



The Evening Times

LAST EDITION

WEATHER: Fresh northwest winds, fair and cold. Saturday, northerly winds and about the same temperature.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 1908

ONE CENT

GOVERNOR WOULD NOT GIVE ASSENT TO APPOINTMENTS

He Refused Recommendation of Premier Robinson as to Filling St. John Vacancies --- Mr. Hazen Summoned This Afternoon to Form New Administration

The appointment of officials for the several vacant offices in the gift of the local government, about which there has been much conjecture of late, will be made by the incoming government, of which J. D. Hazen will be premier. Ex-Premier W. P. Robinson, whose resignation was handed to the Lieut.-Governor this morning, when seen at noon, said that he had made several appointments, but the government questioned the constitutionality of the action, and had refused to sanction them.

As forecasted in yesterday's Times the resignation of Premier Robinson and his government was formally tendered to His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Tweedie, this morning and at three o'clock this afternoon, R. S. Barker, private secretary to his honor, will call upon J. D. Hazen and request his attendance at the Royal Hotel where the governor will make a formal request for him to form a government.

SHOT HIS WIFE AND HIMSELF

Dual Life of Milwaukee Merchant Led to Double Tragedy

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 20.—George Willoughby, manager of the Jewett and Sherman Co. coffee and spice mills, early today shot and killed his wife at the home on Prospect Avenue, Willoughby then fired two shots into his breast and is not expected to recover. He then shot himself, confessing to the police that he had committed the murder because he was infatuated with another woman whom he had been supporting for four years.

LAWSUIT OVER CEMETERY LOT

An interesting case involving the ownership of a lot in Fernhill cemetery which came up in the city court yesterday afternoon was argued and decided by the court. The first witness had not been concluded when adjournment was made for a week.

FEARS FOR SAFETY OF A BRITISH NAVAL OFFICER

GREENADA, British West Indies, March 20.—Fears are entertained aboard the British cruiser Scilla, stationed here, for the safety of the captain of the cruiser, who is in a small boat, manned by one sailor, put out to sea Wednesday night.

WENT THROUGH THE ICE

Hiram Miller of Jones' Creek had a narrow escape from drowning in Milikish Creek on the Kennebec this morning. The ice is very bad for traveling and when Mr. Miller was near Milikish channel and the horse and sleigh were soon in the water. It was with great difficulty that Mr. Miller was able to get out and he would have lost his horse had it not been for the assistance of Mr. Laskey, of Laskey's Landing and others who, seeing his predicament rushed to his assistance.

NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

St. Marys Theft Case is Again Adjourned --- Death of Wm. Vanwart.

FREDERICTON, March 20 (Special).—The preliminary examination of Seymour Chase and Harry Stenton, the youths charged with stealing \$450 from William Lewis, of St. Marys, was commenced in the police court this morning. H. F. McLeod appeared for the prosecution, and the accused were unrepresented by counsel.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Again Falconer on the Stand --- He Tells of His Charges.

OTTAWA, Mar. 20 (Special).—Kenneth Falconer was again examined at the public accounts committee today in reference to the new accounting system in the marine department. The witness, after getting \$2,000 a year from Gunn Richards & Co., and 10 per cent profits of the Canadian business, Mr. Richards owned 69 per cent of the Canadian Co. The charges of the staff varied from \$15 a day for juniors to \$20 for seniors.

EQUITY COURT

In the equity court this morning the matter of W. A. Porter and others, executors of the estate of late C. J. Gordon, vs. Agnes Boyne, a case stated for the opinion of the court, came up for hearing.

FUNERALS

The body of John Campbell came in from Bloomfield on the Maritime express today and the funeral was from the Union station. Service was conducted by Rev. L. A. McLean and interment was in Fernhill.

THE MANCHESTER SHIPPER

Steamer Manchester Shipper moved down to the corporation pier at noon today. The port wardens visited the ship and they are now awaiting the report of the diver on the condition of the vessel's bottom.

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THE CITY FACES ANOTHER SUIT

McArthur and McVay Will Sue for Payment for Extra Work Done in Connection With Water Extension.

An action against the city for payment for extra work done in connection with the Loch Lomond water extension will be commenced very shortly. Joseph McVay of the firm of McArthur & McVay contractors on sections 1 and 2 of the extension arrived in the city yesterday and in conversation with a Times man, it was his intention to place the matter at once in the hands of the firm's legal advisers.

BRUTAL HUSBAND BROKE WIFE'S ARM

Mrs. Patrick Cotter of Britain Street Says Her Husband Was Responsible for Her Injuries.

A brutal case of wife beating as a result of which Mrs. Patrick Cotter, of Britain street, is now suffering from a broken arm, is said to have taken place in the Cotter household yesterday afternoon.

AN ADVANCE IN SUGAR

Another advance of 10 cents was made in the price of granulated sugar today. This follows an advance by New York of 10 cents in this market, the advance has been only 20 cents to date.

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WAR WITH THE UNITED STATES

Mexican Newspaper Urges its Government to Immediately Prepare for the Inevitable.

CITY OF MEXICO, March 20.—El Tempo, the organ of the Catholic church in the republic of Mexico, published on its first page yesterday an article which appeared in a New York newspaper recently, in which the writer advocated the purchase by the United States of the Peninsula of Lower California.

