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SPECIAL SALE OF BOYS' SUITS.

We begin today a Special Sale of BOYS' VESTEE SUITS, and are showing a large line which were formerly \$3, 3.50 and 3.75, all reduced to one price at \$2. Another line, age 4 to 8, reduced to \$3.

A few Norfolk Suits, age 7 to 10, formerly \$4 to \$4.50, reduced to \$3. Exceptional value. Will go quickly. Better secure one at once.

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SEASONABLE SUMMER WOOLLENS Will be made up at very low prices to order.

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SPORTING GOODS.

We carry a first-class line of GUNS, AMMUNITION and General Shooting Supplies.

KEE & BURGESS,

WHAT IS SAID OF TALMAGE.

(Hamilton Times) Rev. T. Dewitt Talmage may not be an anarchist, but while looking for dangerous elements in the community the police can hardly afford to pass him by.

A STIFF ARGUMENT.

(London Answers) The train had just recommenced its journey toward Bedale.

AT QUEBEC.

Further Particulars of the Landing Yesterday.

The Duke Replies to the Mayor's Address—Respect for the Late President.

QUEBEC, Sept. 16.—At 9.30 this morning the royal yacht Ophir rounded Levis Point, and as her white prow showed past the point a plume of smoke shot out from the citadel which crowns Cape Diamond and the report boomed over the water.

THE ROYAL PROCESSION

reached the parliament buildings, the scene was one never to be forgotten. All approaches to the buildings and the spacious grounds were filled with one great surging mass of humanity.

THE DUKE AND DUCHESS

took their positions standing under the dais in front of the thrones. The Duke wore the uniform of a British admiral, with the ribbon of the Order of the Garter, while the Duchess was attired completely in mourning garments.

ABOUT THE LOGS.

Gloomy Outlook for the Millions of Feet Hung Up.

Several Mills Down and Others Will Also Be Compelled to do so.

The present condition of the lumbering industry fully proves that the fears felt and expressed by the millmen in the earlier part of the season were well founded, and that their worst expectations are more than realized.

ON THE LAKES

A Gale Causes Great Havoc Among the Shipping.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 17.—The cool northwest wind which has swept over the lakes during the past 24 hours assumed the proportions of a gale, and much damage was done to shipping.

FATAL EXPLOSION.

Six Miners Killed—Three Injured—Tunnel Badly Damaged.

GLENWOOD SPRINGS, Colo., Sept. 17.—A large explosion of gas in the Spring Gulch mine of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company, 18 miles from this place, caused the death of six miners and the injury of three others.

HE DOES NOT DRINK.

Alex. Rothenhan, whose name appeared in the police record yesterday, informs the Star that he had not been drinking, and never drank in his life.

TOURISTS

in St. John would do well to call at

WHITE'S KING STREET, and try their ICE CREAM second to none in America.

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Snowflakes, Velvetines, and Caramel.

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Will have roll and flat bacon next week. Ask for our

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IT CAN'T BE OVERDONE.

The Temperance Cause of Boston, published by the Massachusetts T. A. Society, says: In this state last year 18,729 persons were convicted and sentenced for drunkenness, of whom 3,590 had previously served five or more sentences, while 857 had been committed more than eight times, and 37 had been in jail more than fifty times.

REDUCE TEA

IS GOOD TEA.

It is a standard by which other teas are judged.

AT WASHINGTON.

The National Capital Mourns Over the Dead President.

Elloquent Tribute By T. P. O'Connor - Were the Bullets Poisoned?

The body of President McKinley was yesterday transported from Buffalo to Washington. The train arrived at 8.42 p. m. and at 8.50 the first of the procession reached the White House.

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SPORTING NEWS.

THE TURF. Halifax Exhibition Races.

HALIFAX, N. S., Sept. 16.-A fair sized crowd attended the horse races at the exhibition this afternoon.

THE RING. Kid Broad met a Big Surprise.

NEW BRITAIN, Conn., Sept. 16.-Kid Broad met a surprise tonight at the Casino, when Hugh McFadden put it over him for the second time.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.-Frank Brns, the heavyweight champion, will have to meet Rube Ferns at the International A. C. Fort Erie on Monday night.

FOOTBALL PRACTICE. The Y. M. C. A. football team will practice this afternoon on the shamrock grounds after five o'clock.

GERMAN-CUBAN S. S. LINE. BREMEN, Sept. 17.-The North German Lloyd Co. will inaugurate a regular monthly service between Bremen Haven and Havana, Cienfuegos, Manzanillo and Santiago de Cuba.

