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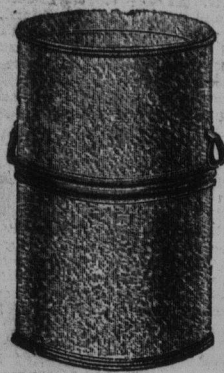
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THE STRIKE COMMISSION.

MAHONEY CITY, Pa., Nov. 6.—After a good night's rest the members of the coal commission left here today for their homes. At Washington Recorder Wright will carry on the business of the commission. He will there receive the statement of the anthracite coal companies in reply to that of President Mitchell, representing the miners.

A NEW BOOK.

J. Macdonald Oxley, a Halifax man, once a civil service employee at Ottawa, in the marine and fisheries department, afterwards an insurance agent in Montreal, and now a resident of Toronto, has completed a book entitled, "With Rogers on the Frontier: A Story of 1765."

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel W. Moore of St. John are visiting in St. Stephen.

St. John, November 6, 1902.

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A NEGRO WANTED.

Believed to be the Murderer of Miss Morton.

Her Gold Watch Discovered in a Pawnshop—Mason Still in Custody.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 5.—Alan G. Mason, the prominent Boston man who was arrested Tuesday on suspicion of having committed a murderous assault upon Miss Clara A. Morton in Waverley, last Sunday night causing Miss Morton's death, Wednesday was held for further hearing on charge of murder, in the third district court for eastern Middlesex.

It was understood Tuesday night to be the intention of the police to release the man Wednesday as they had been unable to make out a case against him, but it is claimed that two phases brought to light Wednesday morning warranted a change of procedure.

Mason was remanded without bail. The complaint made by State Detective Dunham says that "A. G. Mason did assault and beat Clara A. Morton with intent to murder her by striking her on the head with a weapon unknown and by such assault and beating did kill and murder said Miss Morton."

Mason pleaded not guilty. No evidence was presented but a number of witnesses were present in court prepared, the police say, to state that a man who looked like the accused was seen in Waverley last Saturday. Among those was Charles S. Brown, conductor of an electric car, who said that a man looking like Mason was a passenger on the car of which he had charge in Waverley late last Saturday night.

Previous to the hearing State Detective Dunham and Atty. R. O. Ware counsel for Mason, and a conference with Judge Almy and the judge decided to issue a warrant for murder on the strength of the evidence outlined by the state officer.

When the hearing was over the request for continuance was granted. Among the witnesses in court Wednesday were Henry Stearns and Miss Mabel Fuller, who claim to have seen a man who looked like Mason in Waverley about 3 p. m. Saturday. Conductor Brown says the man resembling Mason was on his car after the murder had been committed. The man, Brown said, got on the car just before it left Waverley. The leaving time was 10.25. He was the only man on the car when it set out, so that the conductor had a chance to notice him closely.

The man acted nervously and insisted on talking a great deal. This was the first thing that attracted Brown's attention to him. Brown in court Wednesday morning said that Mason looked like the man he had seen on the car.

Edward Mason, brother of Alan, his mother and Mr. Taylor who played chess at the Mason house on Saturday night when it is claimed Alan watched the game until 3.30, were in court.

LATER.

BOSTON, Nov. 6.—The gold watch worn by Miss Morton, the McLean hospital domestic, who was killed on Saturday evening, and for whose murder G. Mason of Boston, was charged, has been found in a Boston pawnshop and the Boston police are searching for a negro, who is said to have sold the article. The man wanted is described as a negro about 21 years of age. Chief Watts, of Boston, does not conceal his belief that he murdered Miss Morton and that the man who is now held in Middlesex County jail, without bail, is innocent.

A special shipment of dark grey freize has just arrived at Dykeman's. Good heavy weight freize, 54 inches wide, 75c. and 85c. per yard. 53 inch freize at \$1.15 and 1.00.

THAT EXPLOSION.

One Man Held and the Others Discharged From Custody.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—In the fire-works explosion inquest today the coroner held John Craig in \$10,000 on a charge of manslaughter in the first degree. Mr. Craig, it is alleged, was in charge of the explosives at the time of the accident. Two boys who were carrying boxes of explosives were sent to the house of detention by the coroner as witnesses. All the rest of the ten prisoners were discharged. The coroner said there were seven bombs. An attempt to shoot off the first failed, he said, but it detonated and thus caused the explosion of the other bombs. Craig said the first bomb was properly exploded and he thought an explosion of gases must have caused the accident. There were ten bombs and four mortars weighing 150 pounds each, he said. The explosion killed twelve persons and injured seventy-four.

STRIKE THREATENED.

HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 5.—The Dominion Steel Co. machinists, who struck because dinner hour was cut off from their pay and who returned to work immediately on what was considered at the time a satisfactory re-adjustment of matter are not satisfied with the settlement and are threatening to come out again. Quite a number of others who struck before have never gone back to the works, including mostly blacksmiths and foundrymen.

ODELL IS SAFE.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—Corrected returns received from the state this morning make Odell's plurality 11,262.

FRANK HIGGINS.

Majority of Supreme Court Favor Leave to Appeal.

(Special to the Star.)
FREDERICTON, Nov. 6.—The chief justice announced today that a majority of the court were of the opinion that leave to appeal should be granted in the Higgins murder case.

THIS IN CHICAGO.

Servant-Maids May Secure Diplomas After a Year's Service.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—A plan for the solution of the servant girl problem has been adopted at a meeting of the Chicago Housewives' Association. According to the plan servant-maids may hereafter be obliged to hold diplomas issued by the association in order to secure positions in the homes of the members of the organization. Formal testimonials will be granted to a maid only after she has been in one family for a year and has performed her duties with a certain degree of proficiency. Real parchment will be used and the holders will be described as "satisfactory," "good," or "remarkably efficient."

ARBITRATION

Will Prevent a Strike of 75,000 Men.

NEW YORK, Nov. 6.—By an agreement just reached between the committees, the plasterers, who have been on strike all over the city since Oct. 21st, will return to work today at the rate of \$4 a day, pending the settlement of the points in dispute by arbitration. Both sides are pledged to abide by the decision of the arbitrators, who will be the members of two committees. This action averts the threatened general sympathetic strike of 75,000 men in the building trades.

