

ABOUT Domestic Harmony

Few things are quite so discouraging as to go into the kitchen and find the coal stove "dead out," the fire-box full of ashes and clinkers, the coal scuttle empty, and starting you in the face, the unpleasant task of cleaning out the stove and taking up the ashes, to say nothing of carrying in kindling and coal, before you can even start the fire which is often slow in getting under way, serving only to add irritability to an already unenviable state of mind.

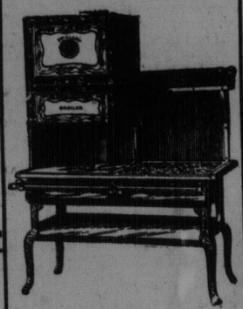
Here is a state of domestic discord which arising from the kind of fuel used for cooking, can be easily "set right" by getting rid of its cause.

Think of how much easier and nicer it is to use a fuel that is always in your stove, ready to light at any moment, day or night, and which comes to your home free from dust and dirt which are left behind at the gas works, a fuel which makes possible a comfortable kitchen, never overheated in summer, free from coal scutes and ashpans, costing less than either coal, coke, wood, kerosene or gasoline.

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One of the Most Popular Styles in our large line of Gas Stoves and Ranges.

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You will wonder why you held to the old way, with all its expense and inconvenience, so long, when this modern, clean, convenient fuel has been so easily within your reach.

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At Cut Prices. **BICYCLE MUNSON**
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Send for Cut Price Catalogue.

Mrs. Catherine Murray.
Mrs. Catherine Murray, widow of the late Bernard Murray, passed away last night at her home 84 Elliott Row. She was a native of Ireland, coming to this city in her youth. Her husband, the late Bernard Murray, was well known in the city, having acted as city marshal for several years.

Don't Forget
that the bankrupt sale in the O'Regan building, 15 Mill street, closes this Friday night at 11 p.m. Get there before the closing hours.

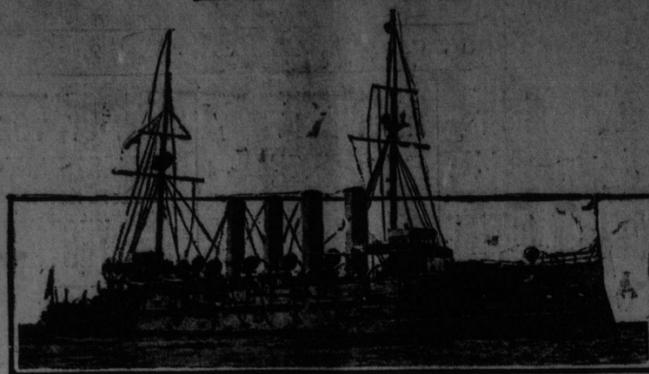
JUNE WEDDINGS.

Millican-Coates.
Special to The Standard.
Amherst, June 1.—A quiet but very pretty wedding was solemnized this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Coates, Nappan, when their daughter, Nellie, was united in marriage to Harry Millican, of the firm of Baird & Peters, Campbellton. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. L. Jobb of Londonderry in the presence of immediate friends.

Christie-Black.
An interesting wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Black, Springhill, when their daughter Mary was married to Warren Christie of the firm of Christie Brothers & Co., of Amherst. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. D. A. Steel, of Amherst, assisted by Rev. A. Graham Barton, in the presence of immediate relatives and friends.

New York, June 1.—Sld: Schs Reva and Poerres for St. John, N. B.; Loyal for Halifax.

Will Go to P. E. Island For Target Practice



Quebec, June 1.—H. M. S. Niobe, will proceed to Prince Edward Island for target practice. The vessel here is the lieutenant governor at his office in the Parliament buildings. Among those to meet the Niobe are Mrs. and Miss Bates, of Ottawa and Mr. and Mrs. Byrd, Toronto, who are here to greet Cadets Bates and Byrd.

ROUNDING OUT A PROGRAMME FOR CORONATION OBSERVANCE

Committee Met Last Evening and Heard Reports from Various Societies as to the Local Celebration of the Day.

A meeting of the Coronation committee was held last evening, but the attendance was not as large as expected, and little was done. A delegation from St. Andrew's Society announced that they would take part in the parade, and it was said the Independent Order of Foresters would probably participate. Some of the societies have been rather backward, and Ald. Green, the secretary of the committee was instructed to communicate with them and try to enlist their cooperation.

In opening the meeting Ald. Jones said he had been in communication with the Fireworks Company of Hamilton, and had secured prizes on various kinds of fireworks. He was advised that \$300 would furnish a first class display.

R. J. Wilkins, of the Polymorphians said his society had met and struck off committees. Some characters for the parade had been suggested, but he could not tell definitely just what would be done till Monday evening when the club would hold another meeting to hear reports.

Col. E. T. Sturdee said the question of determining the time of the military parade and salute should be settled. He thought the military parade should take place at 11 a. m., and the salute at noon.

Somebody expressed surprise at the fact that the 62nd Regiment was not represented at the meeting.

Ald. Wigmore said he had had an interview with Col. McAvity, who assured him that the 62nd Regiment would turn out, and help make the parade a success. Col. McAvity favored a parade in the morning.

Col. Sturdee said he understood that at the moment the crown was placed on the King's head, the news would be flashed around the Empire. He understood that St. Stephen's school children would be assembled, and when the news was received they would rise and sing, God Save the King. The crowning would take place about 9.30 a. m., according to St. John time. He did not think however, it was the intention to assemble the school children here.

F. J. Punter said he had interviewed a carpenter, Mr. McLaughlin, who had undertaken to build the model of a Dreadnought. It was the intention to ask the commander of the Niobe to loan a number of navy uniforms.

M. E. Grass said there had been a movement among the Independent Order of Foresters to take part in the celebration, but it had not materialized sufficiently to say what would be done. A meeting of delegates from 10 local lodges would be held next Tuesday to see what arrangements could be made. Mr. Grass thought each society should arrange for allegorical floats, or for something which would serve to distinguish it from the others.

Ex-Ald. Spruel said the Orangemen expected to turn out in full strength. J. Murdoch said the Clan MacKenzie had not discussed the matter of taking part in the demonstration, but he expected the matter would be taken up at a meeting next week.

In reply to Mr. Grass, the mayor said the city would pay for the bands which would be utilized for all the parades.

Mr. Grass moved that a communication be sent to the societies which have not responded asking them to cooperate. This was passed.

The Mayor—Has any place been selected for setting off the fireworks? The chairman—Has been suggested, that the south side of King's square would be a good place.

Andrew Jack said a committee of the St. Andrew's society had met during the evening and had decided that the society should turn out and help in making the celebration a success.

The Mayor—That means St. George's society will have to look to its laurels.

Col. Sturdee said that in his opinion the society for the Boy Scouts to turn out in the evening and carry Chinese lanterns on their sticks. This would help out the fireworks.

The Mayor concurred in this. He thought the boys would be better pleased to take part in the more spectacular affair. It was more exciting to handle fire.

SHOCKING TASTE ON PART OF THE POLICE

Official Interference with Sheffield Street Musicale, Last Evening, Resulted in Five Arrests Being Made.