HOLLAND'S PARLIAMENT. THE HAGUE, Sept. 17.-The states general were opened today by Queen Wilhelmina in person.

SOLDIERS' MEMORIAL. The concert to be given in the Union Hall, North End, in aid of the memorial fund on Friday evening promises to be a very enjoyable affair.

REV. L. A. FENWICK CHOSEN. Rev. M. L. Gregg has resigned the pastorate of the First Baptist church at Bath, Carleton Co., and has been chosen by the congregation to succeed him.

MILTON, Ont., Sept. 16.-Solomon Hannant, past master of this town, died today in a back room at the post office by shooting himself through the head with a revolver.

HERBERT WANAMAKER, a South African hero, is to be married to Miss Hanson, of Sussex, on Wednesday evening next. They will probably make their home at Apsahut.

THE SIGNATURE IS ON EVERY BOTTLE OF THE FAMOUS Laxative Bromo-Quinine. The remedy that cures a cold in one day.

TOBACCO, Sept. 18.-Contractor Wm. McKelvie says the Railway River railway will be completed within forty days and will take out a large amount of Manitoba grain this fall.

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.-In M. A. P. (Mainly About People), a weekly society paper, T. P. O'Connor will publish tomorrow the most interesting of his recollections of his meetings with the late President McKinley at Washington.

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COMMERCIAL.

DAILY QUOTATIONS. (Published by W. S. Barker, Banker and Broker, Palmer's Building.)

Table with columns for Mon. Today, C'g. Op'g. 11 a.m., Noon, and various commodity prices like Amalgam, Copper, etc.

EXCHANGES WILL CLOSE. LIVERPOOL, Sept. 17.-The cotton exchange today will be closed Thursday next, the day of the late President McKinley.

STOCK MARKET. NEW YORK, Sept. 17.-Wall street, the opening trading in stocks was active, but no very large blocks changed hands.

DUFFERIN HOTEL. Sept. 17.-N. H. Geoghegan, Bernard J. Crowley and wife, Boston; F. J. Gordon, Lynn; J. Reid, Woodstock; H. O. Alcorn and wife, Miss Mary Alcorn, Boston; J. H. Crawford, Houston; P. Robertson, Augusta; Frank H. Thomas and wife, Miss F. K. Thomas, Washington; F. D. Dand, D. H. Thayer, Bangor; E. B. Todd, Bangor; A. H. Robinson, Havelock; F. D. Lefebvre, W. R. Finlay, Bangor.

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MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL. The circuit court will reopen tomorrow morning to try the case of Mayes v. Connolly.

Court La Tour, No. 123, will meet tonight in Foresters' hall. A pair of ladies' gloves found on Main street by D. McKeester are at the north end police station awaiting an owner.

The last open air band concert of the season will be given this evening on the stand erected by No. 4 Engine Company at the foot of Garden street.

The Carlton Cornet band are arranging for their annual bazaar to be held in the west side City Hall. They are busy now with lottery tickets for a ton of hard coal, a chamber set and a parlor lamp.

Committees from the Ship Laborers' Society and Shipbuilders' Union met last night to consider the amalgamation of the two societies. Details were talked over, and a proposition was agreed upon for submission to both bodies, looking towards the speedy accomplishment of union.

The meeting in the Opera House next Sunday afternoon will be one of the largest Sabbath gatherings ever seen in that building. The speaker, Fred B. Smith of Chicago, one of the international secretaries of the Y. M. C. A., is a young man of exceptional ability and force.

A designation service will be held in St. David's Presbyterian church, Wednesday evening, at which Rev. A. T. Robb will be set aside for missionary labor in Korea and a chamber set and a parlor lamp.

Mrs. W. J. Cox desires to thank all those friends who extended sympathy and help to her and her family in the bereavement sustained by the death of Mr. Cox.

Adam H. Bell hopes to have his Turkish baths in full swing in about two weeks. A large boiler has been placed in position in the building.

St. Y. Williams, of Coburg street Christian Church, will remove from St. John, owing to the climate not agreeing with his health. G. Nelson Stevens, of Montague, P. E. I., will be a temporary pastor next Sunday.

A meeting of the creditors of J. F. Dookill was held yesterday afternoon. T. P. Regan, who represented Mr. Dookill, submitted an offer of 12-1-2 cents cash.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Allison and family who have been at Buffalo have gone to Quebec to see the celebration over the arrival of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will give a tea in the parlors of the association on Friday at 4.30 p. m. to give opportunity of meeting Fred B. Smith, of Chicago.