CAPITAL \$6,000,000.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 6.—The Minnesota Harvester Company has been incorporated here with a capital of \$6,000,000. The incorporators are: C. A. Severance, Robert E. Olds and C. H. Withee, who, with F. B. Delong and Alfred T. O'Shaughnessy, compose the board of directors. These are all St. Paul men and the identity of the other promoters who are said to be eastern capitalists is not disclosed.

Vice-President O'Shaughnessy, issued a statement yesterday that the company will be independent of the recently formed combination of Harvester companies.

H. L. SHAW PROMOTED.

(Special to the Star.)
FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 6.—H. Leroy Shaw, son of A. McN. Shaw of St. John, has been appointed manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Sydney Mines. C. B. Mr. Shaw has been in the employ of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Fredericton, St. John, Ottawa and St. John's, Nfld., and is a very popular young man.

LIBERALS HOLD SEAT.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—The election in the Cleveland Division of Yorkshire, for member of parliament to succeed A. E. Pease, liberal, who recently resigned the seat, resulted as follows: Herbert Samuel, liberal, 5,534; Geoffrey Drage, unionist, 3,798. Liberal majority 2,036. The government's education bill, eight hours' work for the miners, and temperance were the principal issues. At the last election Mr. Pease was elected without opposition.

THE DEATH ROLL.

NAPA, Calif., Nov. 6.—Prof. George Hutsman, one of the best known promoters in the United States, is dead, aged 75 years. He was one of the founders of the American Pomological Society, a contributor to many magazines and an author of several books on Viticulture and Horticulture.

WATERLOO, N. Y., Nov. 6.—D. L. Welch, freight agent of the New York Central, dropped dead here today. He was 65 years of age and in apparent good health.

THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, Ont., Nov. 6.—Maritime: Southeastern shifting to southwesterly winds to strong breezes or moderate local gales; showers this evening. Friday—Fresh to strong southwest to northwest winds; showers and cool by night.

The prettiest styles shown in ladies' dressing jackets and kimonos to be seen this season are to be found at Dykeman's. Prices from \$1.25 to 3.75.

BOY'S THIRST FOR ADVENTURE.
Aimed to Go Across Atlantic After Reading Fenimore Cooper.

GENEVA, Nov. 6.—A curious case is reported from Bale. A boy, aged 12 after reading one of Fenimore Cooper's books, determined to reach the country of adventures. With this intention, he broke open his father's safe, and having extracted a large sum of money, he proceeded to buy revolvers, a camera and other requisites. At Bale Station he asked for a first-class ticket to Florida, which the clerk refused. At this moment, the father, having missed the money, arrived at the station and took charge of the precocious traveler.

THE DOUKHOBORS.

The Criminal Negligence of the Dominion Officials.

Description of the Mad Pilgrimage Through the Prairie Snow.

FOX WARREN, Man., Nov. 4.—A new factor has entered into the Doukhobor problem. Nature, which since the commencement of the pilgrimage has smiled on the fanatics, has now changed her mood. Many times the searchers for the Messiah have asserted that he would give them many sunny skies under which to travel during their quest. There would be no winter, they said, while they were on the march. The superb weather of the last two months during which the preliminary visits were made from one Doukhobor community to another and for the past week, during which they have commenced their life-long journey, has certainly seemed to bear out their prediction.

Until late this afternoon nature had been on the side of the pilgrims, to-night she made a volte-face. After a perfect morning, heavy clouds banked up from the west. The wind grew hourly more bitter and keen and by five o'clock was a nipping northeaster. A little before six snow began to fall and by nine o'clock the earth lay white under three inches of snow. It is falling more heavily than ever as I send this despatch, and gives every indication of continuing all night. This sudden contradiction of all their predictions, and the acute discomfort which the pilgrims must be enduring, may be what reason and persuasion have failed to accomplish, induce the misguided fanatics to abandon their quest for a visible Saviour, and return to agricultural life and their abandoned homes.

I have just returned from the nearer of their camps. The pilgrims' condition, lying unprotected on the snowy waste, exposed to all the inclemency of a November storm in Manitoba, would move to pity the most stone-hearted. The main body, some four hundred and fifty strong, are huddled in a willow scrub at the bottom of Stony Creek, one and a half miles west of Fox Warren. Fires have been lighted. The fitful glare throws criminal reflections on the snowy ground and casts into rudely relief the covering, quaintly-garbed figures. The steep sides of the deep gulch can be dimly seen through driving snow mists. Away to the south the railway bridge, grey, ghostlike, links the buttressing embankment. The mournful chanting of their marching song rises weakly from one little group. Away towards Snake Creek can be heard the long-drawn yelp of the coyote. The wailing of the storm and the thin rustling of the drifting snow, are the only sounds heard. It is a night for a cosy fireside at a comfortable inn, not for a win-driven winter prairie.

Today the pilgrims have marched nineteen miles. Up to date they have journeyed east exactly on the running schedule forwarded. One of the most picturesque spectacles to be seen along the line of march is the meals of the pilgrims. Today I watched them as they took their midday meal at Hinescarth. They unpacked their blankets and spread them on the ground in three continuous and parallel lines. The donations of food made by the Hinescarth citizens were given to several men to distribute. The whole concourse stood reverently bareheaded and bowed while a prayer was recited and a short chant sung. Then the companies sat on the prairie. The meal would not have tempted the appetite of an epicurean. Dry oatmeal was the staple article of diet. It was poured by the attendant pilgrims in little heaps about four feet apart on the blankets that served as tablecloths. Salt also given by the citizens was sprinkled on the heaps of oatmeal, and the pilgrims helped themselves therefrom.