WELL KNOWN LADY DEAD

Mrs. Mary Stuart Daly Daughter of Sir Allan MacNab Died in Toronto Hospital.

TORONTO, Ont., March 20 (Special).—Mary Stuart, widow of the late Hon. George Daly, and youngest daughter of the late Sir Allan MacNab, died yesterday at Grace Hospital, pneumonia being the cause of death.

DRAWING THE AGE LINE

Toronto School Board Will Not Engage Women Teachers of Over Thirty Years of Age.

TORONTO, March 20 (Special).—A motion by school trustee Dr. Hawke, that hereafter women teachers be not engaged on the public school staff if over thirty years of age, was carried by a vote of six to three last night by the board of education.

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ST. JOHN BOY HOME AFTER A THRILLING EXPERIENCE

Wendall T. Gray, Son of Dr. Gray, of Fairville, Was Shipwrecked Twice in Less Than a Month--He Tells a Times Man of His Adventures.

With the thrilling experience of having been in two marine disasters, the Silvia going on a month, Wendall T. Gray, son of Dr. J. H. Gray, of Fairville, arrived home Wednesday night from New York via the D. A. R. Mr. Gray has followed the sea but two years, and has for his goal a master's certificate. As already told in despatches, he was a member of the crew of the British schooner Marjorie J. Sumner, wrecked February 23, on Coicos Island, near Turks Island, and after having, with the others, been rescued and taken to New York, met with a second disaster on the steamer Silvia, on Saturday last, while on the way with others of the crew from New York to Halifax, the steamer going on Sow and Pigs reef in Vineyard Sound.

DR. PUGSLEY ILL

He is Confined to His Residence in Ottawa With La Grippe.

SHOULD BE AN ALDERMAN

Harold Beebe, of Malden, Shows That He is Something of a Kicker.

HE SAYS ST. JOHN AND HALIFAX ARE DOMINION'S SIDE DOORS

Rudyard Kipling in the second of his Letters To The Family the excellent series of articles on his recent visit to Canada now being published in Collier's Weekly diffuses a few interesting thoughts on the Canadian Clubs and the characteristics of the Canadian people. Incidentally he calls St. John and Halifax the side doors of the Dominion. The following extracts are taken from the letter to appear in Collier's of March 21st.

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J. N. Harvey's 7th Anniversary BIG SALE OPENS TOMORROW

Biggest Event of the Season in

Men's, Youths' and Boys' Outfittings!

Doors Open at 8.30 o'clock. Extra Help to Make Prompt Service a Surety

HERE ARE THE PRICES, NO FURTHER ARGUMENT NEEDED!

SWEEEPING REDUCTIONS ON MEN'S SUITS. \$6.50 Suits, Sale Price \$4.95...

\$10.00 Suits, Sale Price \$6.98. \$8.75 Suits, Sale Price \$6.98...

Regular \$3.00 and \$3.50 Suits, Sale Price \$2.50. Regular \$4.25 and \$4.50 Suits, Sale Price \$3.50...

BOYS' RUSSIAN AND BUSTER BROWN SUITS. In great variety. Sale prices from \$2.00 up...

Hevson's \$2.50 Coat Sweaters. Sale Price \$1.98. 75c and 85c Sweaters. Sale Price 63c...

NEW SPRING HATS At Bargain Prices. In order to introduce our new Hat Department to the Public...

All Original Prices, as well as Sale Prices, Marked in Plain Figures. You can see just what you are saving. Sale opens Tomorrow at 8.30 a. m.

Stores will be open every evening during sale until 9 p. m. to accommodate those who cannot come during the day.

J. N. HARVEY, TAILORING, CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS

199, 201, 203 and 207 UNION STREET.

FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

DULLNESS IN IRON TRADE Orders for Finished Steel Products Decline—Poor Outlook For Lake Shipping.

PITTSBURGH, March 18—The first fortnight in March has been a disappointment in the iron and steel trade...

PIG IRON DULL Pig iron business in the last few days has been confined to around 50 tons...

The impression has become widespread among the central Western furnaces...

CANADA'S UNEMPLOYED (Montreal Star) An estimate has been made of the number of unemployed in Canada...

NEW COMPANIES St. John People Interested in Several of Them—Royal Gazette Notices.

Fredericton, March 19—The Royal Gazette tonight announces that charters have been granted to several companies.

Schooner Otis Miller, now laid up in the Market Ship, has been sold to Captain Robert Kerr of Parrsboro...

THE WORLD OF SHIPPING.

MINIATURE ALMANAC. 1908. Sun Tides. Rises Sets High Low.

VESSLS BOUND TO ST. JOHN. Carthaginian, sid Glasgow, Feb 19. Coricaco, sid Liverpool, March 19.

BRITISH PORTS. Liverpool, March 17—Arr, stmr Manchester Corporation (R), Heath, Philadelphia for Montreal...

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT. Athens, 1022, R Reford Co. Begone Head, 1615, Wm Thomson & Co.

British schooner Wanda, Captain Atkinson, called from Lunenburg, N. S., last Wednesday for Boston.

DUMB SHOW IS WINNING PARIS

Best Dramatists Framing Plays for Greatest Stars to Produce in Biograph and Maybe Phonograph.

PARIS, March 18—True lovers of dramatic literature are saying, as sadly as possible, that they foresee the beginning of the end of the theatre...