James Pullen has men at work in the exhibition building getting the interior ready for the reception to the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall.

A concert will be held in German street Baptist church every this evening. Miss Jump, organist, of Boston, will give readings, and Miss Manning and Prof. Titus will also assist.

PROVINCIAL. Lavigne and Moores, the two boys arrested for stealing a horse at Moncton, were yesterday sentenced, the former to two years and six months, and the latter to two years and five months in Dorchester.

There is a great scarcity of fishermens in the maritime provinces and measures are being taken to secure some from Norway and Sweden and Scotland.

Mrs. Archibald, wife of Rev. E. N. Archibald, died at Wolfville, on Sunday, aged 85 years. She was the daughter of Deacon Joseph Bradshaw, of Beodock.

A letter from Baltimore states that his game is very plentiful in Gloucester County, and that quite a number of well-known Americans from Boston, New York, Chicago, Philadelphia and other cities will hunt in that region this fall.

GENERAL. Solomon Hannant, postmaster of Milton, Ont., without any known reason for the deed, shot himself through the head yesterday. He was 45 years of age and leaves a wife and six children.

A station for wireless telegraphy is to be opened on Cape Race, Nfld. This will be the first station operated in Newfoundland.

All the Ontario election protests have been settled by a general walk-off. The London press speaks in a sympathetic vein of Theodore Roosevelt, and expressed the opinion that he will make a strong president.

Johann Most, arrested in New York last week, is out on bail. There is disagreement among the physicians who attended President McKinley. Dr. McBurney is blamed for the positive assurance made that the patient would recover.

A despatch says it is likely to be a bitter and even scandalous public controversy. MRS. MCKINLEY'S FAVORITE POEM. God gives us love. Something to love. He gives us it, but when love is gone. To ripeness, that as which it throves. Falls still, and love is left alone.

Sleep sweetly, tender heart, in peace! Sleep sweetly, blessed soul, in peace! While the stars burn, the moon increases, And the great ages onward roll.

Sleep till the end, true soul and sweet! Nothing comes to the new or strange. Sleep full of rest from head to foot. Lie still, dry, dust, secure of change.

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KING EDWARD.

WORD-FORMING COMPETITION. FIRST PRIZE \$15.00 SECOND PRIZE 7.50 THIRD PRIZE 2.50

Thirty Compensation Prizes, each consisting of a hand some picture of the King.

Everyone has an equal chance to win the prizes offered, as all you have to do is to find as many words as you can, using all or any of the letters which are found in the words "KING EDWARD," according to the following conditions:-

No letter can be used twice in the same word except the letter "D," which appears twice in the words "King Edward."

Competitors may use any standard dictionary, the name of which should be stated at the end of the list.

Below will be found a coupon divided into twelve spaces. All the words sent in by competitors must be written on these coupons taken from the STAR, one word only in each space. Further coupons will appear in the Star every night until the close of the contest.

The first prize of \$15 will be awarded to the competitor who sends in the greatest number of words formed according to the rules of the contest as stated above. The second and third prizes will be awarded the competitors sending in the two next largest lists, and a picture of King Edward will be awarded as a compensation prize to the thirty competitors sending in the thirty next largest lists.

The decision of the competition editor must be considered final. Intending competitors should note the rules governing the contest, and observe them carefully. Lists not formed strictly according to the conditions of the contest will not be considered.

Keep the coupons until your list is complete, when all should be sent together in an envelope marked "Star Word-forming Contest," and addressed to the Star office, so as to reach this office on or before SEPTEMBER 21TH, on which date the contest will close.

Winners will be announced in the Star on Monday, Sept. 23rd. A good chance to earn \$15.00 with little effort. Try it.

STAR WORD-FORMING COMPETITION.

Name: Address:

N. B. BAPTIST CONVENTION. Reports of the Secretary and Treasurer - Education and Missions - Convention Sermon.

At 3 p. m. on Saturday the annual meeting of the Annuity Association took place, Vice-president Rev. W. E. McIntyre in the chair.

H. Coy, the secretary, read the minutes of the last annual meeting held in Waterborough, after which the officers for the ensuing year were duly elected.

The reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and adopted. A legacy of \$2,000 from the estate of the late Gilbert White of Sussex had been paid in, thus making the present capital fund \$12,000.