A few carried little cloths of the size of handkerchiefs, which they had filled while enroute with prairie rosebuds. These were passed around and partaken of by all. The meal lasted about an hour, and the amount of oatmeal had to be twice replenished by the generosity of the Hinescarth merchants. Some of the pilgrims dipped their hands into the oatmeal and pulled out a fist full; others utilized as combined plate and spoon the tops of soda cracker boxes. When hunger had been satisfied the whole concourse repaired to the back yards of the residences, and the pumps were kept busy for fifteen minutes quenching the thirst of the throng. The long cortege wended its way east shortly after one o'clock. Half a mile east of Hinescarth is Silver Creek, a wide and deep valley trenching through the prairies. It is one of the most beautiful spots in the province, and the view of the advancing host, winding its slow sinuous way down its steep, tree-clad side, was a spectacle worth going far to see. At the little stream the pilgrims halted. Many bathed their faces. Then the party divided itself into two nearly equal portions, about fifteen feet apart. One of them started a psalm, in which all joined reverently. Then another stepped forward and commenced the chanting of a creed, or some verse from Scripture, all, as before, repeating them with the leader. Then one party bowed three times, the foreheads striking the dust with each salutation, the other party doing likewise. This concluded their midday devotions. All the way from Hinescarth to the Fox Warren camp I walked and talked with the pilgrims. Waslet Kinkof, who preached at Hinescarth this morning; Ivan Puckchen, and Bratro Petroff were the principal participants in the discussion.



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sion. They talked to me with the utmost frankness. Their explanation of their mission, their belief and their motives was perhaps one of the most informative and interesting incidents of this unique movement. But this must be reserved for another despatch. Tomorrow I hope to give in some detail the particulars pertaining to the line of march from Silver Creek to the pilgrims' Fox Warren camp.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 4.—The Doukhobors are in a terrible plight today, owing to the cold. They spent an awful night of exposure in snow which fell for several hours. At the present rate of march the pilgrims will reach here about Nov. 16, but it is scarcely probable that the majority of them can stand the journey, as they take little or no nourishment of a substantial character. It becomes more apparent that, if the lives of these people are not going to be sacrificed to their fanatical belief, they must be taken in hand and compelled to return to their homes or else be housed somewhere.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 5.—Another witness of the melancholy spectacle of 600 Doukhobors marching to suffering and death was Rev. C. N. Jeffrey, secretary of the synod and home missions, of the Church of England. He despaired of doing anything for them. Their sufferings are pitiful to witness. Rev. Mr. Jeffrey tried to induce them to return to their home, but his words had absolutely no effect. They believe they are following Christ's commandment in forsaking all they had.

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THE FURNACE LINE.

Str. Evangeline, from London for St. John, arrived at Halifax yesterday.

Str. Florence, from St. John and Halifax for London, passed Pictou Point yesterday.

Str. Loyallist sailed from London yesterday for Halifax and St. John.

FALSE PRETENCES.

A young woman living some miles out of town attempted yesterday to obtain a suit of clothing at one store, and boots and slippers at another, saying that they were for her mistress. She got the footwear, but the dry goods people discovered the fraud, and through them the other goods were recovered. The girl was allowed to go.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., NOVEMBER 6, 1902.

WHY NOT A BRIDGE?

Among the questions that should be discussed when Hon. Mr. Blair and Sir Thomas Shaughnessy come to St. John is that of a bridge at Navy Island. A railway and traffic bridge must some day be built there, and now, when ferry matters are receiving a good deal of attention, is a good time to bring the larger scheme to the front. If St. John is to grow as the citizens hope and believe, the present means of communication between the east and west sides will soon become wholly inadequate. Indeed, it is so now in the winter season. There are various interests which would be served by the erection of a bridge and they should get together and discuss the question of ways and means. If a bridge were built the present ferry steamers or others of their class would not be needed.

The following London cable to the Toronto Globe will interest those who say that trusts are a product of protection:—"Amalgamations of British iron and steel industries are constantly going into effect. Two of the largest steel tube firms—Lloyds in Birmingham and Stewarts of Glasgow—have joined forces after absorbing a number of smaller concerns, and a similar amalgamation has been formed by the Firth and Brown firms of Sheffield and Glasgow, for bringing together the plant for making armor plate and ordnance, and building ships. A British steel trust may be the final result of these numerous amalgamations."

Speaking in New York last week Bishop Moore, of the Methodist Episcopal church, whose charge includes Japan, China and Korea, urged the value of mission work on commercial as well as purely religious grounds. He said:—"Missions make the best markets in the world. If we succeed in making China a Christian nation we shall be doing something that will pay us commercially, as well as from a religious point of view. This country has a vital interest in seeing that the gospel is carried out to the far east, especially to Korea which has been placed by Providence as a bulwark against the encroachments of Russia."

Even if it were true that Sir William Mulock could show a surplus in the transactions of the post office department, which he cannot do, without leaving out the Yukon and Atlin services, it would be the most creditable surplus ever shown by any minister. It is notorious that Mulock has starved the service throughout the country, to the extent that the men who have small mail contracts are not half paid for their services. The less said about Mulock's surplus the better for his reputation as a statesman.

There is the usual amount of nonsense published about the great results that may follow Sir Wilfrid Laurier's visit to Boston. We are always on the eve of some great achievement by the premier. But that is as far as we get. He has gone to Washington and to London and Paris. He has made eloquent speeches and impressed the people with his stately grace of manner. And there it ends. Sir Wilfrid initiates nothing at all.

The wave of childishness in journalism appears to have spread from St. John to Moncton, and invaded the office of the Transcript. That paper makes this very childish remark:—"Messrs. R. L. Borden, H. A. Powell and Fowler got into so much trouble by their speeches during the northwest tour they probably wish now they had remained at home."

Referring to the Doukhobors the Montreal Star rightly says:—"What makes the matter worse is that the government appears to be afraid to take any vigorous action to save these unfortunate from the worst consequences of their madness, for fear such action should be taken as a recognition of the fact that its wards are hopelessly mad."

The board of health in Hamilton, supported by the health officer and medical society, urges the adoption of a by-law to compel the reporting of all tuberculous cases in the city.

The Quebec Chronicle calls Hon. Mr. Blair "the modern Handy Andy." The Dare Devil dug editor of the Telegraph will now have to invent a name for the editor of the Chronicle.

The Gazette continues to affirm the failure of Mr. Hazen as a leader. When he becomes premier the opportunist press will hail him as a clever and successful statesman.

Chicago appears to be moving in the direction of municipal ownership of public utilities. A commission has been appointed to study the system.

DR. GATES WELCOMED.

Germain Street's Old Pastor Heartily Received After Two Years' Absence.