With an entire disregard of artistic propriety, the police last evening made a sudden descent upon a select musicale in Sheffield street and arrested five of the artists and entranced auditors.

Mag Sullivan and Eva Morrell, who is professionally known as Circus Eva were pouring the music from their souls for the edification of William McQuibban, Alfred Bennett and William Kingston with some other lesser lights about 11.30 last night. Madame Sullivan had just completed an artistic interpretation of Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes, when Miss Morrell interrupted. Miss Morrell was in a critical mood and claimed that the diva was a disgrace to the Sheffield street choir. The auditors attempted to calm the professional jealousy of the pair, and succeeded in getting them, and several other lyric sopranos and silver voiced tenors, to join in a choral rendering of Love Me and the World is Mine, when Police Officer Rankine hove in sight.

"Cut the harmony," was the officer's command and it was issued with such an air of authority that three of the lyric sopranos and silver tenors took refuge, Madame Sullivan and the other artists named, disdained safety by flight and continued to warble madrigals for the benefit of those who chafed however, and all were arrested.

Madame Sullivan had just changed her quarters from the King's street east her quarters on Wednesday. Police Magistrate Ritchie who saw her at work in the jail yard had a job found for her and she was released. She would make necessary preparations and report for duty. Her artistic spirit however, refused to be subdued and she returned to her companions of the Sheffield street choir. Last night's musicale will probably have a sequel in the police court this morning, when the participants will be charged with drunkenness.

FASHIONABLE WEDDING AT ST. ANDREWS BY THE SEA

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy's Daughter To Be Married To Wyndham Beauchamp—Guests Leave in Special.

Montreal, Que., June 1.—The most elaborate and best appointed train that ever left Montreal drew out of the city today en route for St. Andrews-by-the-Sea, bearing Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and a party of guests to attend the wedding of Miss Shaughnessy to Mr. Wyndham Beauchamp. The train will reach St. Andrews tomorrow morning. It consists of four private cars. In the party were: Sir Thomas, Mr. A. T. and Mr. W. G. Shaughnessy, Mr. R. B. Angus, Mr. B. Garrett and the bridesmaids, Miss Angus, Miss Clouston and Miss Campbell. Lady Shaughnessy and her daughters are already at St. Andrews.

LATE SHIPPING.

Liverpool, June 1.—Ard: Str Proterian from Montreal.
London, May 31.—Ard: Str Pomersian from Montreal.
Norfolk, Va., June 1.—Sld: Str Heralla for St. John, N. B.

MILKMAN RANGED HIMSELF

Toronto, June 1.—This morning early, Phillip Little, a dairyman at North Toronto, committed suicide by hanging himself in his stable.

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You use about 3 bars of soap a week. Assepto is 25 per cent. larger than any other Soap, that means to you 39 bars a year free. A Better Soap and the only antiseptic Laundry Soap.

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A. POYAS,
Watchmaker and Jeweler,
16 Mill Street.

BISPHAM CANGERT A MUSICAL TREAT

Splendid Programme Rendered by Noted Singer, Last Evening, Gave Particular Enjoyment to Large Audience.

The present week should prove a memorable one for music lovers in this city. Following close upon the visit of the Bostonia Sextette, David Bispham, the noted baritone singer, made his initial appearance before a local gathering last evening.

The recital given by Mr. Bispham in Centenary schoolroom proved one of the most enjoyable events given in this city, and the singer verified the representations made concerning him.

His voice, rich in tone, was heard to advantage. In his repertoire were classic gems, operatic excerpts, and quaint ballads, and the expression and charm with which each number was rendered elicited unstinted applause.

His versatility was admirably displayed in the final number of the evening, "The Raven" (Poe) a recitation to music, and by the intensity of feeling and expression which he infused into the piece, Mr. Bispham gave evidence of rare elocutionary powers.

Harry M. Sibbert, Mr. Bispham's accompanist, assisted in the recital and his rendition of "Serenade" (Sliding) and "En Route" (Godard) added to the pleasure of the evening.

TAFT TRYING TO JAM IT THROUGH

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The plan, as outlined, has been broadly discussed among Democratic senators and it is said that they believe with other friends of reciprocity that it is an acceptable solution of the difficulty. The reciprocity agreement, as negotiated provided that Canadian paper could come in free only when provincial restrictions were removed. The house instead of incorporating this conditional provision in the reciprocity bill, gave that of a concession with the idea of inducing the provinces to lift their restrictions and provided that all paper made in Canada from pulpwood not grown on lands under restrictions should be admitted free. As the duty on paper is \$5.75 a ton, the house felt that Canada ultimately would be glad to lift the restrictions to gain the advantage of this reduction.

According to the White House view the Root amendment to the paper and pulp schedule does not actually violate the agreement, but repels the house amendment and puts the paper provision again in conditional form. The house, it is said, would not accept the Root amendment or any other amendment carried through from a technical standpoint.

The Lodge amendment in regard to fisheries, based, it is said, upon the theory of a Canadian bounty on catching fish which the president holds is inconsiderable and lapsing, would violate the agreement and require the consent of Parliament before its adoption would be consistent with the enforcement of the agreement.

The Nelson amendments would simply cut down duties on agricultural products instead of abolishing them. It would upset the entire agreement, it is said, at the White House, and it is believed there to have been framed with that intention.

With the agreement once in the open senate, President Taft has said that its fate will depend not so much on the number of votes pledged to the measure itself as upon the number that can be mustered to put through amendments that would prevent its passage.

President Taft feels sure of 22 Republican votes for the reciprocity bill in the shape that it passed the House. He also feels sure of 35 or 36 Democratic votes, making a total of 57 to 53 in favor of the bill, to 33 or 34 against.

The president has expressed the belief that the Democrats are sincere in their support of reciprocity and that they will vote down amendments that would kill it. The farmers' free list, it is said, would alienate Republican votes from the agreement and defeat both.

President Taft frankly has told Senators friendly to the reciprocity pact that they should for it be known that amendments to the reciprocity bill can be supported only by persons not

NO INTERNATIONAL STRIKE

Antwerp, June 1.—The Neptune, the leading shipping organ of Antwerp today declared that there would be no international strike of seamen for the present. Another attempt, however, the paper says, will be made to bring about a strike on June 16.

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Gentlemen: Are you wanting a new suit? Why pay \$16.00, \$18.00, or more when you can get the same suits in our store at \$10 or \$12? Imagine how long and hard you work for your dollars. Save them. You can have a little saving account by trading at The People's Dry Goods Store.

Ladies: Do you want something durable, washable; something to make you look decent and ladylike? You cannot do it with your husband's small earnings. Impossible, unless you do your shopping at The People's Dry Goods Store.
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186 Union Street

MARRIED.

YOUNG-COCHRANE.—At St. Stephen's Church, Thursday, June 1, by Rev. Gordon Dickie, Lawrence M. Cochrane of Calgary, Alta., to Harriette Young, daughter of James G. Armstrong of this city.

ANDERSON-FLETCHER.—At the residence of the bride's parents, 130 Prince William street, on June 1st, by Rev. F. S. Porter, Eva May, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fletcher, to William J. Anderson.