The association has at present fifteen annuitants, who are paid annual grants out of the general income.

Saturday evening was given to education and missions. Prof. W. F. Watson of Furman University, South Carolina, was the first speaker. He gave an interesting sketch of that institution, which is to South Carolina what Acadia is to the maritime provinces.

There are in the institution twelve professors and 245 students. The churches there take an honest pride in giving generously to educate the young ministers and nearly all the pastors are college trained men.

The state abounds in doctrines and laws of every sort, and a well trained university has become a necessity.

Prof. H. T. De Wolfe of Acadia Seminary followed, speaking at some length of the progress made at the institution at Wolfville.

Dr. Manning presented an appeal in behalf of the foreign missionary cause. He urged it on the ground that all gifts belonged to God and that we owe in return a debt to Him both in gifts and service.

The Sabbath dawned cool and clear, and large congregations gathered in the various churches supplied by ministers attending the convention.

Rev. W. S. Martin spoke in the Reformed Baptist house of worship in the forenoon, and conducted an evangelistic service in the Baptist house in the evening.

Rev. Geo. Howard supplied the Woodstock church, and other speakers occupied the Methodist and Free Baptist houses.

The convention sermon was preached by Rev. Barry Smith, who gave an interesting and carefully prepared discourse at 11 a. m. to a crowded house.

In the afternoon a model Sunday school was conducted, various speakers taking part in the exercises.

A mass evangelistic service concluded the work of the day. Over one hundred testified of a hope in Christ, and the meeting was one of great power.

Evangelist Martin chose for his topic the Saviour's claim that all power was given unto Him, and gave a clear elucidation of the theme, much to the profit of all.

At 10 o'clock on Monday the Sunday school work was again taken up, occupying the attention of the delegates until eleven, when regular convention business was resumed. Prayer was offered by Mr. Hall, after which the

home mission report was ordered to be published with the minutes of the convention.

A communication from the Bible class of Commonwealth avenue church, Boston, was read by the secretary. It was on motion resolved that the past-ors be urged to look after absent members, communicating wherever possible with them, and also with the pastor of the church nearest to them.

This would form a bond of union and save many from a course of retrogression. It was also resolved that the convention endorse the Forward Movement missionary appeal and urge the churches to contribute liberally toward it.

The treasurer reported collections during the convention amounting to \$15.82.

After singing Bless Be The Tie that Binds the benediction was pronounced by Rev. J. D. Wetmore.

A SCOTT ACT CASE. CAMPOBELLO, Char. Co., Sept. 16. -The Scott Act trial came off on Friday, 13th, in the public hall at 10 o'clock, before Magistrates Small and Simpson, M. McKeagie, attorney at law, appearing for the defendant, namely, E. Whelpley, Rev. A. E. Prosser appearing as witness. The case was decided against the defendant, but an appeal was asked for.

The Tyn-Cood closed last week, after a very successful season. The summer visitors are leaving for their western homes.

Measles are prevalent among the school children at present. Master John Calder is sick with a slight type of typhoid fever.

TOOK FRENCH LEAVE. (Frederick Herald.) Some of the young men who went to camp Sussex as members of the companies commanded by Capt. McLeod and Winslow, returned to the city on Saturday, without having gone through the formality of obtaining leave of absence. When asked for an explanation by their friends they stated that life under canvas not agreeing with them, they made up their minds to return home at the first opportunity and did so. No effort has yet been made by the military authorities to apprehend them, and none of the party anticipate any trouble from that quarter.

OFFICER ANDERSON WINS. ANNAPOLIS, N. S., Sept. 16.-Mr. Justice Meagher today has judgment, in Anderson v. Hicks, assessing \$350 damages and costs against Hicks, collector of customs for Bridgetown and returning officer for Dalhousie at the last dominion election, for refusing to give Anderson a ballot. Anderson, at the time of the election, was a police officer of St. John.

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

The first race for the America's cup will take place Tuesday, Sept. 24.

The Furness liner Dahome, from London for Halifax and St. John, arrived at St. John, Nfld., at 3 p. m. yesterday.

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TENDERS FOR DECORATION, ETC.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 12 o'clock, noon, on MONDAY, the 18th inst., for decorating and illuminating the Court House in the City of Saint John, in honor of the visit of their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York. Plans of design and full specification may be seen at the office.

By order, GEO. R. VINCENT, Secretary.

POLICE COURT.