REVENUE IS SWEET. Here, as in America, the cinematograph has injured theatre, certainly in that vital spot the box office.

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LYONS THE ADVERTISER

Box 208 - St. John, N. B. In a word the principle of the moving picture play seems to be that of the charade...

DON'T WAIT

Will overtake by Accident or Illness, then it will be too late to secure a policy from THE EMPIRE ACCIDENT AND SURETY CO.

N. S. ORANGEMEN FOR ORPHANAGE

Grand Lodge of Sister Province Favors Proposal for Orphans' Home. Truro, March 18—The thirteenth annual session of the Grand Lodge of Orangemen...

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

OST-GOLD BROOCH, BETWEEN BRUSSELLS street and Opera House. FINDER please leave at Times office.

FARM WAGON BY AUCTION.

ON THE MARKET SQUARE, SATURDAY, MARCH 21st AT 11 O'CLOCK. ONE FARM WAGON, with Dominion Wrought Iron Company's iron wheels...

ST. JOHN FIRE ALARM

SOUTH END BOXES. No. 2 Engine House, King Square. No. 3 Engine House, Union street.

WEST END BOXES

Station's Mill, Industriest. Corner Main and Bridge streets. Car Share, Main street.

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AMATEUR SPORT

Some remarks that were made by Mr. Frank White at the Marathon baseball team's dinner on Wednesday night are worthy of more than passing thought.

Mr. White, in his response, referred to past events in the athletic field, and a strong plea for pure amateur sport, as contrasted with more recent exhibitions of professionalism, which invariably leads to rough play, and to results which are not in the interests of clean sport.

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It is one of the needs of a modern city, and failure to provide it is highly discreditable, not merely to the members of the city council, but to the whole citizenship which tolerates such conditions as at present exist.

ON THE WRONG TRACK

The following paragraph is quoted from the editorial columns of the Fredericton Herald:— "When the few appointments that may be available to Mr. Hazen are made, the fun will begin, the disappointed ones will immediately turn on their leaders with all the bitterness expended by default."

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J. N. HARVEY, CLOTHING and TAILORING, Opera House Block. "WALK-OVER" Spring and Summer Styles. Here's a New Model, Price \$5.50. Shown this season for the first time. Has style that appeals to the eye, comfort that appeals to the foot, and honest wear that appeals to the pocket.

Don't These Appeal to You? FOOT LITTERS McRobbie 94 KING STREET. You cannot eat too much of COWAN'S MAPLE BUDS. Pure—delicious—healthful. Maple Buds will soon be famous the world over. Name and design registered and patented. The Cowan Co., Ltd., Toronto.

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ROLLER FELT BLINDS. Different Colors, 20c and 25c each. Linen Roller Blinds, WALL PAPERS, Prices Start at 3c. per Roll. Come in and see the patterns. WATSON & CO'S, Cor. Charlotte and Union Sts.

Lightning Cleaner. Makes old garments look like new. All spots vanish instantly without injury to the finest fabric. Brightens Carpets and Rugs. In bottles, 15c. and 25c. CHAS. R. WASSON, 100 King St.

HENNERY EGGS. Shipped from our own henneries in Sussex (daily). Put up in boxes holding 1 dozen. THE WHITE DAIRY, 38 Sydney St.

Boys' Rubbers. NARROW LAST, suitable for girls. BROAD LAST, will fit a full boot, sizes: 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5. Price, 60c. per pair. You save 15c. on every pair. Come here for rubbers. PERCY J. STEEL, 519-521 MAIN STREET, Foot Furnisher. SUCCESSOR TO WM. YOUNG

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THE WORD. Today whatever may annoy, The word of me is Joy, Just simple Joy: The joy of life, The joy of children and of wife; The joy of bright blue skies; The joy of twinkling stars that shine at night; The joy of wings that flutter in the breeze; The joy of rain, the glad rain; The joy of labor, and of mirth; The joy of air, and sea, and earth; The countless joys that ever flow from Him.

IN LIGHTER VEIN. QUITE PROPER. Scott—They dramatize everything now a days. I'll bet they'll soon be dramatizing the ad. columns. Most—Well, why not? Aren't ad. columns just the place for striking situations?—Boston Transcript.

THE WEATHER. Grumbler—It has rained or snowed nearly all the year. Good weather must be mighty expensive. Smiler—Expensive? How do you mean? Grumbler—Why, the United States pays \$1,500,000 a year to keep up the weather bureau, and look what weather we get.

ITEMS OF INTEREST. What everyone should do at this time of year is to visit the carpet department of the Cowan Co., Ltd., Waterloo street, as they are offering a magnificent stock of carpet squares in all the latest shades in Axminster, Wilton, Velvet, Brussels and Tapestry qualities. They also have a beautiful line of carpets, suitable for any room and their prices will speak for themselves.

PHOTOGRAPHS. Are you going Saturday to Climo? What for? His great photo offer 21st. March, when \$8 worth of photos will be made for \$3—don't miss it.

POSITIONS WON BY HAMPTON. Ritchie Desmond, of Hampton, has been selected from the Currie Business University Employment Bureau to fill the position of assistant bookkeeper with the J. E. Wilson Co., Ltd.