DIED.

MURRAY.—On the 1st instant at her late residence, 81 Elliott Row, Catherine, widow of the late Bernard Murray, in her 96th year. Notice of funeral later.

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MILL AND and moulding building 100x300 story 44x44 feet, story 40x45 feet, concrete and brick vault, warehouse.

STOCK—CON ing, public, railway siding.

Detailed inventory may be made of the offices of the town.

Sealed tenders will be received June twentieth, at L. Fairweather street St. John liquidators.

The highest necessarily accept.

THOMAS H. GEORGE

PROBATE CITY IN

To the Sheriff of Saint John the seal of the Court of Probate.

WHEREAS the testator of the City of and County of have elected in their will of their administration that the same in due form of law.

You are the heirs and legal legatees of the estate interested in before me at before me and of Saint John in the City of Saint John (nineteenth day of June) in order to attend the said account as by law directed.

(L.S.) seal of this 1911. (Sgd.) H. V. M. Reg. (Sgd.) D. KING

Liquidation
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THE SWEET SINGER OF CANADA SINGS THE RECIPROCITY SONG BEFORE KING GEORGE—From the Toronto News.

Good Paying Business
in centre of city for sale.

BY AUCTION
On Monday afternoon June 5th, at 2:30 o'clock.

I will sell the Gem Dining Restaurant, No. 7 King Square, with 12 stalls, fully equipped and running, tables, chairs and equipments to seat eighty (80) people; 2 gas ranges, 1 charcoal broiler, 1 stove range, 1 piano, refrigerator, cash register, show cases and everything required to run a first class dining room. Newly painted, and everything neat and clean. Are you interested? Then walk in during meal hours and note the trade. Reason for selling, ill-health. Possession given at time of sale. For particulars apply to

F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer,
96 Germain Street.

FOR SALE—PONY
Can be seen at stable, 135 Princess Street, before Friday, June 2nd, will be sold by auction on Market Square, at 11 o'clock on Friday morning.

F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer,
96 Germain St.

Liquidation Sale BY TENDER

Freehold property, planing and moulding mill and buildings, plant and machinery and manufactured and unmanufactured stock of A. E. Hignall, Limited (in liquidation) situated fronting on Erin, Brunswick and Albion streets, in the City of St. John, New Brunswick.

FREELAND PROPERTY—Nine city lots with frontage on Erin, Brunswick and Albion streets, exclusive of right of way of the Intercolonial Railway which passes through the property.

MILL AND BUILDINGS—Planing and moulding mill, two story frame building 100x50 feet, dry kiln, two story 44x44 feet, stock room three story 40x45 feet, paint shop 22x40, concrete and brick boiler house, shavings vault, warehouse and barn.

All buildings situate detached.

PLANT AND MACHINERY—Thirty-two new woodworking machines in main building, boiler, engine, belt, etc., extensive contracting plant, delivery outfit and office furniture.

STOCK—Consists of lumber, moulding, mill glass, etc.

Railway siding extends to mill building.

Detailed inventory of above property may be inspected at the mill or at the offices of the undersigned liquidators.

Sealed tenders for the above property will be received up to Tuesday, June twentieth, 1911, at twelve o'clock, noon, at the office of J. H. A. Fairweather, 129 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B., solicitor for liquidators.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

THOMAS H. SOMMERVILLE,
Canada Life Building,
St. John, N. B.

GEORGE A. HILYARD,
Hilyard Brothers,
St. John, N. B.
Liquidators.

PROBATE COURT,
CITY AND COUNTY OF SAINT JOHN

To the Sheriff of the City and County of Saint John, or any Constable of the said City and County:—

WHEREAS the Executors and Trustees of the estate of James Lawton, of the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, deceased, have filed in this Court an account of their administration of the said deceased's estate, and have prayed that the same be passed and allowed in due form of law.

You are therefore required to cite the heirs and next of kin, devisees and legatees of the said deceased, and all of the creditors and other persons interested in his said estate to appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held in and for the City and County of Saint John, at the Probate Court Room in the Pugsley Building, in the City of Saint John, on Monday the nineteenth day of June, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and there to attend the passing and allowing of the said accounts as prayed for, and as by law directed.

Given under my hand and the (L.S.) seal of the said Probate Court this 18th day of May, A. D. 1911.

(Sgd.) J. R. ARMSTRONG,
Judge of Probate.

(Sgd.) H. V. McNERNEY,
Registrar of Probate.

(Sgd.) D. KING HAZEN, Proctor.

Liquidation Sale

PROPERTY OF A. E. HAMILTON LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION) FOR SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

There will be sold at the warehouse of A. E. Hamilton Limited, in the Town of Campbellton, on Wednesday, the fourteenth day of June, 1911, at ten a. m., the office and warehouse building, builders' materials, camp outfit and contracting plant.

A detailed inventory of above property may be inspected at the office of the company, Campbellton, or at the offices of the undersigned liquidators.

THOMAS H. SOMMERVILLE,
Canada Life Building, St. John, N. B.

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CONTRACTORS WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

That further TENDERS for the Construction of a Sewerage System for FAIRVILLE, N. B., will be received at the office of the County Secretary, No. 108 Prince William Street, in the City of Saint John, until 4 p. m. of Tuesday, the 6th day of June, 1911. Separate Tenders will be considered for the whole or any portion of the work as follows, viz.:

SYSTEM DRAINING WESTWARD INTO SEPTIC TANKS.

1. Excavation and refilling of trenches and laying of 8", 9", 10", 12", and 15" terra cotta pipe, in all approximately 6,145 lineal feet.
2. Construction of Concrete Septic Tanks about 24x6 ft., and building of the necessary manholes, lampholes and catch basins.
3. The whole of the above complete.

SYSTEM DRAINING EASTWARD INTO RIVER SAINT JOHN.

1. Excavation and refilling of trenches and laying of 8", 9", 10", 12", and 15" terra cotta pipe, in all approximately 6,570 lineal feet.
2. Excavation and refilling of trenches for 22", 27" and 33" Brick Sewers, or reinforced concrete pipe of approximately the same diameter, about 2,010 lineal feet.
3. Excavation and refilling of trench for 2 ft. by 3 ft. Timber Sewer, about 450 feet in length.
4. Construction of Brick Sewers, Manholes, Lampholes and Catchbasins.
5. Laying of reinforced Concrete Pipe, which may be substituted for Brick Sewers, about 2,010 lineal feet.
6. Building of Timber Sewer, about 450 feet.

7. For the whole of the above complete.

All Terra Cotta pipe and Concrete Pipe, if used, will be furnished by the Municipality.

The Municipality does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any Tender, and no Bid will be considered unless on the form specified, copies of which will be furnished upon application at the office of the Engineer.

GILBERT C. MURDOCH,
J. KING KELLEY, Engineer,
County Secretary,
Dated at Saint John, N. B., this 24th day of May, 1911.

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It is long and very loose. The uncomfortably short sleeves are really going out of style for four year old misses. The sleeves too, are roomy. All in all, the dress about as dainty a bit of dressgoods as a four year old miss could wish.