Rev. Dr. G. O. Gates and Mrs. Gates were in due form and most heartily welcomed back into their old places in the love and esteem of Germain street Baptist church last night.

The reception was held in the vestry, which was crowded. Under the direction of the Ladies' Association everything was conducted with delightful uniformity. There was no set programme, but during the evening music was provided by the Sunday school orchestra and by Mrs. C. E. Harding. Mrs. Second and Miss Bostwick added pleasantly to an unusually pleasant social hour.

Dr. Gates was personally greeted by every one entering the room, and after some time had been thus spent Deacon T. S. Simms took the platform and formally tendered the hearty welcome of the church and congregation.

Dr. Gates' response was made with deep feeling. His appreciation of the welcome given him and Mrs. Gates was strong and sincere. He expressed his pleasure at being again among the people of Germain street church, in the first place because of the confidence in him the recall had shown. Then he was glad to return to a city that had always been more like home to him than any other in the world. St. John had always appealed to him. He loved the city, its activities, its earnestness, its enterprise; he loved its citizens, who had been so wonderfully kind to him; he loved the pleasant relations with other denominations and every other thing that made this place of loyal ancestry and tradition an almost ideal city to him. Another reason for his gladness to return was because he was confident that in so doing he had done what, as a servant of the Lord, what the Lord wanted him to do. When the call came he had divested himself of what feelings of friendship and love for the people and the city he might have had and had considered it thoughtfully and prayerfully, until he reached the conclusion that here was where the Lord wanted him to labor for a time.

Before the close of the evening an elaborate array of light refreshments, prepared by the ladies of the church, regaled the guests.

ALCOHOLISM CAN BE CURED

Rev. Father Quinlan's Opinion of the New Antidote.

The good points of this new discovery for the cure of the liquor habit, in my opinion, are the following:—First, it taken according to directions, it completely removes all craving for liquor in the short space of three days; its use for a longer time is intended only to build up the system. Second, it leaves no bad after-effects, but, on the contrary, aids in every way the health of the patient whilst freeing him from the desire for drink. Third, the patient may use it without interfering with his business or leaving his home. All other liquor cures I have heard of are costly, operate slowly, are doubtful as to effects, and often impair the health and constitution of the patient.

I therefore look upon this remedy as a real boon, recommended it heartily to all concerned, and bespeak for it here in Montreal and elsewhere every success.—J. Quinlan, S.S., pastor of St. Patrick's, Montreal.

Full particulars of this new medicine mailed free to all applicants. Address Mr. Dixon, St. Willocks street, Toronto, Can.

PENTECOSTAL MISSION, LOWER COVE.

Mr. Rutledge having retired from the management of the Pentecostal Mission, Lower Cove, the new committee has appointed Wilmot H. Howe chairman, John R. Burt collector, and C. K. Short secretary-treasurer. This denominational mission was opened last spring and will in the future be continued on the same lines as begun. Meetings are held on Sunday nights at 8 o'clock, and also on Thursday nights. Christian workers are invited to help. John R. Burt, well known in connection with the Seamen's Mission, and others will solicit subscriptions. To prevent deception each subscription book will contain a certificate signed by the secretary-treasurer and written on his private letter head. Money sent direct to C. K. Short, 63 Garden street, will be promptly acknowledged. All subscriptions will be publicly acknowledged soon after the monthly business meetings of the committee.

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BIRTHS.

SMITH—In this city, on Nov. 3rd, to the wife of J. A. Smith, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

MATHESON-PARKS—On the 5th November, at St. Stephen's Church, St. John, N. B., by the Rev. Dr. Fraser, William G. Matheson of New Glasgow, N. S., to E. Annie Parks, daughter of John H. Parks, of St. John.

PEAKE-WILMOT—At Belmont, Sunbury Co., N. B., Nov. 3, 1902, by the Rev. Horace E. Dibble, M. A., rector of Burton, James F. Peko, M. D., and Lucy G. daughter of the late John D. Wilmot, Esquire.

HOPKINS-NIXON—In this city, Nov. 5th, by Rev. T. J. Delandst, Frank B. D. Hopkins and Miss Winifred Louise Nixon, all of St. John.

DEATHS.

COLEMAN—At Chaudiere Station, on Nov. 3, 1902, Charles E. Coleman, aged 10 years 8 months, eldest son of Charles F. Coleman, postmaster Chaudiere Station. (Sydney papers please copy.)

ASHE—In this city, on Nov. 4th, John F. Ashe, barrister-at-law, aged 64 years 5 months. Burial on Friday morning at half-past eight o'clock from his late residence, 115 Sydney street, to the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception for solemn High Mass of Requiem. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

TITUS—In this city, Nov. 6, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. D. W. Sullivan, 25 Richmond street, Jonathan Titus entered into rest, aged 78 years 7 months, leaving a wife, two daughters, three sons and one brother, besides a number of relatives and friends.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

HOME FOR INCURABLES.

The regular meeting of the Home for Incurables took place yesterday afternoon. Dr. Walker occupying the chair. By the report of the matron it appeared that two patients had been admitted during the month, and the number in the home is now twenty, the largest since the institution was opened. At yesterday's meeting an order was passed admitting an applicant from Fredericton. It was announced that \$75 had been received from the railway men. This was the surplus of their picnic held during the summer. After careful consideration the committee had concluded to make this disposition of the funds, and had nominated L. R. Ross, David Russell and Mr. McAdoo for life members. Mrs. Turnbull handed in Dr. Ellis \$50 for life membership fees of herself and Miss Turnbull. The ladies' visiting committee reported in detail a long list of donations of food and delicacies from friends of the institution. Among the donors was James Manchester, whose farm contributes largely to the larder of the Home. The acknowledgements last month include ten barrels of potatoes and several barrels of different vegetables from Mr. Manchester. Acknowledgment is also made to Arthur Thorne for tulip bulbs for the grounds, and to the Horticultural Society for sending their gardener when the services of an expert were required.

Some changes have been made in the ladies' aid committee, which now includes Mrs. James F. Robertson, Mrs. George Jones, Miss Mary Reynolds and Mrs. John McAvity.

THE I. O. F.