AT THE PRINCESS. Amateurs drew a big crowd at the Princess last night and made a decided hit. Carl Jacobson, the Russian strong man, demonstrated conclusively that he has the strongest set of teeth of any man in the world—a ten-inch spike was driven into an oak plank and Jacobson with his teeth alone broke the spike.

Head of the Georgian Bay Canal Survey is Here. A. S. Laurent, of Ottawa, chief of the survey of the Georgian Bay ship Canal was in the city yesterday on private business. He said that the report of the survey would probably be placed before the government before the close of the present session of parliament, probably by June, and that discussion and action, if decided upon, would follow.

LET'S SEE the NEW CARPETS! People were asking for them during the past few days. "How beautiful they are!" "What a pretty pattern!" "This would just do for our parlor." And so it went—usually ending with a good size order. You can save from ten to twenty-five per cent. when you buy here. Try us. Pretty Carpets for the Hall and Stairs. Handsome Brussels and Tapestry Carpets in all the latest shades and colorings, etc., at Amland Bros. Low Prices.

AMLAND BROS., Ltd., Furniture and Carpet Dealers, 19 Waterloo Street.

Painless Dentistry Ladies' Fine Shoes. ASSURED. THE BEST DENTISTRY UNDER THE SUN FEES LOWER THAN THE LOWEST. Full Set of Teeth, \$4.00. Better than any \$5 set elsewhere. The King Dental Parlors, DR. EDSON M. WILSON. 'The Sardon Shoe' Some of the finest effects in patent and vicid kid button and laced boots, patent colts and tuck button and ties. The splendid workmanship and shape-retaining features of these goods put them in the class of custom made shoes. Prices from \$3.00 to \$5.00 FOR SALE BY FRANCIS & VAUGHAN, 10 King Street.

ALWAYS IN STOCK: TOMATOES, CUCUMBERS, RHUBARB, SWEET POTATOES, CAULIFLOWER, SPINACH, SQUASH, CABBAGE, CAPE COD CRANBERRIES, CELERY, LETTUCE, RADISH, PARSLEY FRESH EVERY DAY. SAUR KRAUT. J. E. QUINN, CITY MARKET, Phone 656.

FERGUSON & PAGE, Jewellers, Etc., Etc., 41 KING STREET.

TROPHIES AWARDED. Thistle Lady Curlers Receive Reward for Season's Work. The Thistle Ladies' Curling Club closed the season with an enjoyable tea and presentation in the rink yesterday afternoon. After the good things were disposed of, the trophies were presented. The Shaw trophies, won by Mrs. Paterson, Miss Winnie Raymond, Mrs. C. H. Jackson and Miss B. MacLaren, skip, were presented by J. Fred Shaw, the president. Each member of the winning rink received a beautiful gold safety pin with the club monogram engraved.

COMBS. We have just received about 100 Dozen Sample Combs, all clean new goods. Retail at wholesale prices. Horn Dressing Combs, 4c, 5c, 7c, 10c. Horn Fine Combs, 2c, 4c, 5c. Black Rubber Dressing Combs, 5c, 7c, 10c. White Dressing Combs, 5c, 7c, 10c. White Fine Combs, 5c, 7c, 10c. White Rubber Dressing Combs, 5c, 7c, 10c. Horn and Rubber Barber Combs 7c, 9c, 12c, 15c each. Pocket Combs, 2c, 3c, 5c, 7c, 10c, 15c each. An opportunity to buy combs one third less than regular prices. See our Wall Papers. ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE, TEL. 1786, 53-55 Charlotte Street.

ENDORSE A HEALTH BUREAU FOR CANADA. Ottawa, March 19—The annual meeting of the Canadian Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis concluded this afternoon with the selection of Hamilton as the place of next annual meeting, and the election of officers for the ensuing year, as follows: President, H. H. Miller, M. P.; vice-presidents, Dr. Murray MacLaren, St. John (N. B.); Dr. Jenkins, Vancouver (P. E. I.); Dr. Stephens, Vancouver (P. E. I.); James Grant, George H. Perley, M. P., James Munnell, Ottawa; Dr. J. B. Calkin, Truro (N. S.); Dr. Black, M. P.; J. P. Downey, M. P. P.; Dr. Scheffner, M. P.; Dr. J. G. Rutherford, veterinary director general; Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Regina; Hon. W. H. Findlay, Edmonton; Hon. Senator Beique, Hon. W. C. Edwards, Dr. Leberge, Montreal; honorary treasurer, J. M. Courtenay; executive council, Rt. Rev. Bishop Hamilton, Ottawa; Dr. J. D. Laflerty, Calgary; Dr. C. S. Fagan, Victoria (B. C.); Dr. R. M. Simpson, Winnipeg; Dr. J. H. Elliott, Toronto; Hon. Sir George Drummond, Dr. J. W. Daniel, M. P.; Hon. Mr. Justice Laurence, Truro (N. S.); Rev. J. Hunter Boyd, New Brunswick.

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Natty Shapes in Black and Fawn Colors

F. S. THOMAS, Fashionable Furrier

539 Main Street, North End

The General Accident Assurance Co'y OF CANADA

Lockhart & Ritchie, Gen. Agents, 78 Prince Wm. St.

ST. JOHN, N. B. PHONE 269

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SMALLER IMPORTATIONS ; INCREASED MANUFACTURES

Mr. Foster Regrets That the Balance of Trade Against Canada in Few Years Has Reached \$230,000,000--He Says Liberal Policy Robs the Canadian Workmen of Labor--Mr. Cockshutt Talks Along the Same Lines, While Mr. Patterson Defends the Enormous Expenditure.

