London recently, went through the factory where they are made, and in company with Mr. Driver visited various tea blending and packing houses in that city. Mr. Driver told him that the machine shipped to Mr. Estabrooks was the first one shipped to Canada. It is certainly a wonderful machine and a labor saver.

Since he made this addition to his large blending and packing plant Mr. Estabrooks has an establishment that is not only a credit to St. John enterprise, but one of the most complete in its equipment to be found in Canada.

TWO PINE CONCERTS.

The Neptune Rowing Club in a New Role.

The Neptune Rowing club, having decided that a production of opera this season was not feasible, have collaborated with F. G. Spencer in the promotion of two grand concerts to be held in the Opera house March 12 and 13, which will probably be among the most attractive ever heard in St. John. Definite arrangements regarding the singers have not as yet been completed, but the fact that Mr. Spencer is promising an attraction, which in many respects has not been locally rivaled, is sufficient to create great interest. The Neptune boys feel confident of offering their friends and the public one of the best entertainments in the club's history.

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Men's Heavy Rubbers.....	40 and 45c.	Women's Skating Bala.....	1.00
Children's Rubbers.....	22 and 30c.	Women's Dongola Skating Bala.....	1.25
Misses' Rubbers.....	25 and 35c.	Misses' Feb. Skating Bala.....	1.00
Women's Rubbers.....	25 and 35c.	Misses Dongola Skating Bala.....	1.25
Men's Hip Boots.....	\$3.50	Men's Buff Congress.....	1.15
Boys' Duckled Rubbers.....	75c.	Misses' and Children's Leggins.....	65c.
Boys' Overshoes.....	75c.	Boys' Strong Boots.....	75c.
Men's Overshoes.....	\$1.00	Men's Hand Made Leg Boots.....	2.75

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MISSIONARY SERVICES.

Missionary anniversary services will be held in Carmarthen street Methodist church tomorrow. Rev. James L. Batty of Halifax will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Rev. H. Penna will take part in the morning service and the pastor will be present in the evening. On Monday evening, Rev. Mr. Batty will deliver a lecture, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church; subject, California and the Great Epworth League Convention. The lecture will be illustrated with lantern colored pictures, California scenery, loaned by the Southern Pacific, and Canadian scenery, specially loaned by the C. P. R. Chair will be taken at 8 p. m.

MISS TARBOX.

Miss Ida King Tarbox, after an extended visit to this city, returned to her home in Portland, Me., today. In social circles Miss Tarbox will be greatly missed, as her quiet and easy manner won her many friends in musical circles, both private and public. Miss Tarbox has given great pleasure with her beautiful voice, and the many centres in New Brunswick which have had the opportunity of hearing her will look forward with pleasure to her return, as the many concerts which she sang in were great successes. Miss Tarbox was accompanied by her brother, Harry Tarbox, who has been spending a few days in the city.

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