McCutcheon Pleads Guilty—Some Drunks and an Assault Case.

Andrew O'Leary was arrested yesterday afternoon on St. John street by Sgt. Chapin and this morning was fined for drunkenness four dollars and ten days. He paid.

Robert Morrison and John Merritt endeavored to celebrate on Charlotte street between eight and nine o'clock last evening, and were hauled in by Officers Killen and White. They claimed to be sailors on one of the steamers, but after some coaxing admitted that they were schooner sailors and too many schooners had overcome them. Morrison was fined four dollars and Merritt two, but they hadn't enough money. Morrison offered three dollars to call the thing square, but it was not accepted, and in company with Sgt. Ross the two went to their schooner at Carleton to find some more cash.

Michael Manning last evening on Main street assaulted an unknown man in view of the police, and was arrested. He did not deny the charge this morning, and when Officer Scoble had given evidence on the matter Manning was sentenced to twenty dollars or two months in jail. The case against Murray D. McCutcheon again came up. Capt. Hastings, of the North End police gave evidence in regard to the arrest of the prisoner, and the finding of forty dollars in a woman's stocking, and eighty dollars in a woolen mat in his trunk. When asked if he had any statement to make McCutcheon said, "I plead guilty to the charge against me." He was committed for trial, and as elsewhere stated, will be sentenced tomorrow.

D. D. G. M. WINTER.

H. G. Winter, of Fredericton, who for the past four years has ably and acceptably filled the position of District Deputy and Master of the A. O. U. W., for this province has resigned that office, much to the regret of his fellow members and the grand lodge officers. Mr. Winter has been obliged to take this step owing to increased duties at the custom house, demanding all his time. The appointment of Mr. Winter's successor has not yet been made.

"Patterson's," Cor. Charlotte and Duke Sts.

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LOCAL NEWS.

See Morrell & Sutherland's advertisement on page 4 for more wrapper news.

Will the party who advertised "Bicycle" in Star call at the Sun office for a number of letters?

Freight traffic on the river will not be heavy this fall, as the general run of crops is not as large as usual.

The members of the Tabernacle Baptist church will tender Rev. P. J. Stackhouse, the retiring pastor, a reception in the church building this evening.

A dry goods man said this morning that the people had not got warmed up yet in regard to purchasing flags and other decorations for the dual visit.

The citizens who wanted to learn about the Duke's landing at Quebec had to buy the Star or wait for a third edition of the Globe. The star leads the procession.

The ladies' auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. met this morning and completed arrangements for the reception to be tendered Fred. B. Smith in the association building Friday evening.

The provincial synod of the Church of England in Canada, in session at Montreal, yesterday decided to hold a memorial service in Christ church cathedral at noon Wednesday for President McKinley.

R. C. Tait has recently purchased a large block of land in Shediac and vicinity from J. W. Y. Smith and is erecting a new potato warehouse with a capacity of 20,000 barrels, and a large coopeage.

The death occurred at Forest Hill, Fredericton, yesterday, of Annie R. Dever, the widow of Robert Dever, who emigrated from England several years ago. The deceased lady was fifty-six years of age, and leaves a husband, five sons and three daughters.

The death of Mrs. Jos. Harley occurred at nine o'clock this morning at her residence, 90 Paradise Row. She was in the 71st year of her age, and leaves a husband, four daughters and three sons to mourn their sad loss. Notice of funeral hereafter.

Capt. Bloomfield Douglas is today conducting the examination of three applicants for master's certificates foreign. They are Angus J. McDonald, of Prince Edward Island; Charles B. Eaton, of Auckland, N. Z.; and Ronald V. Bennett, of Hopewell Cape.

THE FREDERICTON EXHIBITION.

The Fredericton exhibition was opened today by His Honor, Lieut. Gov. McClellan; several members of the government were also present. Quite a number of people went up from St. John. The steamer David Weston took seventy-five excursionists from this city this morning, and tomorrow's cheap fare, fifty cents for the round trip, is expected to draw a crowd of passengers for the steamer. The lieutenant-governor was attended by his aide-de-camp, and accompanied by Hon. Messrs. Tweedie, Pugsley and Harris. The mayor and the city council were also present, and a very large crowd of visitors, even larger than was expected, the city being crowded today. The address to the lieutenant-governor was read by John A. Campbell, M. P., and his honor made an appropriate reply. The various exhibits are practically all in place and on the whole the show is an extremely creditable one. The display of fruit is rather light, because the crop this year was poor and small, but the live stock and other exhibits are greatly praised.