Ottawa, March 19--If there were no signs of a general election in the budget speech of the minister of finance that cannot be said of the reply of Hon. Geo. Foster. It would appear that Mr. Foster is looking for a general contest not later than next fall. And in this regard there are many who agree with him.

Hon. Mr. Foster continued in the house today the debate on the budget. He started out by referring to the great increase in taxation since 1896. In 1896 there was taken from the people in the way of taxes \$27,000,000 and in 1908, \$73,000,000. The expenditure was \$42,000,000 in 1896, compared with \$100,000,000 in 1908 with a probable and possible extension to \$130,000,000 or more.

There never was a time, he said, when it was more necessary to have business men taking an interest in the trade of the country. He asked business men to be on the alert and give the government the benefit of their advice. It was a good time for the country to sit down and take stock and ask where they were drifting.

Mr. Foster turned his attention to the different policies that the Liberals pursued previous to 1896. He said that prior to that period the party were always looking for some new resplendent policy and in a year or two casting it aside and looking for a new one. There was, for instance, continental free trade, absolute free trade, unrestricted reciprocity, commercial union and so forth.

In this connection he quoted numerous extracts of speeches from Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Sir Richard Cartwright and other leading Liberals, showing how they strongly advocated free trade when in opposition and yet when they got into power they discarded their views. Sir Wilfrid had received a Cobden medal for his free trade sentiments.

When getting into office the government was as fickle in regard to their principles as when in opposition. The government gave a 25 per cent preference to Britain and in a fit of loyalty during the Boer war increased this to 43 per cent and then there came a time when part of this preference was taken away. From change to change and from absurdity to absurdity they proceeded. There was the intermediate tariff and the French treaty and he predicted that the French treaty would not work out satisfactorily.

Coming to trade conditions, he showed that the official figures supplied were really fictitious. The value of the exports returns were no indication as to the real volume of the trade of the country. He gave an illustration in regard to wheat. In 1896 wheat was selling at fifty cents or fifty-five cents a bushel. In 1907 it was sold at \$1.20, that on 30,000,000 bushels of wheat would be from \$3,600,000 to \$36,000,000 more value than in 1896 but that did not represent any real trade. In one year by putting this trade in the force he reduced the trade by \$126,000,000.

Mr. Foster next dwelt at length with the question of the balance of trade theory. He gave statistical tables showing how the adverse balance of trade had grown extensively since the present government came into office. He stated that the balance of trade that the present government had to be met. About that there was no doubt. It would not do to say that Switzerland was prosperous, and it had an adverse balance against her or, on the other hand, to quote Russia, with no adverse balance, would not settle it. In four years there was an adverse balance of trade against Canada of \$223,000,000. These balances had to be paid in either goods or gold. About that there was no doubt.

Mr. Foster then proceeded to say that Canada was a "borrowing country." The finance minister could not get a handle on and borrow. It was not a good time to do so. He could get a little in Paris and a little in London. It was said that the C. P. R. and the G. T. R. and other interests were bringing in money. That was so and the government was getting the advantage of it.

One thing that Canada wanted was the organization of a statistical branch to deal with amounts and currents of home trade. The United States had a most elaborate system of statistics. He hoped that some government would rise and get a handle on and organize an adequate and modern department. He had to write all over for information and was told there was no way of getting information. He got scraps but that was all.

"How then was Canada to stop drifting?" he asked. "We have to import less in this country. In order to import less we have to produce more and the articles we produce rectify our balances. If instead of importing \$100,000,000 we could produce this, that would pay the balances. Then we should have greater exports and more population. There should also be greater economy in expenditures."

Mr. Foster said that the finance minister should be a self-denying man. He never held any of the departments in check. And if he had done so the Lord only knows what the department wanted in the first place.

Mr. Foster next took up the Yukon railway deal, the Crow's Nest Pass, the Drummond County, the management of the I. C. R., which the premier had said in 1904 was under a vicious system, but which was never corrected. Mr. Foster proceeded to say that the present was a good time for the middle man. There was the Moncton land deal and the Halifax land deal in connection with the I. C. R. The finance minister should see that the taxes of the people were paid out for the benefit of the people. Hon. Mr. Patterson, who followed Mr.

WILL COMBAT PROHIBITION

Brewing and Liquor Interests Form \$50,000,000 Combine for the Purpose.

Monster Temperance Petition With 100,000 Names Sent to Quebec Legislature--Will be Principal Target for Present Fight.

Montreal, March 19--A \$50,000,000 combine of brewing and liquor interests is under way here in order to take up the aid of the Dominion Alliance, Anti-Alcoholic League, and other temperance organizations who are threatening the prosperity of the trade.

The liquor movement so far is provincial and was inaugurated at a meeting here today at which it was claimed that \$50,000,000 of capital invested in the liquor traffic was represented.

Lawrence A. Wilson, the "Tammany" leader, stated that the position was becoming serious with a concerted movement made by the French clergy and the press to secure more drastic liquor laws, which had already resulted in a petition with 100,000 signatures being sent to the Quebec legislature asking for a general reduction in licenses. It was decided by the liquor men to send a big delegation to Quebec to combat this move, and use every influence toward preserving the law in statu quo.