FOOT PIERCED BY A CROWBAR

Sackville Man Meets with a Painful Accident—Damage Done by Lightning—News from Mt. Allison.

Sackville, May 31.—A heavy thunderstorm visited the town on Monday evening. The only damage done was to the concrete floor of B. C. Raworth's brick carriage factory, the lightning entering the open door and making a large hole in the concrete.

St. Stephen and Knox Presbyterian churches, Amherst, have invited under the ministry of the Knox church, Pastor Rev. E. H. Ramsey.

The wholesale establishment of Wood & Sons, which has undergone extensive repairs in the interior of the building this spring, is now completed. Metal ceilings, hardwood floors, up-to-date hot water heating and modern radiators with the partitions of the different offices largely of glass.

A new lodge of L.O.F.F. was organized at Port Elgin on Tuesday evening. The following past grands of the order made application for the charter: E. B. Allen, Nelson L. McNutt, J. L. Towse, C. H. Reed, John A. Laws, Wm. Farquharson. A special train from Sackville was chartered and a large number of prominent Odd-fellows from Amherst, Moncton, Dorchester and Sackville were present.

Frank Ritchie of Centreville met with a painful accident on Wednesday. While at work with other section men of the N. B. and P.R. Island line, a fellow workman accidentally drove a crowbar through his right

NEWS FROM HAMPTON

New Clergymen Coming to Several of the Hampton Churches—A Budget of Social and Personal News.

Hampton, June 1.—Rev. Mr. Crofoot, the new rector of Hampton parish, is expected to arrive from England June 15th, and will preach his inaugural sermon on the following Sunday, Mr. Gaskill, his assistant, will also enter upon his duties, taking charge of the Anglican interests at other stations in the southern portion of the parish. His William Robinson will be in charge of the rectory as matron.

The parsonage of the Hampton Station Baptist church is being renovated and got in readiness for the accommodation of their new pastor, Rev. Mr. McLuckie, who is expected to arrive with his family next week, and to enter on his duties on Sunday, June 11th.

Rev. H. C. Rice, pastor of the Hampton Methodist church is today at St. Martins, assisting the student minister in the celebration of the ordination of the Lord's Supper, and the acceptance of new members into the church as well as closing up the church business preparatory to the meeting of the conference.

Mrs. C. W. Plummer, of Jacksonville, Carleton County, who has been engaged for the past two weeks at Moncton, attending the convention of the Methodist Women's Missionary Society.

Mrs. E. G. Evans, Main street, Hampton Station, and her following members of her family: Harry, Louis Maurice and Jack, left on Tuesday evening by the Quebec express for Gananook, Ontario, where they will spend the summer. They were accompanied by Joseph Heaton, a practical machinist, who has accepted a position with the dredging company of which Mr. Evans is the president. Mr. Evans and the eldest son, Ronald, who is in the same service, will join the party at Montreal.

Last Sunday R. A. March took a party down to the Willows in his motor boat where they took tea and returned in the early evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. March, Mr. and Mrs. T. Wm. Barnes, Constance and Ralph March, Jr., Roland and Harriet Barnes.

C. W. Townshend, St. John, was a visitor here on Tuesday.

Mrs. Helen Hughes, soprano, Miss Helen Goodhill, contralto, Miss Mabel Canning, reader, and Miss Joan Allison, pianist and accompanist, four students of the Ladies' College, Mount Allison, are to give a concert in the Hampton Methodist hall on Saturday evening.

Thomas A. Peters, who has been a guest of his daughter, Mrs. R. A. March, for a week, spent Monday on a fishing trip to Long's Lake, with Amos Godsoe and on Wednesday returned to Charlottetown to resume his duties as government instructor in horticulture.

Miss Horstman, professional nurse, returns to St. John on Friday after being in attendance for the past three weeks on the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. March, who was suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia, but is now entirely recovered.

Miss Sibley Barnes returned from Sackville on Wednesday, where she attended the evening exercises of the Methodist institutions.

Amateurists of St. John find much enjoyment in a trip to Hampton, as they naturally would, seeing the many beauties of the place and the excellent accommodations provided for their comfort. Within the past few days there have been quite a number of such parties here, among them being the following:—

Major A. E. Hesse, Mrs. Massie, their two children and Thos. Blair,

BELLEISLE STATION NEWS.

Belleisle Station, June 1.—There was a picnic in the Public Hall on Monday evening last. There was a fairly good attendance; some special music was rendered and a good time enjoyed. Proceeds toward Mount Olivet Baptist church.

The mill situated below the station is cutting timber for S. Dibblee, and also doing some custom work.

Lena Northrup is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Northrup.

The Rev. Mr. Bell and family, Berwick, spent the 24th with Pastor Young and wife at the Methodist Parsonage.

Edgar Sharp and wife are rejoicing over the arrival of a young son, O. Kincaid spent the last two days in St. John.

Joseph Vall was in the village last week.

Mrs. Murry spent Wednesday with Minnie Shanklin.

Newton Sharp was in this place today on route to Melville.

The Ladies' Aid meets with Miss Netta Folkins on the 12th.

The family of Jessie Hughes have moved to St. John. They will be missed in the village.

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POTATO prices are lower today owing to the increased receipts and smaller demand. For car lots sellers are asking 90c per bag, and in a jobbing way sales were made at \$1.15.

OATS—Canadian Western No. 2, 41 1/2c to 42c; car lots ex store; extra No. 1 (No. 1), 41 1/4c; No. 2 hay, \$13 to \$13.50; No. 3 hay, \$11 to \$11.50; No. 4 hay, \$10 to \$10.50; No. 5 hay, \$9 to \$9.50; No. 6 hay, \$8 to \$8.50; No. 7 hay, \$7 to \$7.50; No. 8 hay, \$6 to \$6.50; No. 9 hay, \$5 to \$5.50; No. 10 hay, \$4 to \$4.50; No. 11 hay, \$3 to \$3.50; No. 12 hay, \$2 to \$2.50; No. 13 hay, \$1 to \$1.50; No. 14 hay, \$0.50 to \$1; No. 15 hay, \$0.25 to \$0.50.

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THE STANDARD'S PAGE OF SPORTS

THE CITY BOWLING LEAGUE

On the Victoria alleys last night two games were rolled. In the first game the Sweeps defeated the Athletes. The individual scores were as follows:

Sweeps.
 Harrison... 82 77 77 236-78 2-3
 Ferguson... 79 73 82 234-78 2-3
 Masters... 88 85 85 261-87
 Dalton... 68 86 81 235-78 1-3
 McKean... 66 80 82 228-74

Athletes.
 383 409 407 1199

McGrath... 7889 88 255-85
 Fitzgerald... 71 67 88 226-75 1-3
 McElvray... 71 68 82 221-72 2-3
 Downey... 80 86 91 257-85 2-3
 Gillard... 66 77 77 220-73 1-3

In the second game the C. B. B's were victorious over the Regulars. The scores were:

C. B. B's.
 Ward... 82 80 77 239-79 2-3
 Fry... 64 72 81 217-72 1-3
 Daley... 76 105 85 266-88 2-3
 Griffith... 78 71 73 220-72 1-3
 McKenzie... 76 63 74 213-71

Regulars.
 384 391 390 1155

Slocum... 67 63 80 210-70
 McBeath... 79 69 81 229-76 1-3
 Armstrong... 74 84 74 232-77 1-3
 Jones... 75 75 88 238-79 1-3
 Evans... 64 63 73 200-66 2-3

There will be four games tonight in the league. At 8 o'clock the Kickers will play the Dark Horses, and the Seacoms and Red Sox will be opponents. The Specials will play the Red Wings and the Regulars will play the Owls at 9:30 o'clock.