The Independent Order of Foresters are inaugurating a vigorous campaign, and for the months of November, December and January, are remitting to new members the registration and certificate fees, which applicants usually have to pay upon joining.

The order has made wonderful strides during the year, and will add to its membership many thousands during the next three months. Its membership roll now contains a good deal over 200,000 of insured or beneficiary members. Its accumulated funds reach to almost \$6,000,000; and these funds are increasing at the rate of three-quarters of a million dollars a year, notwithstanding that the order pays out \$500 every working hour of the year to widows and orphans. A record of over \$12,000,000 already paid promptly on death claims stands to its credit. The I. O. F. is undoubtedly a great and progressive institution. The report upon its investments, made by a committee composed of able and independent brethren at the Supreme Court meeting in Los Angeles, stated that in all the investments of its funds the supreme executive had never lost a dollar. This is certainly a unique experience.

C. H. E. Rea, A. I. A., F. R. A. S., the actuary of the order, recently stated in regard to it: "After exhaustive tests I have failed to find a weak spot in its structure."

We congratulate the order and its Supreme Chief Ranger upon their work.—Toronto Daily Star, October 28, 1902.

DAVID HARUM FRIDAY NIGHT.

A lady said to the Sun yesterday afternoon: "There are a great many impersonators in America, but it seldom happens that one of them has genius enough to bring out characters in such a delightful way that would give the second price of admission if you could really see the characters walk out on the platform in propria persona and wait a minute until you could get a good look at them." And she added: "Mr. Elliot does this. You do not realize that these characters are not there. Mr. Elliot turns round to leave the stage. He takes immense audiences through acts of as high class, clean cut, good comedy as seen anywhere. There is no stage setting, no costumes, all done with brain, and Mr. Elliot is well qualified. The King's Daughters have engaged Mr. Elliot to present David Harum, one of the most popular books in circulation, in York Theatre Friday evening, Nov. 7th. See advertisement."

SOCIETY OF SACRED STUDIES.

The second lecture in the course which the diocesan branch has arranged will be delivered this evening at the Church of England Institute by Rev. John de Soyres. The subject will be The Methods of Theological Study. The remaining lectures and their subjects are as follows: Very Rev. Dean Partridge, Homiletics; Ven. Archdeacon Neales, Pastoral Theology; Rev. Canon Roberts, Biblical Study; Canon Vroom, Liturgics.

THE BATTLE LINE.

Str. Himera, Capt. Lockhart, from Manchester for Providence, left Louisburg yesterday, having bunkered.

Str. Nemea, Capt. Smith, arrived yesterday at Cardiff from Dublin to take in a cargo of coal.

Str. Tanagra, Capt. Abbott, from Tusket, reached Halifax yesterday to complete her cargo of deals, for the U. K.

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A SALE OF LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S

Felt Dress Hats and Ready-to-Wear Hats.

Will commence at glass counter, near elevator, ground floor, FRIDAY MORNING, November 7.

This is a special sale of a lot of Samples and Odd Lines of LADIES' and CHILDREN'S FELT HATS that would regularly sell at a much higher price.

All will be offered at

One Specially Low Price, 50c. Each.

In the Ladies' Room, second floor, we have marked the balance of our LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR AND TAILOR HATS AT THREE VERY SPECIAL PRICES.

75c., \$1.00 and \$1.25 Each.

Remember the Locations:

Sale of 50c. Hats at Glass Counter, near elevator, ground floor.

Sale of 75c., \$1.00, and \$1.25 Hats in Ladies' Room, second floor.

None of these hats can be sent on approval.

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GUY FAWKES' DAY.

St. John and Its Suburbs Celebrated the Anniversary With Fervor.

At White's restaurant last night the officers and members of St. John District Orange Lodge celebrated the festival of the gunpowder plot with a banquet which was in every respect creditable to the place of entertainment and the large party who enjoyed it. The large dining hall was appropriately decorated, and the tables were arranged as to make it pleasant for the 60 or 70 gentlemen who sat down. W. B. Wallace, the district master, was in the chair and had on his right S. E. Morrell, county master, and N. J. Morrison, the grand secretary, and on his left Ald. Robt. Maxwell, P. C. M., and Hon. H. A. McKeown. The vice chair was occupied by Lt. Col. Armstrong, P. D. G. M. of B. A.

The good things having been disposed of Chairman Wallace proposed the toast of Our King and Empire, and the national anthem was sung. The toasts which followed were The Grand Lodge of British America, to which Lt. Col. Armstrong, P. D. G. M., and Geo. E. Day, P. D. G. L., responded; The Grand Lodge of N. B., responded to by Neil J. Morrison, the grand secretary, and Ald. A. W. Macrae, P. G. C.; The Loyal Orange Association, Hon. H. A. McKeown responding; The County Lodge, spoken to by County Master Scott E. Morrell and Ald. Maxwell, P. C. M.; St. John District Lodge, to which District Master Wallace and John Kenney, Jr., P. D. M., replied; The Historic Association of the Day, spoken to by Hon. C. N. Skinner, P. D. M.; Primary Lodges, spoken to by W. J. Tail, W. M. of No. 1; Sol. R. Logan, W. M. of No. 2; Ralph Hurder, W. M. of No. 3; John H. Burley, W. M. of No. 7, and Fred Nice, W. M. of No. 24.

Other toasts were honored after this and a number of gentlemen spoke.

CELEBRATION IN CARLETON.

True Blue L. O. L., No. 11, held a very pleasant celebration of Guy Fawkes' Day in the Oddfellows' hall, Carleton, last evening. W. M. Chas. E. Belyea presided, and after a bountiful supper was served the following programme was successfully carried out: Piano duet, Miss Nettie Retallack; vocal solo, Wm. T. Lanyon; address, County Master Scott E. Morrell; vocal solo, Miss Lawrence; reading, Miss Nellie Lynch; dialogue, Misses McLeod and Davidson; instrumental solo, Prof. Talbot. After the entertainment a number of the young people present had a very enjoyable dance.

AT THE NORTH END.

Dominion Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 141, held a largely attended and decidedly interesting public meeting at the Orange hall, Simonds street, last evening. In the absence of the worshipful master, William Stanley, John Kenney, sr., presided.