THE COUNTRY MARKET.

For the first time in many months the floor of the country market was last night given a thorough cleaning. The hose was introduced and for four hours, from six o'clock until ten, the men employed about the building were kept busy, sweeping, scraping and scrubbing out every nook and corner where the dirt could find a lodging place. And this morning the results of the work were noticeable in the cleaner and fresher odor which pervaded the building, as well as in its improved appearance.

The change in the condition of the market to having a marked effect upon the business done there for the butchers and others who have stalls in the building think it worthy of note that many of their former customers who on account of the dirty state of the market went elsewhere for their goods, are now returning to them.

A few days ago Supt. McKay of one of the largest Boston markets, visited the building and spoke in the highest terms of its appearance and many conveniences.

ONE HUNDRED YEARS OLD.

The Star this morning was shown a half-yearly account redacted by William Hazen to John Black & Co. of this city. It contains items for goods purchased between January and July, 1811, and the amount of the account is \$19 pounds.

The articles mentioned are many and varied, ranging almost from the proverbial needle to the anchor, and the prices charged are by no means high. The paper is remarkably well preserved, and the writing perfectly clear and distinct.

ENGINE AND TENDER RAISED.

Diver E. Leahy returned last evening from Grand Falls, where he had been employed in connection with the raising of the C. P. R. engine and tender, which went through the bridge there some time ago. They were both taken out and found to be in good condition. All obstructions in the river were likewise removed.

THREE BARNY BURNED.

Children playing with matches at Nashwaakias, across the river from Fredericton, today caused George Hugh, one of the leading farmers of York Co., the loss of three barns, one new one just finished and all of them packed full of hay and grain. The three buildings are a total loss, and it is said there is no insurance.

PETITION DISMISSED.

That of A. A. Stockton Against Hon. A. G. Blair Dismissed Without Costs.

The election court to try the petition of Dr. A. A. Stockton against Hon. A. G. Blair opened this morning. Judge Hanington and Judge Gregory presided. There were only two of the people present outside of the officers of the court and the counsel, J. B. M. Baker and J. D. Hasen for the petitioner, and A. G. Blair, Jr. for the respondent.

Shortly after the court opened J. B. M. Baker, acting for the petitioner, read a letter from the clerk of the crown in chancery, H. J. Lamotha, to the clerk of the supreme court, Mr. Allen, stating that it was necessary for him to present the papers, asked for by the petitioner's counsel in the case, in person, and that his expenses were four dollars a day. Roughly speaking \$50 would be needed to cover the expenses in this matter. This Mr. Baker said he had not paid, considering the charge extortionate, and as a result the papers were not here, and there was no evidence to offer.

A. G. Blair, Jr., moved that the petition be dismissed, and that the petitioner be admitted were regular and he did not ask for costs. Judge Hanington said that the judgment of the court was that the petition be dismissed, without costs. The court adjourned side-de.

MRS. JOHN MCINTOSH.

An Aged and Highly Esteemed Resident of Carleton Passed Away this Morning.

The death occurred this morning of Mrs. John McIntosh, of Carleton, at the age of 83 years. Mrs. McIntosh had been living a short time with her son, Dr. McIntosh, of Coburg street, but previous to that had lived continuously in Carleton, where she was well known and highly esteemed, having very many friends throughout the city. Despite her great age she had enjoyed good health, until quite recently she was a member of Carleton Presbyterian church.

FOOT BADLY CUT.

Lieut. Charles H. Allen, eldest son of T. C. Allen, met with a painful though not serious accident at Pine Bluff camp on Saturday evening. Just before retiring he and Henry Bababit were having a tussle when Mr. Allen was thrown suddenly, one of his feet going through the window-glass, cutting his foot at the side of the instep. Dr. McLeod was summoned and had to take five stitches in the wound. Mr. Allen is, however, able, with the aid of a crutch, to attend to his work at the exhibition building today.—Yesterday's Gleaner.

WEDDED AT SUSSEX.

Miss Violet Kinnear, only daughter of John M. Kinnear, of Sussex, was married in Trinity church yesterday to Frank Brown, of Boston. The young couple left on the C. P. R. west for Denver, Colo., where they will spend the winter. The Rev. Frederick Scovil, of St. Jude's church, St. John, West, performed the marriage ceremony, the rector of Trinity being away from home.

SUDDEN DEATH.