Liquor men contend that a reduction of licenses will not diminish the evils of the traffic.

The executive committee of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, at a meeting held today, discussed the prohibition movement in the province of Quebec, owing to requests sent them by manufacturers of bar fixtures and billiard tables that they inaugurate some move "to stem the growing prohibition wave that is sweeping the country."

The manufacturers, however, did not see their way clear to interfere in the matter and let it drop without taking action. After the meeting several members denied newspaper reports that the association would do anything to oppose the temperance propaganda and claimed that no such action would ever be taken.

It was also decided to memorialize the government for a cancellation of present "reciprocal" arrangements regarding the Detroit tunnel, under which supplies for the international tunnel go into Canada or the States duty free. It was stated that, owing to a curious construction of the agreement, Americans were getting all the advantages and supplying the whole of the material for the Canadian side free of duty, while the Canadians could not get the American side, the duty free clause being construed there as only applying to that part of the tunnel actually under water.

The Canadian manufacturers regard this unfair to them, and especially with so many factories and workmen lying idle in Canada. The works involved meant an expenditure of about \$5,000,000.

The association also decided to try to induce the various provincial governments to allow incorporated companies to vote on all money-bills affecting the municipalities in which they paid taxes, just as members of business firms did.

AT THE NICKEL Budget of Fresh Features Will Conclude the Week's Programme.

The Nickel will conclude the week with a brilliant budget of fresh features. The leading picture is a drama of the French sea-coast, entitled The Bewitching Woman, and relates the experiences of a honest fisherman, who becomes enamoured of a very beautiful lady visitor. The man's infatuation brings about several complications but the story ends to the satisfaction of the watcher. The Mummy is a picture-story of a dealer in antiques, who was mistaken for a most barbarous creature. The children will be particularly pleased with The Dog Policeman or the clever detective work of a Boston terrier in unravelling a mystery. A really interesting study in natural history is afforded in the photographic reproduction of a hatching chicken under the title, An Easter Egg. Mr. Beckley is to sing that favorite old number, so well suited to a rich bass voice, entitled The Diver, and Mr. Weston will conclude his engagement in Clover Blossoms, a ballad of blue skies and green fields; one hour matinee for children Saturday.

AN EXCEPTION. "You believe, then, that it is right to take human life?" For an instant the Anarchist was thoughtful. "Not under all circumstances," he replied. "Suppose this monster you call the state should desire to take mine?"--Philadelphia Ledger.

SOCIETY AT OTTAWA. Mrs. David Pottinger, of Moncton; Mrs. Hazen Hansard and Miss Jean Fielding were among the guests at a very delightful bridge given by Mrs. Martin Griffin, at Ottawa, on Friday of last week.

Lady Davies entertained at a delightful luncheon on Thursday when the guests included Mrs. Rubidge, Mrs. Montague Anderson, Mrs. Martin Griffin, Mrs. G. E. King, Mrs. J. Fraser, Mrs. J. P. Featherston, Mrs. and Miss Sullivan, of Prince Edward Island--Free Press, March 14th.

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LATE SHIP NEWS: Arrived today, Stm Westport III, 6, Powell, Westport.

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CHIEF JUSTICE BARKER HONORED BY BARRISTERS

Dinner Tendered to Him at Union Club Last Evening Was an Especially Happy Function--Guest of Honor the Recipient of Many Heartfelt Tributes.

The banquet which was tendered by the Barristers Society of New Brunswick in the Union Club Thursday to Hon. Frederick E. Barker in honor of his appointment as chief justice of the supreme court will long be remembered as one of the most representative gatherings of the legal profession here in many years.

The formal decorations on the tables were tastefully arranged in vases of which there were between fifty and sixty placed at short intervals. Roses, tulips, carnations and stocks blended with ferns and amilax made a charming combination in which the prevailing colors were pink and white.

The president then proposed the health of the King, which was honored with the national anthem. Hon. J. H. Barry, K. C., the vice-president, in proposing the toast to the chief justice, said that he was proud to have as his guest of honor a man who had filled the office of lieutenant-governor and thoroughly alive to every duty of his office.

The drinking of the toast was the signal for a tremendous outburst of enthusiasm and continued cheering. The chief justice said he felt very deeply the honor done him. He felt he did not deserve the many complimentary references made. His honor then expressed the opinion that the bar had not degenerated, and urged on the younger members the necessity of close attention to their duties.

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LABOR LEADERS MUCH WORRIED Over the Ruling of the U. S. Supreme Court that Unions Are Trusts.

WASHINGTON, March 19--A conference of far-reaching importance to labor began here Wednesday. Participating are the prominent labor leaders of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor together with the executives of the International Trade Union of America who met pursuant to a call issued by Mr. Gompers to consider the consequences of the recent injunction decisions of the supreme court of the United States affecting labor organizations with particular reference to the Danbury Hatters case in which that court substantially held that labor organizations were to be considered trusts as such organizations of capital.

After calling attention to the significance of these decisions Mr. Gompers stated that the conference was for the purpose of taking such action as the importance and merits of the subjects dealt with may be considered and determined as setting forth the position and demands of labor. The court's decision, he said, was binding upon all labor organizations until changed or modified by congressional action.