The meeting was opened by a short address by Jeremiah Thomson, after which a short programme was carried out. C. N. Skinner was the first principal speaker. The recorder referred to the reformation movement in Europe and briefly outlined the benefits that led up to the present liberty enjoyed by the different churches. In so doing Mr. Skinner described briefly the immediate incidents connected with the gunpowder plot and the beneficial result on the world at large.

Songs were sung by Edward Addison and Gordon Stevenson and brief addresses made by Mrs. Henry Kilpatrick, worshipful mistress of ladies' lodge, No. 36, and Mrs. McLeod, worshipful mistress of No. 1. Both ladies were strong in their praise of the order. Mrs. McLeod telling particularly of the success of the ladies' work in Prince Edward Island, where a home had been opened for orphans.

Alderman A. W. Macrae, a prominent Orange worker, was the next speaker. Mr. Macrae delivered an eloquent address, in which he outlined the objects and the benefits to be derived from a close following of the Orange fraternity, referred to the great equality enjoyed by the people of Great Britain today as a result of the work of the order.

Mr. Macrae went back to the time of James V. of Scotland, outlining the historical events bearing on the question up to the hint that prevented the carrying out of the gunpowder plot.

In conclusion Mr. Macrae said the Orange order had everything to display and nothing to conceal. The public were asked to judge of them on

their merits. Anyone carefully doing so was bound to be a life long friend.

At this point Mr. Stanley took the chair, and a vote of thanks was tendered to Messrs. Skinner and Macrae, Mr. Skinner replying.

Refreshments were then served and a pleasant half hour or so spent.

IN FAIRVILLE.

Willis Lodge of Fairville held a supper in their hall at Fairville last evening which was largely attended. Dr. G. A. Hetherington, M. D., the W. M., was the chairman. The supper over a public meeting was held in the upper portion of the hall. It was filled with people. Dr. Hetherington, the chairman, made a short address and then stirring speeches were delivered by Rev. Mr. Rattery, Lt. Col. Armstrong, Neil J. Morrison and others. Gramophone selections were contributed by Mr. Catherwood and a quartette sang.

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With a city circulation of over 3,000 copies daily, the STAR, the newest evening paper in St. John, is also the best advertising medium for city business. Try it.

LOG CABIN FISHING CLUB.

At its annual meeting last night it was decided to incorporate the club. The reports showed a most satisfactory condition of affairs. Officers were elected as follows: S. J. Ritchie, pres.; A. G. Hamm, vice pres.; E. W. Paul, sec. treas. The following with the above officers constitute the committee of management: R. J. Armstrong, J. I. Noble, C. A. Gurney and Henry Crawford. The audit committee are W. S. Thomas, C. A. Gurney and R. J. Armstrong.

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

The Boer generals Botha and Delarey were present last night when the house of commons voted \$400,000 as a grant to aid the Transvaal and Orange River Colony.

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TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

Passenger train service to and from St. John, in effect Oct. 12th:

DEPARTURES.

By Canadian Pacific.

Express for Boston..... 6.45 a.m.

" " Fredericton..... 5.05 p.m.

" " Montreal..... 6.00 p.m.

" " Boston..... 6.10 p.m.

By Intercolonial.

Express for Halifax and Campbellton..... 7.50 a.m.

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MORE DREDGING.

The dredge International will finish its work at the Navy Island bar this afternoon and will be taken to the Sand Point slip tonight to do some dredging there preparatory to the winter port trade. The International did considerable work on the Navy Island bar and the ferry boat's course is now fairly unimpeded.

PATTERSON'S

Cor. Charlotte & Duke Sts.

THE SKIRT SALE TO-MORROW.

Store Open Every Evening.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS!

Copy for Saturday's issues of the STAR must be sent in by Three-Thirty O'clock Friday Afternoons, otherwise it is absolutely impossible to ensure a change for that issue, as the paper goes to press earlier on Saturdays than on other days of the week.

LOCAL NEWS.

Read McLean's ad. on page 4, it will certainly interest you.

The bank clearings at St. John for the week ending Nov. 6th were \$911,645; corresponding week last year, \$838,587.

City market will close at ten o'clock Saturday night, Nov. 8th. Commencing Monday, Nov. 10th, will open at 7.30.

The social that was to be held in Brussels street church tonight will not be held until next week because of the death of deacon Jonathan Titus.

There are special services in Waterloo street Free Baptist church every evening this week. Rev. F. G. Francis is assisting the pastor.

Mrs. Longley, wife of Attorney General, of Nova Scotia, who has been seriously ill at Annapolis for several weeks is now convalescent.

Toy lamps in all colors shown in the window of P. R. Patterson's store, corner Charlotte and Duke streets, are causing a rush of children to that store. Every little girl wants one.

Rev. Mr. Hector, the "Black Knight" last evening delighted a large audience in the Carleton city hall by his lecture on the "Three Don'ts." Rev. Mr. Coffin rendered a number of musical selections.

DEATH OF JONATHAN TITUS.

For Many Years a Well Known Retail Merchant.

The death occurred today at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. D. W. Stilwell, 25 Richmond street, of Jonathan Titus, for many years a well known merchant in St. John. Mr. Titus was born at Titusville, Kings Co., and came to St. John about fifty years ago. He opened a grocery store on Charlotte street, where Puddington & Merritt's store now is, and remained there for some years. After that he was in partnership with several persons, the last time with William Dykeman, in the Y. M. C. A. block, where Mr. Chisholm is now. Still later he opened a store of his own on North Market street. Twelve years ago he retired. For eight years he has been confined to his bed with rheumatism.

Mr. Titus was twice married. His first wife was Anne Frost, daughter of the late Ezra Frost. His second wife, who is now in the Home for Incurables, was Miss Mary Wade.

He leaves two daughters, Mrs. (Rev.) W. Weeks, of Toronto, and Mrs. Stilwell with whom he lived. One brother, James Titus, lives at Hampton. There are three sisters, Mrs. Benjamin Smith, of Hopewell Cape; Mrs. W. H. Dykeman, of St. John, and Mrs. J. C. Titus, of Titusville.

For about forty-eight years Mr. Titus was actively identified with Brussels Street Baptist church, of which he was a senior deacon. A wide circle of friends will mourn his death.