ST. JOHNS LEAVE TO PLAY IN HALIFAX.

The St. Johns, in full strength, left last night on the express for Halifax, and today and tomorrow will play the best men that the Halifax players can get together. The game today will take place in the evening, and Saturday the chief holiday attraction will be the afternoon game. The local players are travelling right, and each man felt like a big leaguer last night when he was assigned his berth on the sleeper.

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American League.
 At Boston:
 Boston... 10000002-3 12 5
 Chicago... 20002001-10 14 0
 Batteries: Collins, McFale and Numamaker; Walsh and Sullivan.

At Philadelphia:
 Cleveland... 60003002-8 16 5
 Philadelphia... 61011508-14 15 2
 Batteries: Harkness, Faigo and Land; Fisher, Morgan, Russell, Combs and Thomas.

At Washington:
 Washington... 100004200-7 10 1
 Detroit... 210020011-8 19 4
 Batteries: Walker, Otey and Street; Lively and Stange.

At New York:
 St. Louis... 200003021-8 9 4
 New York... 20202121x-11 16 1
 Batteries: Bailey and Clarke; Caldwell, Quinn and Blair.

American League Standing.

Team	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	32	11	.744
Philadelphia	29	16	.650
Chicago	22	17	.564
New York	18	21	.462
Cleveland	18	24	.429
Washington	14	28	.330
St. Louis	14	28	.333

Eastern League.
 At Toronto:
 Rochester... 10000100-2 8 3
 Toronto... 22000032-10 11 0
 Batteries: Wilhelm and Mitchell; Lush and Phelps.

At Buffalo:
 Buffalo... 10000000-1 6 3
 Montreal... 02000030-5 7 0
 Batteries: Taylor and Beckendorf; Barberich and Curtis.

At Jersey City:
 Baltimore... 06001002-9 10 0
 Jersey City... 12001000-4 7 2
 Batteries: Atkins, Atkins and Egan; Kessler and Toussaint.

At Newark:
 Newark... 30100012-7 8 5
 Providence... 20002002-8 11 2
 Batteries: Cranning, Holmes and Cady; Lavender and Paterson.

National League.

Team	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Rochester	28	9	.757
Toronto	24	12	.667
Baltimore	20	17	.541
Buffalo	17	17	.500
Montreal	15	19	.441
Jersey City	14	19	.424
Providence	13	23	.361
Newark	11	26	.297

At St. Louis, first game:
 Cincinnati... 30200000-5 9 1
 St. Louis... 00000006-6 10 2
 Batteries: Keefe, R. Smith and Clarke; Sale, Zmitch and Bressahan.

Second game:
 Cincinnati... 06210200-6 12 0
 St. Louis... 00000010-4 5 4
 Batteries: P. Smith and Clarke; Lauder milk, Zmitch and Bressahan.

At Pittsburg:
 Pittsburg... 00300000-6 8 1
 Chicago... 33010010-8 13 3
 Batteries: Nagle, Ferry, Leibold and Gibson; McIntyre, Brown and Ling.

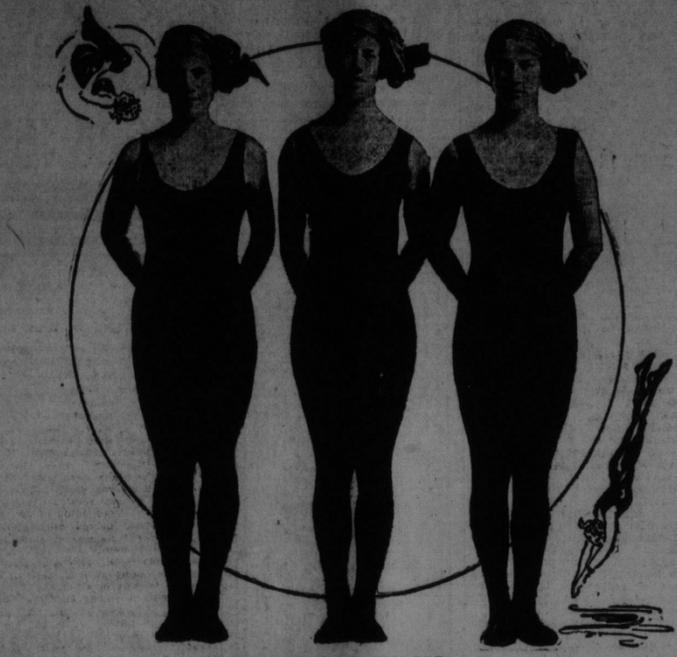
ST. STEPHEN GETS TWO NEW PLAYERS.

The St. Stephen Thistles have signed up Pitcher Estey, the Grand Falls twirler who has been in Ontario for a try out in the Canadian league with the St. Thomas, Ont., team.

Manager Hyslop also signed up Malley, a third baseman from New Bedford, Mass., yesterday and he will report at once. The Thistles expect to have one of the strongest teams in the league when they get going.

In addition to Estey the Thistles' pitchers for the season will be Jenkins of New Bedford, Mass., Kyle, a Carolinian, and Logan, a local man.

SWIMMING HAS GRIP UPON NEW YORK AS RESULT OF MANY NOBLE PERFORMANCES



Chiefly because several young folks have performed notably in the waters about New York, the athletically inclined of the several boroughs are swimming mad.

Splendid swimmers are legion, but the most talked about are the splendid looking Duo sisters of Brooklyn, whose feat of swimming the Narrows made them national figures.

The eldest, Ethel, is seventeen, and weighs 124; Vera is fifteen and weighs 116; Beatrice is twelve and weighs 98.

Well prepared for their great swim by their father were the sisters. They swam with them and a rowboat followed each girl. The swim was a handicap race. Ethel gave Vera 15 minutes and Beatrice a half hour. The distance from Ft. Hamilton to Ft. Wadsworth is just a mile and a quarter, but the tide makes it a tremendous task.

Beatrice took the water first and the others at 15 minute intervals. The tide carried Beatrice up the bay to 16th street before it turned. The other girls were able to swim in a more direct line. All of the girls were annoyed by the thick oil which floated on the surface and by steamers, the wash from which forced them to stop time and again.

The pluck of the youngest sister was shown when, after the others had handed, she refused to leave the water when the men in the accompanying boat advised her to. It was only when her father insisted upon her quitting that she was lifted into the rowboat. She wanted to remain in the water until the tide turned and effect a landing, although at the time she was a mile below Ft. Wadsworth.