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TIMES DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE



March 20, 1713--One hundred and ninety-five years ago today Colonel Moore captured 800 Tuscarora Indians at Fort Nahucke, N. C. Find another Indian.

THE EVENING TIMES, ST. JOHN, N. B. FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 1908.

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THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club. Pastime Picture Co. at the Opera House. Fresh features at the Nickel. Glacier Rink. Vaudeville and moving pictures at the Cedar. Victoria Rink. New programme at the Princess.

LATE LOCALS

Allan line steamship Tunisian. Captain Numan, will sail tomorrow for Liverpool via Halifax.

British schooner Jessie D. Captain Derrant, cleared today for Lubeck, Me., with a cargo of 1,163 bags salt, shipped by A. Malcolm.

Robert H. Simpson, the young man who was missing, was located in St. Stephen and arrived home Thursday.

After a thorough overhauling of machinery and a new coat of paint, the tug Maggie M., Captain Mowrey, will make her appearance in the harbor on Monday.

Government steamer Lansdowne, Captain Elmslie will go tomorrow to Point Prim to put out a buoy. The vessel will then go to Grand Mannan on departmental work.

Royal mail steamship Empress of Britain, Captain Murray, will sail for Liverpool tonight or tomorrow morning via Halifax. A large number of passengers are booked for passage to Liverpool.

The members of No. 1 Salvage Corps and P. P. are requested to assemble at Victoria school tomorrow, Saturday, at 5 o'clock, to assist in a test of the new fire escape bridge.

The winning rink in the new comes' match played off at points at the St. Andrews Rink last night. Col. Ogilvie won the trophy by making 30 points; E. S. McCole, 23; J. R. Harrison, 20.

Dr. A. C. Lambert, of Nanking, China, is in the city on his way to England. He will sail together with his friend, C. Harper, of Shanghai, on the steamer Empress of Britain.

Rev. P. J. Stackhouse will be present again this evening to assist Rev. A. B. Cohen in the special services being held in the school room of Brussels street Baptist church. The meetings are being well attended and are very interesting and helpful.

The Standard Buggy Co.'s announcement of the prize winners in the Queens county gues competition will probably appear in Saturday's Times. The great number of replies has necessitated considerable work in tabulating, but the list is now completed and the lucky names will be published Saturday. — Standard Buggy Co.

At the regular monthly meeting of the "Master Horsehoers' Protective Association," held in their rooms last evening the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: George Lawson, president; John Harrington, vice-president; Anthony Perry, 2nd vice-president; Arthur Fitzgerald, secretary; John Willet, treasurer; Jas. Kilpatrick, financial secretary.

The small bay steamer Westport III, Captain Powell, is doing a thriving business between this port, Westport, month and other ports by district call. The steamer cleared today with a full freight. The coastwise spring trade has commenced and several small steamers are now in the trade as well as a large fleet of sailing schooners.

OFFICIAL VISIT

District Master E. S. Hennigar and Officers Pay a Visit to York L. O. No. 3.

District Master Edward S. Hennigar, accompanied by Deputy District Master J. W. McCosh, District Secretary Chas. A. Lingley and Grand Secretary Neil J. Morrison, of the L. O. No. 3, paid an official visit last evening to York L. O. No. 3, in their rooms, Orange Hall.

Isaac Mercer, worthy master of York Lodge, welcomed the visitors in a fitting and a profitable and interesting evening was spent. Addresses touching upon the humanitarian principles of the Order were delivered by the district officers, by P. G. M. David Hipwell, Mr. Peck of Albert Co. L. O. L. R. A. Brown, P. C. Mr. Gibson, Geo. A. Chamberlain and others. Mr. Hipwell's address being a particularly able and eloquent one. There was a large attendance of members.

This is the first of a series of official visits which the district master and staff will make to the primary lodges, the next one being to Gideon L. O. L. on April 9th.

OBITUARY

Margaret H. Steele. The death of Margaret Helen Steele took place Thursday in the general public hospital after a short illness. She leaves one sister, Mrs. A. H. Nugent, and three brothers, Robert, John and James Steele.

George Craig. In Houlton (Me.), on Monday night, George Craig died of injuries. He had been pinned between two cars on the Ashland branch of the B. and A. road the day before, and had been taken to the hospital at Houlton. He was about thirty years of age and was the second son of Mrs. Andrew Craig of St. Andrews. He is survived by two brothers, Andrew, of Atlanta (Ga.), and William, of Boston, and two sisters, Mrs. Walsh, of Calais, and Mrs. E. B. Coakley, St. Andrews.

HALIFAX RUNNER FOR OLYMPIC GAMES. Now that the hockey season has ended the Crescents A. A. C. are looking forward to the opening of outdoor sports. It is expected that the Crescents will send Holmer to the Olympic games, to be held in London. To raise the funds to meet expenses, the club will hold a monster smoker on Wednesday, 26th, inst. They have already secured some of the best local talent for the event.

EVERY DAY CLUB. The city council must go. That was the decision of Judges Kelly, Flewelling and Goddard at the Every Day Club last evening, after hearing the debate. Messrs. Cother, Seward, McLaughlin, and McAnay argued for a change, and Messrs. Belding, Jones, Humbert and Sullivan defended the council. There was a large attendance.

The minstrel circle will meet this evening before 7:30 at the club. The file and drum band will make further progress in organization this evening.