AN INTERESTING ANIMAL.

The municipal council made a great mistake when a shot gun was omitted from the equipment of the board of health. With such a weapon and an experienced man to handle it much good might be accomplished in the vicinity of Courtenay Bay, between British and Princess streets.

For at least two months one of those pretty little animals with two white stripes running down its back has wandered at its own—not sweet—will along the back shore, and has made good use of its time. The atmosphere is laden with an odor which in penetration vies with Seeley's best triple extract and which is certainly no lavender.

Plans have been made for the capture and execution of this undesirable animal and rewards have been offered by the suffering residents. But the creature avoids mankind and refuses to be shot.

ELDER-DEMPSTER SAILINGS.

The Elder-Dempster sailings from St. John to Liverpool and Bristol during the coming season have been announced. They are as follows:

Lake Erie, for Liverpool	Dec. 5, 1902
Lake Megantic, for Bristol	Dec. 11, 1902
Lake Champlain, for Liverpool	Dec. 13, 1902
Monterey, for Bristol	Dec. 26, 1902
Lake Ontario, for Liverpool	Jan. 2, 1903
Lake Erie, for Liverpool	Jan. 2, 1903
Lake Champlain, for Bristol	Jan. 16, 1903
Lake Ontario, for Liverpool	Jan. 23, 1903
Monterey, for Bristol	Jan. 30, 1903
Lake Erie, for Liverpool	Feb. 6, 1903
Lake Champlain, for Liverpool	Feb. 13, 1903
Lake Megantic, for Bristol	Feb. 20, 1903
Lake Ontario, for Liverpool	Feb. 27, 1903
Monterey, for Bristol	March 6, 1903
Lake Erie, for Liverpool	March 13, 1903
Lake Champlain, for Liverpool	March 20, 1903
Lake Erie, for Liverpool	March 27, 1903
Lake Ontario, for Liverpool	April 3, 1903
Monterey, for Bristol	April 10, 1903
Lake Erie, for Liverpool	April 17, 1903
Lake Ontario, for Liverpool	April 24, 1903

The S. S. Monterey will carry only first cabin passengers from St. John to Bristol.

A SMOKER.

The Bartenders' Union propose holding their initial smoker, to inaugurate the winter's season, about the 22nd inst. Their room, Church street, present a neat appearance, having just come from the decorator's hands. A pleasing programme is being arranged for the smoker.

FISH MARKET.

There is just about enough fresh fish on the local market, to supply the trade, without much over. Halibut from the Pacific are brought here now and sell for fifteen cents a pound. The other quotations are:—Cod and haddock, four to five cents; smelts, ten cents a pound; pickerel, six cents a pound; flounders, eight cents a pound; mackerel, fifteen to twenty cents each.

FRED GOODSPEED.

What His Mother Says of His Condition and Frame of Mind.

Fred Goodspeed's mother visited him in the jail yesterday for the third time since his arrest. No definite arrangement has been made whereby Mrs. Goodspeed is permitted to see her son, and her visits have not been regular. She is admitted to the jail only at intervals and has frequently been denied admission.

In speaking to the Star this morning Mrs. Goodspeed said that Fred is looking very well. He is growing quite fat and his color is good. In fact he looks much better than she expected, and says that he feels just as well as he looks.

While with her son in jail yesterday Mrs. Goodspeed urged him to tell all he knew of the Doherty murder. She pointed out that it would be of no benefit to him to conceal anything, and advised him, if he has been holding anything back, to do so no longer. Fred told his mother that he had said everything. He could not even suggest any motive for the murder and has not the faintest idea why it was committed. This statement he persists in and adds that on the day Doherty was killed neither the murdered boy nor himself knew that Higgins had a revolver in his possession.

Goodspeed talked of his own approaching trial and expressed himself as deserving of punishment. He said he knew he had done wrong and was quite ready to undergo whatever punishment might be imposed upon him. He also announced to his mother that he intended being a good boy when he came out of jail.

Mrs. Goodspeed says that Fred spoke of Higgins and remarked that it was a pity Higgins had not told the truth at the trial. He has heard of Higgins' evidence and says it is not correct—that he himself told the truth.

The boy's cell in the jail is on the south side of the new wing, looking towards Leinster street. He never leaves the cell except for the purpose of going to the bath room at the end of the corridor. A few books have been given him by S. E. Morrill, his solicitor, and others were sent to his mother by some boy friends, but as these latter contained stories of shooting and similar incidents, she has thought it best not to give them to him.

Goodspeed's trial begins on Tuesday, Nov. 25th.

POLICE COURT.

Saga Singers from Norway Have to Pay Toll.

There was music on Dock street last night, such music as made the wharf rats pause with their paws in the air and say things out loud. The Norwegian sextette, all picked soloists, held forth from Nelson street to Market Square, between ten and eleven o'clock and gave such an exhibition of vocalisation as has not been heard here for some years. Their technique was perfect, in the upper registers, their voices were simply astounding, while for harmony and the finished blending of tones the different selections given were worthy of masters. The concert drew a large audience, among whom were Officers Finley and Bowes. In these two the soul of music has been killed and the words of shooting and similar incidents, she has thought it best not to give them to him.

Joe Sullivan was arrested yesterday afternoon for being drunk and assaulting John Nixon. Sullivan is the man who escaped from Officer Baxter some months ago while under arrest, but this charge was not pressed against him. He pleaded guilty to assault and was fined twenty dollars.

Adam Armstrong's face was hurting him. He thought Officer White had been the cause of it, but as White had not made the arrest Armstrong decided that it was some other officer. He got eight dollars or twenty days for being drunk on Dock street.

James W. Alley, a seaman on the schooner R. L. Kinney, was given in charge yesterday by Capt. Esau Fridle, charged with desertion, and with breaking and entering a cabin on board. This morning as no prosecutor appeared Alley was discharged.

GUESS AGAIN.