A well to do farmer and good citizen Thomas Vail, of Jacksonville Corner, Carleton Co., was found dead in his cow stable adjoining his residence Monday afternoon. He had probably passed away about two hours before he was discovered. The deceased was 55 years of age and unmarried. Heart disease, it is supposed, was the cause of his death.

TONIGHT'S GOOD TIME.

A garden party in aid of Glad Tidings hall will be held on the B. and A. grounds this afternoon and evening. Among the many features will be a base ball match between the Clippers and Glad Tidings nine at 3 p. m., and an exhibition drill by the Scots' boys brigade in the evening. Tea will be served at 7 p. m. The grounds will be brilliantly lighted.

NORTH END WEDDING.

The marriage occurred last evening at the residence of Rev. J. Cras, B. Appel, the officiating clergyman, of Miss Mabel Jones, of Carleton, and Robert Child, of Chesley street. The bride was attended by Miss Fie, Perkins, and the groom was supported by Baird Parker. A reception was held after the ceremony at the residence of the groom's mother, Chesley street.

THE TORRYBURN CASE.

The county court met this morning and the Torryburn case was resumed. The evidence of James McLaughlin finished the prosecution, and the case of the defence was commenced. M. Dehorcy was on the stand at the time the court adjourned, and the evidence of O'Neill and Connolly is still to be heard.

AS IT IS IN BANGOR.

Prohibition does not appear to interfere with the revenues of the Bangor police court. In this respect the Maine town appears to equal in fact to exceed St. John. Six drunks were lined up for sentence on Monday morning.

THE STAR'S PRIZE COMPETITION.

In reply to the query of "Reader," the Star wishes to explain that words of two letters only will not be counted in the Star's word-forming competition. It may be well to further state that the competition closes on Friday, Sept. 28.

WICKED FREDERICTON.

Caretaker Gregory of the Old Burial ground is making a collection of beer bottles and liquor flasks found at the cemetery. So far this season Mr. Gregory has picked up on the grounds 150 plus and a half bottles and 10 flasks of various kinds.—Gleaner.

SENTENCED TOMORROW.

After the hearing in the police court M. D. McCutcheon was this morning taken before Judge Forbes. He elected to be tried under the Speedy Trials Act, and pleaded guilty. He will be sentenced tomorrow.

TO ADVERTISERS!

Advertisers in the STAR are requested to send in copy not later than TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON, in order that the matter may be set up in time for that day's issue.

EQUITY COURT.

Before Mr. Justice Barker in the Equity Court This Morning.

L. Allison, K. C., plaintiff's solicitor in the matter of Maude M. Hayes v. David H. Sherwood moved for issue of a writ to allow the plaintiff to become possessed of lands and premises for which a decree of foreclosure had been made. Ordered as moved.

In the matter of B. Augusta McLeod and Howard D. McLeod v. Clara L. McDonald et al, W. A. Ewing, plaintiff's solicitor, moved to confirm the referee's report. Certain lands were sold under a power of sale contained in a mortgage. Ordered as moved and that the report be filed.

In the matter of John W. Y. Smith v. Patrick Casey, Robert W. Hewson, plaintiff's solicitor, moved to have the bill taken to confession against the defendant, Robert Casey, for want of an appearance, and against defendant, Patrick Casey, for want of a plea, answer or return. This is an action for foreclosure under a power of sale contained in a mortgage. Ordered as moved.

On motion of W. Watson Allen, K. C., it was ordered that the referee named in the decree in the matter of Alice Curran proceed to carry out the directions of the decree.

In the matter of the Trusts of Eliza Robertson, Margaret Robertson and Agnes Lucas Robertson, R. R. Ritchie presented the petition of the above named persons for the appointment of Allen O. Earle as trustee in the place of Honorable J. D. Lewin, deceased. Ordered as prayed.

In the matter of George L. Slipp, a supposed imbecile, the referee, E. H. McAlpine, recommended the appointment of L. A. Curry, K. C., Edward W. Slipp and Willard E. Brittain as a committee of the person and estate of George L. Slipp. J. B. M. Baxter appeared for Am Slipp and others; L. A. Curry appeared for Edward W. Slipp and others; A. W. Baird appeared for Alice L. Slipp, Mrs. England and others. On motion of Mr. Curry the report was confirmed.

PERSONAL.

Fred Simpson returned today from Boston.

Mrs. Alice Lee, of St. John, is visiting Mrs. John Sprout, Fredericton. Kenneth Hiley, who has been spending a short time with friends in Sussex has returned home.