None of the girls felt any ill effects after the swim. They have been swimming since they were kiddies and their splendid looking young bodies, slim, erect, powerful, in his ways, but he has reformed.

FLYNN WANTS AMERICANS THE CHOICE OF THE REFEREE WON FIRST POLO GAME

(By Ed. W. Smith.)

Jim Flynn fears no man living—except an Oklahoma referee.

When it comes to fighting Jim is prepared at short notice to take on any of them. He doesn't care whether it is Jack Johnson or Sam Langford or any other of the dreadful blacks.

But when he considers fighting in Oklahoma with a home-talent referee the cold stivers run up and down Jim's sturdy spine and finally find lodgment in his feet.

Jim was talking to us over the long distance phone the other evening from Milwaukee and let quite a few thought germs whiz over the busy wire. One of these was much to the point and indicates how Jim stands in the matter of battling Carl Morris, giant "hope" of Oklahoma.

Wants Naming of Referee.

"Please let them know for me out there in the bush State that unless I have the naming of the referee there will be nothing doing in the way of a fight July 4 or any other time for Carl Morris and me," the Pueblo man roared over the long string. Jim was roaring, we could tell that easily enough, and half of Milwaukee must have heard him without the aid of any telephone.

"You know what they'd do with me if I knocked him out, eh? I'd lose on a foul and might be put in jail for trespassing or something of the sort. I might hit him on top of the head and jar something loose below his belt and they'd say it was a foul. Nothing doin', kid, nothin' doing along those lines."

"Don't think that I want any of the best of it, for I don't. All I ask for is a man of some reputation, a national reputation if possible, who would stand for nothing but the straight stuff and wouldn't get frightened out of his boots at the size of this big fireman fellow."

"Say, wouldn't you referee it yourself? No? Well, I'll talk with you about it some other time," and Jim roared his farewell with a final clarion that must have shaken half the phone bells between here and Milwaukee.

This newest "hope buster," this dreadful fighter from Pueblo, slayer of Al Kaufman, known as best of all shoe-leather, surely is some character. Jim used to be a regular "hickey" in his ways, but he has reformed.

Cuts Out "Tough Stuff."

No more of the tough stuff for him, he has the old-time confident swagger and the general bearing of the self-sufficient athlete in the best of condition, but he is toning his manners and his speech down beautifully. He used to be something on the order of the late Stanley Ketchel, with a mind more on the bright lights and

New York, N. Y., June 1.—The American grip on the international polo cup was given a lively shake today by the bulldog tactics of the challenging English cavalry officers, who in the first of the matches for the trophy outplayed and outthrew the Meadowbrook four for three-quarters of the match, only to be outbid by the defenders until the score finally stood 4-3 in favor of the United States.

As the Americans were 5 to 1 favorites, the strength of the English team astonished the big grandstands that ranged the side of the Meadowbrook polo field and for over an hour and a half there was almost continuous excitement and applause by the greatest attendance of expert poloists that this country has ever seen mixed in with social New York and Long Island, and a fair sprinkling of office life.

A greater throng is expected on Monday when the second match will be played, for neither team cared to renew hostilities on Saturday after today's hard struggle.

The merry laughter than on the grim battle of the ring and the terrible grind of training.

Jim never bothered much to train. As long as his knuckles were in good shape he was ready otherwise for come what might.

With a taste now of the real sweets of the game, Jim has adopted new methods. He's a new Jim Flynn, sure enough, he's going to train now, he's going to manage himself keenly and he's going to get all out of his athletic career that he can. And one cannot help but wish him well in his laudable purpose.

There is a chance that Larney Lichtenstein, of Chicago, may handle Jim's affairs soon. Jim got to like Larney when the latter took Tony Caponi out to Los Angeles to lick him. It turned about the other way, and because Larney said Jim was "all right," the latter took a shine to him.

Jim now says that Tony Caponi is as good a man at 158 pounds as there is in the business.

Milwaukee would like to match Flynn and Kaufman for a 10 round scrap there and has made the offer to Kaufman, who is in Los Angeles. But Jim has received an offer from San Francisco of a 20 round encounter there with "Big Al" and is for accepting.

Toronto, May 31.—Tom Flanagan, of Toronto, will go ahead with Jack Johnson on June 6th as the manager of the champion. Flanagan said today that Johnson was going to England to fight if a suitable purse was forthcoming and that his sojourn across the Atlantic would depend altogether on the engagements Johnson made.

WOODSTOCK'S BASEBALL TEAM LINE UP ANNOUNCED AT LAST

(Frederick Gleaser.)

The mystery of the New Brunswick & Maine Baseball League has been exploded, an announcement of the line up of the Woodstock team having been made over the long distance telephone last evening to The Gleaser by Mr. E. W. Mair, one of the Woodstock magnates.

The Woodstock team promises, as expected, to be one of the fastest teams in the league, and will be made up very largely of college players. Some of their men are already in Woodstock; others are coming on every train and by Monday they will have a team of real live, handpicked ball-players, right on the ground.

Their manager, who is none other than our old friend Charlie Allen, will not report for duty until June 15th, but in the meantime the Woodstock team looks strong enough to worry along without Mr. Allen. In securing their manager the Woodstock magnates feel they have scored a ten-trick, and it really looks as if they had, for Charlie Allen is one of the wisest baseball heads that ever figured out the many intricacies of the game.

When Mr. Allen gets on the job he will hold down first base and in the meantime some of the other players, perhaps Dow, or some other local man, will take his place.

Awaiting the arrival of the manager, Wilder, the old University of Maine player who has lately been living at Sprague's Mill, will be the head of the team. He is a second baseman, has played at different times in the Maine leagues

and is a good hitter and fast on the balls.

Frank Keane, who wanted to come to Frederick for a couple of weeks, will also be with the Woodstock team until he joins the Philadelphia national league club about the middle of June. He will play shortstop. On third base there will be Weasinger, of Dartmouth College, thus completing a fast infield.

The first string pitcher will be Stinson, the star box artist of the Bates college team this season. The second string pitcher will be Sharkey, an 18 year old brick-topped youth from Lowell, Mass., who was with Milltown, N. B., last year and is a like-by young twirler.

For the centre field the Woodstock magnates have secured Roy Good, the Colby college player who was here a couple of years ago with the Houlton team and who will also be spare catcher. He has been a hard and consistent hitter and is a fast man on the bases. They have also secured for their infield Bob Panette, who plays the infield for Blidford and Bangor in the Maine league a few years ago, and who has lately been coaching a school team in Athol, Mass., and so Perley, of Waterville, Me., and yesterday they signed up Donahue, the Brookline, Mass., high school player, who was twirler the night before by the St. Stephen Thistles after a brief trial at an infield position.

There is no doubt as to the Woodstock team being a strong aggregation and their first game of the season will be with the Frederick club at Woodstock next Tuesday.

JUNIORS WILL PLAY IN ROTHEASY ON SATURDAY.

The East St. Johns will go to Rotheasy on Saturday afternoon where they will play a ball game with the Rotheasy team.