The Telegraph this morning republishes a story from the Canadian Magazine about a match race from Fredericton to St. John between a moose owned by Sir Edmund Head, governor of this province, and a team of horses owned by Lord Hill, of the 52nd regiment, in which the moose won. With what may be to some people unimportant exceptions, the morning paper's story may be correct. Lord Hill and his regiment were stationed here in 1823, and left shortly after that time. Sir Edmund Head was appointed governor of the province in 1848, and was therefore not in office during the stay of the 52nd regiment. Lord Hill, however, was a principal in a rather exciting race, but his competitor was not Sir Edmund Head, but a well known driver, Larry Stivers. The race was between horses owned by these gentlemen, and the course was from St. John to Fredericton. Stivers died in July, 1838, ten years before Sir Edmund's appointment.

TOMORROW'S GAME.

Tomorrow afternoon at half past three St. John will play the U. N. B. football team on the Victoria grounds. The local team has been greatly strengthened and will line up as follows:

Forwards—Shaw, Powers, Porter, Law, Rev. Mr. Scovill, O'Quinn, Kerr, Seely.
Quarters—Howard, Haley.
Halves—Scovill, Malcolm, Fairweather, Jones.
Full-backs—Trumper.

TORONTO, Nov. 5.—Goldwin Smith, on the colonial conference, upholds Laurier's course and sees no reason why Canada should contribute to the scheme imperial defence, etc.

BIG TIMBER SALE.

John G. Murchie of Calais Gets Hale & Murchie Limits for \$72,000.

One of the biggest timber sales effected here for a long time was made at Chubb's corner today at noon, when John H. Murchie, of Calais, secured crown land licenses containing about three hundred square miles. The sale was made as a result of an order of the court in Hale v. Murchie, the People's Bank of Halifax et al. and the limits had been held by the bank as security for certain advances made.

Many of the principal lumbermen of the St. John river district were present or were represented at the corner this morning. Some of them took an active part in the sale, while others apparently made no bids. Shortly after noon Auctioneer Gerow read the notice of sale, giving in detail the number of the limits on the Tobique and Vekivik, consisting of about three hundred square miles. There was also offered one-third interest in thirteen square miles of limits held by Michael Kelly, and the title or interest formerly belonging to Hale & Murchie in the land or license held by T. B. Winslow for F. H. Hale and Adams, Burns & Co.

Terms of sale ten per cent cash down. What am I offered for this property?" said the auctioneer.

"Twenty-five thousand dollars," replied W. H. Murray. That started the ball rolling and the bidding was then commenced in lively fashion with F. H. Hale, John Murchie and John E. Moore as the principal bidders. At about \$35,000 Mr. Hale dropped out, but the others sent the price up by jumps of one and two thousand dollars. At \$50,000 W. A. Whitehead, of Fredericton, took a hand in the sale, and it was between himself and Mr. Murchie for a short time. Other bidders made an occasional offer, but Mr. Murchie was evidently out for the property. It looked at \$62,000 as if he would get it, but as the auctioneer was calling for the third and last time A. P. Barnhill raised it a thousand, Mr. Murchie went a thousand better and then the price was raised by bids of five hundred dollars until the sixty-eight thousand mark was reached. At that stage Mr. Murchie gave the price a boost of two thousand, another thousand was added, and Mr. Murchie capped that with a bid of \$72,000, and was given possession.

THE WHITMAN METHOD.

Its Inventor Hopeful that Justice Will Be Done Her.

Miss Matilda S. Whitman, inventor of what is now known as the Fletcher music method, has just returned from Boston, where she interviewed her solicitors and others with regard to her claim on the Fletcher method. Miss Whitman is not pushing her suit very strongly, as owing to the necessarily heavy expense she does not feel like taking the responsibility, but her solicitors are doing all in their power to advance her interests.

A full account of the music method invented by Miss Whitman, together with the manner in which it was appropriated by Miss Fletcher was given in the Star some time ago, and many copies of this paper were distributed among the institutions in America and Europe, where the method is now in use. By this and other means no small interest in Miss Whitman's claim is being excited and she is hopeful that good results may follow.

One of the leading musical critics in Boston has become firmly convinced of the justice of Miss Whitman's claim and has kindly offered to do anything in his power to help her in the contest. In the meantime Miss Fletcher continues to draw revenue from the musical academies in which the Whitman method has been introduced.

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The officers and members of the board of management of the Associated Charities for the ensuing year are: President—W. S. Fisher.

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WHY THIS DELAY?

(Special to the Star.)

FREDERICTON, Nov. 6.—At a meeting of the Barriers' Society held last evening, the following resolution was passed:

"That the council of this society be requested to enquire into the cause of the delay that now exists in the publication of the New Brunswick reports, and be also requested to memorialize the provincial government to take such action in this matter as will bring about the desired remedy and obtain more prompt publication of such reports."

ANOTHER VERSION.

Everyone has heard the old rhyme of the months beginning "Thirty days hath September," but there is another version, which, though often quoted, may not be generally known and may prove of interest. It is as follows:

Dirty days hath September,
April June and November.
From January until May
The rain it raineth every day.
All the others thirty-one,
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A NOTABLE LECTURE.

The Church of England Institute is to be congratulated upon having secured the services of the Rev. Frederick Steen, in connection with their winter course of lectures. As a lecturer and public speaker Mr. Steen has come very rapidly to the front, and is generally recognized as the foremost preacher of Canada's Metropolitan city. He is possessed of special power of appealing to men and in the same large and representative congregations. Last winter Mr. Steen delivered a course of lectures before the Arts and Handicraft Association, of Montreal, and with such success that he has been asked to give the same course again this winter and in the same place, the Art Gallery, where only the very best lecturers find a footing. Than this no greater commendation could be given.

The first of this series of lectures Mr. Steen has consented to give in St. John on November 20, in the York Theatre. The subject will be the "Ancient Egyptians," and the lecture will be illustrated with the finest dissolving views, the slides for which have been made under the supervision of one of the McGill University instructors in the scientific department.

York Theatre.

THURSDAY, November 13th.

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HOPKINS-NIXON.

Rev. T. J. Delstadt last evening united in marriage Frank B. D. Hopkins, of the Union street firm of meat dealers, and Miss Winifred Nixon, daughter of John Nixon, Peters street. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride in the presence of a number of friends. Miss Rosina M. Hopkins, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid and Percy Nixon, the bride's brother, was groomsman.

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