Wm. Ganong, of the "Cedars," left for Nelson, B. C., yesterday afternoon on a pleasure trip.

Leonard Daly left on Monday for Boston, where he will spend his vacation.

Miss Nellie Fitzgerald left yesterday afternoon for Montreal to visit her brother.

Dr. J. D. Maher will leave this afternoon on a trip to Buffalo and New York.

E. H. McAlpine, Geo. P. Frites, W. H. Fry, L. Erics, and M. T. Wilson, of St. John, were in Fredericton yesterday.

Miss Maud Kelly arrived from St. John Saturday, to visit friends here during the exhibition.—Fredericton Herald.

Mrs. W. E. Scully, of St. John west has, with her children, returned home after an enjoyable visit to relatives and friends in Minnesota.

Rev. H. H. Cooman, of the Seamen's Mission, arrived from the west yesterday by the C. P. R. express.

The engagement is announced of Miss Frances Clements, of Fredericton, to W. Arthur C. Hamilton, of Montreal. Mrs. H. C. Cooman, of St. John, is in Moncton, the guest of Mrs. Geo. Palmer.

Miss Biedermann, Miss Alice Lee and Miss Maud Kelly, of this city, are visiting Fredericton.

Mrs. Williams Lawton will be at home to her friends Thursday afternoon and evening, the 19th inst., at No. 33 Peters street.

The Messrs MacLaren returned yesterday from St. John, where they were competitors in today's golf match for the Riley cup.

Miss Mary Connell, of Woodstock, arrived in the city last evening. She is the guest of Miss Miriam Colter, Charlotte street.

Mrs. (Dr.) Joseph Andrews left for New York last Friday to meet her sister, who has just returned from Bohemia on a s. Deutschland.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Taylor, of St. John, are visiting Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Killam, Killam's Mills.

Rev. W. Charles Wilson, of Springside, called on Capt. S. S. Loyalty, for London, in the interest of the Cottage hospital. He will be away for several months.

SALVATION ARMY CASE SETTLED.

The complaint against the Salvation Army for making a noise and disturbing residents near their barracks on Charlotte street was finally settled in the police court today. Recorder Skene, after reviewing the case, stated that an amicable means of settlement had been arrived at. The commanding officer, Brigadier Sharp, had promised to write him a letter to the effect that in future the services would be conducted so as not to annoy people. This letter had not been received by Br. Skinner, but Capt. McElhenny stated that it had been written in accordance with the agreement mentioned by Mr. Skinner. Capt. McElhenny appeared in court and made a statement to practically the same effect as contained in the letter. He said that he had been directed by his commanding officer to state that the services will be conducted along the lines indicated in the letter.

With this agreement the case was called off; but Mr. Skinner stated that should there be any recurrence of the disturbance complained of more drastic measures would be taken to have it suppressed.

E. H. MacAlpine was unable to attend this morning, owing to business in Fredericton.

DYKEMAN'S 3 Entrances VELVET RIBBONS. 97 King, 59 Charlotte, and 6 South Market Streets.

Every fashionable journal will tell you that narrow velvet ribbons are to be in great demand for waists and dress trimmings during the present season. Yesterday we opened an immense quantity of these goods, and the prices placed upon them are in harmony with the reputation of this store. Baby ribbons starting at 3c. per yard up. Satin back baby ribbons from 5c. for the best quality up.

NEW DRESS MATERIALS. BEST PROOF CLOTHS are so far ahead of the ordinary finished goods that nearly everyone who buys a new dress or skirt will demand this material. Ask for the "Baden" or "Pique" finished cloths, and you will get a material that will not shrink, spot or cockle. It is put through a process which makes it so, and the cost is no more than for the ordinary goods. We have the "Baden" finish goods at 65c., 75c. per yard. Ripley's "Pique" finished goods at 65c. and 75c. They are different weights, suitable for dresses, separate skirts or tailor made suits.

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THEY WENT QUICK.

The 98c. Wrappers advertised Saturday night are all sold! They were extra good value and were expected to sell quickly when we made the announcement, but thought there would be enough for the three days' selling. However, to compensate the disappointed ones there will be tomorrow, we are going to sell a number of the better qualities at half price.

TO-MORROW WEDNESDAY, ONLY every THIRD Wrapper sold will go at just HALF-PRICE.

Prices—\$1.75, 1.90, 2.00 and \$2.25.

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