REV. DR. McQUEEN TALKS OF THE WEST

Insists Upon the Great Need of Home Mission Work.

(Toronto Globe.)

Rev. Dr. McQueen, minister of First Presbyterian Church, Edmonton, spoke on western home missions in Erskine church last evening. The veteran of the North Saskatchewan has seen wonderful things, and still says "Canada has not begun to know her greatness, her wealth, her resources." He told of Dr. Baird, the pioneer missionary to Edmonton, traveling 1,000 miles upon his famous backboard. In those days there was nothing but commons between this church and the Rocky Mountains. Twenty-one years ago, he said, "Canada had not yet been discovered by the white man."

Edmonton was then a place of some two hundred souls, and in those early days he sat at his shack door and dreamed of the teeming multitudes that would one day throng those fertile lands. Today, he added, the balance of power in the Federal Parliament was rapidly being shifted west to the great lakes. The foreigners must be assimilated, he said. The Ruthenians had organized 48 school districts and want English-speaking teachers.

"I do not fear my children forming alliances with them, but I'm not so sure of my grandchildren," said the speaker. The only universal force which could penetrate and unite these diverse elements was the Gospel of Jesus Christ, and the greatest thing happening in Canada today was the home missionary work. Foreign missionary work was great, he said, but his advice was not to neglect the base of supplies "lest the Orient may need the Christian missionaries to evangelize the lapsed Canadians."

In concluding, he said: "I have a large diocese. I know every white man between Calgary and the north pole, and feel responsible for him. No man can spend twenty years in such a life without being wrecked by it. But if I had five lives I would ask no greater privilege of God than to spend it upon some lonely outpost along the frontier of our great Dominion."

PROPOSED ORPHANAGE

Orange Lodges in New Brunswick Will Take Plebiscite on Matter at Once.

In accordance with the resolution adopted by the Orange Grand Lodge at its session on Wednesday, a plebiscite of the members of the order in New Brunswick will be taken as soon as possible to ascertain their views as to the establishment of a Protestant orphanage for the children of members of the Orange order.

The proposal is that the grand lodges of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and P. E. Island should jointly bear the cost of maintaining the home.

A committee from the grand lodge interested was appointed to consider the question and reported to the grand lodge of New Brunswick advocating the purchase of the Bulmer property at Sackville.

As this would involve an increase in the per capita tax of the primary lodges in New Brunswick it was decided before taking action to ascertain the views of the members by means of a plebiscite.

The Nova Scotia Grand Lodge, now in session at Truro, has adopted the orphanage in her usual finished style, and will co-operate in the movement, Nova Scotia Orangemen will go ahead alone. They will, however, attempt to reach an agreement with New Brunswick before taking final action.

The plebiscite will, consequently, be taken in New Brunswick as soon as possible. The primary lodges in St. John will deal with it within the next few weeks, and it is probable that the St. John county lodge may also be convened for the purpose, and when the plebiscite returns are available a special session of the Grand Lodge may be held.

A PLEASANT ENTERTAINMENT

There was a pleasant meeting of friends last evening when the Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters paid a visit to the old ladies at their home, on Broad street, and gave a programme of music.

Miss Helen McMichael and Miss Ethel Creighton played one of Maskovsky's dances in a manner that called forth unending applause. Mrs. F. C. Spenser sang in her usual finished style, and Messrs. Charles Knight, Harry Brown, and Clive Dickson also sang several songs. Miss A. G. Hea being at the piano.

Refreshments were then served, after which the thoroughly enjoyable evening was brought to a close by all joining hands and singing "Auld Lang Syne."

The visitors departed with warm invitations to come again at an early date, which they just as heartily promised to do.

ALD. BULLOCK AND THE BAND STAND

To the Editor of the Times, March 20, '08. Sir:—In yesterday's issue you report me as saying that I opposed the building of a band stand in King Square by the City Cornet Band. Permit me to advise that I made no such statement. On the contrary I strongly favor the erection of a band stand as being a very desirable addition to the attractions of our city.

Some years ago I was sufficiently interested in such a scheme as to propose the erection of a stand and succeeded in getting an order passed by the C. Council authorizing the engineer to prepare plans, etc., for the purpose, but because the committee could not agree upon a site the project ultimately failed.

The design submitted by the bandmen is a good one, though I have heard the site severely criticised. When it is approved I am ready to lend any assistance possible to promote the scheme. T. H. BULLOCK.

PERSONAL

Frederick S. Crosby, returned to the city on today's Montreal train. H. R. McLellan was a passenger to the city on the Boston train today.

The Misses Miller, of Bradford, Pa., who have been visiting C. H. Smyth of Rockland Road, left for their home last night via Boston.

DEATHS

RAWLINGS—In this city, on the 17th, inst. Margaret Helen, fourth daughter of the late John and Elizabeth Steele leaving one sister and three brothers to mourn their loss. Funeral from his late residence, 65 Douglas avenue, on Friday, at 2:30 p. m. to St. Luke's church.

STEELE—In this city on the 18th, inst. Margaret Helen, fourth daughter of the late John and Elizabeth Steele leaving one sister and three brothers to mourn their loss. Funeral Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

MELROD—A Navy Brox Hospital, Rochester (Vt.), 19th March, 1908, Dr. Charles McLeod, of Winnipeg (Man.), formerly of Fredericton (N. B.).

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