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PASS UP FIRST BALL SAYS DAHLIN

Bill Dahlin, manager of the Brooklyn Nationals, favors the theory that the batter should pass up the first ball offered by the pitcher whether a man is on first base or not.

"It's much more advantageous to a pitcher to take the first ball," says the Superba's leader, "for by doing so he has a better opportunity of reaching first base. As a rule, a pitcher will not all he has on his first ball, and the chances are about ten to one against the batter hitting it safely."

"Let him take the first strike. The fact that he has one called on him should not impair his hitting ability in the least. A good batter should be able to hit as well with one strike against him with a clean slate."

Loss Two Opportunities.

"By hitting at the first ball the batter loses two other opportunities to reach first base—via a base on balls or by being hit by a pitched ball. Should he connect with the first one and the drive fails to go safe, he will also sacrifice these other chances to get on. It always pays to work the pitcher to the limit. It is only logical that a batter, no matter how strong or robust, will not be as strong at the end of four or five innings during

which the batters have played aim to the limit, as he will be at the end of the same period if he has pitched but one or two balls to each batter. Waiting out a pitcher in this fashion has caused the winking of many battles in the last innings.

Must Vary It.

"Of course it must be remembered that this system cannot be fitted fully and vigorously adhered to day in and day out. If the pitcher knows the batter will pass up the first ball he is sure to whip a heavy over the plate, an advantage which will add greatly to his confidence."

However, when advisable, a batter should be able to mix up his tactics and attempt to cross the pitcher. Should he have been passing up the first ball, and he knows that the pitcher is aware of this fact, it would be well for him to reverse his policy and swing at the first one, which under such circumstances, is usually a very hittable offering. By thus mixing the hitting the batter always keeps the hurler from knowing what to expect from him after the first ball."

FREDERICTON WILL BE HERE SATURDAY.

On Saturday the Fredericton team with their strongest line up will battle two games with the Marathons in the Marathons grounds in the North End. The Marathons are not in the least down-hearted over their defeat in the capital on Wednesday and will be on the diamond with a team that expects to win.

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THE WEATHER.

MARITIME—Fresh westerly winds, a few showers in eastern districts, but generally fair and not much change in temperature.

AROUND THE CITY

Will Meet Tonight. The Building Trades' Council meets this evening in the Palmers' Hall, Charlotte street.

No Word From the Newport. No word was received from the Newport yesterday. The city fathers say that no news is good news.

Teamsters Union. The teamsters union met in their room Opera House block last night and eleven new members were taken into the organization. Outside of routine business nothing was done.

An Enjoyable Outing. You could not spend the holiday to better advantage than to have an automobile drive through the country, which is now looking its best. First class cars to hire by the Motor Car & Equipment Co., Ltd., Princess street.

Protestant Orphans' Home. The ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphans' Home who held their regular meeting yesterday afternoon, acknowledge the following contributions: A. L. Goodwin, crate of oranges; Miss J. Barlow, preserves; Mrs. W. Merritt, toys.

With The Police. The police report finding three keys and a screw driver on Charlotte street yesterday afternoon. Ernest Chapman has been reported by the police for allowing waste paper to scatter from his wagon on the Market square yesterday afternoon.

Trades and Labor Council. A meeting of the Trades and Labor Council was held last evening. Owing to the pressure of routine business, the question of complying with the request of the Corporation committee to ask the affiliated labor bodies to take part in the Coronation Day parade did not come up.

He Has a Job Now. William Lovett, who arrived in the city from Fredericton Wednesday night with but thirty cents in his pocket, and was en route to Glasgow, Scotland, was taken care of yesterday by James Driscoll, the proprietor of the Hotel Edward, and given a position. The boy is a bright youngster and quite willing to work.

Scots Will Participate. At a meeting held in the offices of James Jack last evening the members of St. Andrew's Society decided to join with the other organizations of the city in the procession to be held on Coronation Day. James Jack was appointed the representative of the society at the meeting of various committees held later in the evening in the court house.

A Pleasant Evening. There was a good attendance at the meeting of Golden Rule Lodge I. O. O. F. last evening, and after the transaction of routine business an enjoyable time was spent by those present. Speeches, songs, recitations and musical selections were given by the members, after which refreshments were served and a half hour whittled away in a social way.

Sentence Pleased Him. Michael Dunn was arrested at South Bay on Wednesday afternoon, charged with tearing up sidewalks and threatening to set fire to the houses in that vicinity. Yesterday morning Stipendiary Magistrate Allingham, of Fairville, fined him \$10 or two months in jail. He chose the latter, and seemed somewhat elated over the sentence. He was heard to remark: "Two months to get fat on."

The Feast of Pentecost. The Hebrews of the city commenced the celebration of the Feast of Pentecost last evening with a special service in the synagogue. The observance of the feast will continue until sunset on Saturday. There will be special services today, both morning and evening, and on Saturday morning when a lecture will be delivered on Old Pictures in new Frames. The feast, which commemorates the revelation of the Ten Commandments, begins on the sixth day of the month of Sivan.

Anderson-Fletcher. A pretty wedding took place last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fletcher, 130 Prince William street, when their oldest daughter, Miss May, was united in marriage to William J. Anderson. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. F. S. Porter, pastor of the German street Baptist church. The bridesmaids were Miss Ethel Fletcher and Miss Florence Cunningham, while the groom was attended by H. Cunningham. The bride was the recipient of many handsome presents. Mr. Anderson, the groom, is an employee of the firm of James Robertson and Co.

The Early Closing Cases. While the promoters of the early closing bylaw are manifesting no disposition to make a compromise with those opposing the bylaw in regard to the hour of closing, it is believed that the bylaw will be interpreted in a rather lenient way. As regards the poor widow women keeping small shops, whom it is said the bylaw would injure so much, it is pointed out that at the present time they frequently violate the Lord's Day act without calling down the vengeance of the authorities, and it is believed no special activity will be exhibited by the authorities in prosecuting them for violation of the early closing bylaw. As regards the fish merchants it is probable that the law will be interpreted in such a way as to permit them to keep open on Thursday if they close on Saturday. The law permits merchants to keep open Friday evening if they close early on Saturday, and it is said it would not be a violation of the principle of the bylaw to permit fish merchants to keep open on Thursday in lieu of Friday.

Military Veterans Meet. During the months of June, July, August and September, the stores of W. H. Thorne & Company, Ltd. will be closed on Saturdays at one o'clock and open Friday evenings until ten.

PUGSLEY HAS PLAN TO SUBMIT TO MAYOR

Report that Conference May be Held Between Them to Consider Government's Purchase of City Wharves.

It is rumored that the Minister of Public Works while in the city will hold a conference with the mayor for the purpose of discussing the question of having the federal government take over the city's harbor facilities on the West Side, and arrange for their administration as a national enterprise.

This matter has been discussed for some time and no doubt there would be general satisfaction if the federal government would take over the city's West Side wharf properties on some condition that would give the city back the investment it has made to provide harbor facilities to handle the winter port traffic of Canada. The city has been bearing a heavy burden to facilitate the winter traffic of the whole country, and because of it, has not been able to provide itself with various civic improvements which are becoming more necessary. In view of the fact that the government some years ago took over the harbor facilities at the summer port of Montreal and assumed the burden of the expenditures made to develop the facilities there, it is felt that it should do as much for St. John, which is less able to carry the burden than Montreal was. The government has spent a good deal of money to provide wharf accommodation at Halifax, and has recently voted several millions for harbor improvements there.

Mayor Frink has frequently urged the need of having the government take over the harbor properties on the West Side at a fair valuation, claiming that if the city could get back the money it has expended on harbor works, it would be in a position to undertake a number of important projects for the general good of the community. It is therefore, it is hoped that if there is a conference between the minister of public works and the mayor, it may develop the basis of an agreement which will enable the long discussed question to be solved to the satisfaction of the city and that it will not be discussed mainly with a view to the possibility of an early election.

MARKET COMMITTEE DID MUCH BUSINESS

Coal Contract was Awarded to J. S. Gibbon & Co.—Committee Recommends Improvements in Market

A meeting of the market committee was held yesterday afternoon when considerable business was transacted. J. S. Gibbon and Co. were awarded the contract for supplying the market with coal. New flags for the market building were ordered and it was decided to recommend the council to lay a new concrete floor in the portion of the building occupied by A. L. Goodwin.

The committee also decided to ask for authority to make an expenditure of money for the purpose of detecting the persons who have been breaking the locks on the doors, tearing down the fixtures at the entrance of the market and making the entrances a resort for dissolute characters. Mr. Charlton applied for permission to make an entrance way for his goods from South Market street, and it was decided to grant the permission subject to the engineer's approval and the payment of a frontage rental.

The matter of the clerkship of the market was not discussed at the meeting and it is presumed that Mr. Dunham is proved equal to the extra duties imposed by the change in the system of collecting the market tolls and that he is likely to be retained as clerk of the market indefinitely.

SPRINKLING CITY STREETS WITH OIL

City Engineer's Department Used a Car Load to Lay the Dust—and then it Rained.

The city engineer's department has sprinkled a car load of oil over the streets, and after the rain yesterday the oil was much in evidence. Some citizens say the city should sprinkle oil on all the streets so as to lay the dust, and others are loud in their complaints about the experiment. A master painter remarked yesterday that in his opinion sprinkling with oil was the only satisfactory way to deal with the dust problem in a city like St. John where there are so many unpaved streets. "During the dry spell the dust has been a great nuisance," he added. "We were afraid to do any painting; one job I did was completely spoiled by the dust. People won't have their houses painted, because they are afraid of the effect of the dust before the paint has a chance to get dry."

Speaking of the oil-sprinkling experiment, yesterday, the city engineer said that in some cities one sprinkling sufficed to keep the dust down for the whole summer, but that judging from last year's experiment on Douglas avenue, two sprinklings were likely to be needed here.

Military Veterans Meet. The Military Veterans met last night and decided to take part in the Coronation Day celebration. The president and secretary were delegated to arrange details.

MAKING IT EASY FOR DOG OWNERS

Treasury Board Makes Change in Method of Paying Dog Licenses—\$100 Voted for Children's Swings.

A meeting of the Treasury Board was held yesterday afternoon, when the system of paying dog licenses was altered. \$100 was voted for children's swings on the Marathon grounds, and other minor matters dealt with. Ald. Hayes presided and there were present Ald. McLeod, Smith, Wigmore, Codner, Russell, with the common clerk, the recorder, the comptroller, and the chamberlain.

A communication was received from the Union of N. S. Municipalities, enclosing a bill for \$50, the annual dues of the Union, and stating that the next convention would be held at Newcastle. The bill was recommended for payment.

D. S. Peters and James H. Pitt make applications for positions of constables. The chamberlain said there were 14 marshalls in the employ of the city collecting taxes. According to an order in council every marshall had to return 400 papers in order to qualify for re-appointment. Only seven marshalls had fulfilled this condition, and he wanted to reappoint more than seven marshalls to collect the taxes.

An order authorizing the chamberlain to reappoint as many marshalls as he needed was passed. The chamberlain said the method of collecting the money for dog licenses was rather antiquated. Old people coming to City Hall to get a dog license had to make two or three trips between the mayor's and the chamberlain's office. This meant climbing up and down the stairs.

The recorder suggested that people writing for dog licenses should first go into the chamberlain's office, pay their dollar, get a receipt, and then go up stairs, present their receipt and get their license from the mayor's clerk.

It was decided to change the system in accordance with this suggestion, and a notice will be posted up notifying owners of dog licenses to call first at the chamberlain's office. The comptroller called attention to the fact that the discount on taxes ended on July 13. He thought an order should be passed authorizing his office to allow parties having a bill against the city to credit it to their tax account under the discount rate. The chamberlain said this was illegal. A bill against the city could not be charged against a tax account, and be entitled to the discount.

The matter of the allowed to drop, and the board went into private session.

The census takers began their work yesterday. But at many places where they called they found that the head of the house had not made any preparations to facilitate their work by getting the information needed in advance. Many ladies had considerable difficulty in figuring out their ages, and it is said the family Bible, often the repository of such information, does not occur in St. John as frequently as it might do. Most of the men folk were of course cut at work, and many wives did not seem to be particularly familiar with their husbands' ages or affairs. On the present system of conducting census, it seems likely that the enumerators will be obliged to call at the same house a good many times to get all these questions answered; particularly in the case of houses where there are a number of boarders who are as apt to be away as not, when the enumerator calls.

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FOREST FIRE SITUATION NOT SO SERIOUS TODAY

Yesterday's Heavy Rain had a Good Effect on Fire Near Hillendale—Blaze Reported Near Nerepis.

The rainfall which had been hoped for by the farmers, and also by the residents in the districts where the forest fires west of a more serious character, came yesterday and proved effective. A communication was received from the Hillendale last night to the effect that the brush fires which were raging on Wednesday a few miles from that place had been practically extinguished by Thursday's rain. The fires had been serious ones in that vicinity. It is reported that in Nerepis which was the scene of a fire recently, and during which a church was destroyed, forest fires were burning yesterday and that the residents are apprehensive of danger.

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- The 12c Line is a crinkled striped Lawn, beautifully printed in many dainty and dark colorings. All fast colorings, and when washed requires no ironing.
- The 15c Line—A very fine quality of printed, crinkled Lawn. Fancy stripes in new shades.

If not all sold Friday through the day, we will continue the sale in the evening, as our stores will not be closed until 10 p. m., Saturday being a holiday.

Friday Bargains in Linen Room. Sealed Madapoiam 36 inches wide. A very smooth quality for ladies' fine underwear. 12 yards for \$1.45. Fine White Linen For waists, etc. 35c a yard. Tray Cloths Embroidered corners and hemstitched. 22c each.

A Friday Sale of Jap Matting. When you go to your summer cottage for the holiday take along a roll of matting for the floors. We will offer, for today only, a line of Jap matting, in excellent quality, in a variety of colored stripe effects, at the remarkable price of 11 cents per yard. Carpet Department—Germain Street. MANCHESTER ROBERTSON ALLISON, LTD.