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### PICTOU AND P. E. I. SERVICE.

OTTAWA, May 12.—The department of trade and commerce concluded a contract today for a term of years with the Nova Scotia Steel Company for a summer weekly service between Pictou and Seaside, P. E. I., and the Magdalen Islands. The same company are already performing a service between Cheticamp and Pictou.

St. John, N. B., May 12, 1903.

## Men's Suits, \$8 to \$10.

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## GRAND TRUNK

Must Not Slight the Maritime Province Ports.

City Council Adopts Strong Resolutions—Lumber Surveyors Appointed.

The common council met this morning in the City Hall. His worship Mayor White, was in the chair and there were present aldermen Macrae, Baxter, Hilyard, Tilley, Hamm, McMurkin, Millidge, Bullock and Robinson. Mayor White, in the opening of the meeting, referred to the bill now before the railway committee of the Dominion parliament, re the extension of the Grand Trunk railway. He thought it advisable that the city council should take some action on the matter.

Ald. Macrae referred to the indefinite wording of the bill re the extension of the line east of Quebec. It was an important matter and the city of St. John should make known to the members of parliament the feeling of this section of the Dominion. In asking that all Canadian freight be shipped through Canadian ports it was only following up a policy which Sir Wilfrid Laurier had committed himself to. Aldermen Macrae then moved the following:

Resolved, that the city of Saint John has with regret that the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company indicate an intention to build its line from the Pacific to the City of St. John, and that it does not propose to construct and extend the line so as to include the winter season a terminus at the open sea on the coast of New Brunswick, and that the company will do all its trans-Atlantic business in winter through United States ports.

And further resolved, that such a course of procedure would do great injustice to the money and resources of Canada to the building a foreign port.

And still further resolved, that this city respectfully, earnestly and most strenuously urges the representatives of the Dominion of Canada and County of Saint John and the Maritime Provinces generally to do all in their power to protect the interests of this province in the matter of preventing injury that would be done them if the proposed line were carried out.

And further resolved, that the necessary protection against this impending injustice should be placed in the act incorporating the company should any such be passed.

And still further resolved, that the city requests the representatives of the Dominion of Canada and County of Saint John and the Maritime Provinces generally to do all in their power to protect the interests of this province in the matter of preventing injury that would be done them if the proposed line were carried out.

## EUROPEAN NEWS.

Turkish Troops Destroy a Village Frequented by Bandits.

Austrian Troops to be Called Out to Suppress Disorder in Croatia.

BUDA PEST, May 12.—There was recently a serious peasant demonstration in Croatia, especially in the Krenn district, where the estates and houses of Hungarian land owners were attacked and pillaged. Martial law was declared. Similar disorders have occurred at Brod, Sisak and other places.

Premier deszei has had an interview with Emperor Francis Joseph, who arrived today. After this interview the premier announced that the lower house that troops would be sent to every place where a breach of the peace had been threatened. A special army corps has been placed at the disposal of the authorities for that purpose.

The peasants are actuated by absurd rumors to the effect that the late Crown Prince Rudolph is alive, that he is coming to help the peasant get his own, and that the emperor has forbidden his soldiers to shoot at them.

USKUB, European Turkey, May 12.—Turkish troops have destroyed the village of Warkobo, near Sheplog, where they suspected bandits were concealed.

SALONICA, May 12.—The police have unearthed 700 pounds of dynamite and quantities of gunpowder.

SPORTING NEWS. VAULTING. THE SHAMROCKS. GOURMOUR, May 12.—A storm of wind and rain rendered it impossible to start the proposed 15 mile race between the Shamrocks from here around the Channel Fleet off Lamlash, Isle of Arran, for a prize of \$500 offered by the Hon. Charles Russell.

BRISTOL, R. I., May 12.—The Reliance had her first trial spin yesterday since being partly re-fitted with spars and sails. When she left her moorings at 1.30 p. m. for the spin down the bay she was carrying a new mainmast, which proved to be a good fit, also a new main boom and a larger main gaff, both of which seemed to work well in taking up the slack in the mainmast. The trip began at 1.30 and ended at six o'clock, the boat being down and back again before the wind running back again before the wind with balloons and spinaker set.

## WITH A RUSH.

The Preamble of Grand Trunk Pacific Bill Adopted.

The Remarks of Messrs. Hays, Blair, Fowler, Emmerson, Logan and Wade.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 12.—The preamble of the Grand Trunk Pacific bill was adopted this morning. Before the railway committee passed the opening clause was through. Mr. Hays was asked if he was willing to make an exchange of freight with the Intercolonial and answered in the affirmative.

Mr. Blair stated that the present agreement between the lines was not satisfactory, but it could be modified and he had no doubt that it would be agreeable to both parties. He submitted that the Intercolonial would be able to handle all freight which would come to it from the Grand Trunk Pacific.

Mr. Fowler insisted on Hays answering a question as to whether or not the Grand Trunk Pacific would build an independent line to the Maritime Provinces, and was told they would, provided that the Intercolonial could handle the freight originating in the West.

Mr. Emmerson suggested delay in granting the charter and the extension of the Intercolonial west into the wheat fields. He wanted a national line.

Mr. Logan in a ringing speech demanded that an all-Canadian route should be insisted upon.

Mr. Wade also supported this idea and pointed out that the west could be served just as well by using a maritime province port.

Mr. Blair suggested to Mr. Hays a clause providing for a line to Moncton with a branch to St. John.

ON OCEAN LINERS. "Fresh News" Is Printed "From Abroad." But "Locals" Are a Feature.

## LABOR WORLD.

Three Thousand Troops Out to Quell Riots.

A Victory for Teamsters — Work Resumed on the New York Subway Today.

SANTIAGO, Chile, May 12.—The strike of dock laborers at Valparaiso is becoming more serious. The strikers after setting fire to the quay as well as to the offices of the South American S. S. Co., had a number of encounters with the police, during which ten persons were killed and two hundred wounded. A detachment of three thousand troops has been despatched to Valparaiso to quell the disorder.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 12.—The striking teamsters won the first union victory in this city yesterday, when the Columbian Transfer Co., the largest employer here, signed the union agreement, calling for increased pay and recognition of the union. The Gelock Transfer Co. and the Milling Companies followed, and about 800 drivers returned to work. One hundred teamsters are still out.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Pending the arbitration of their grievances, most of the 6,000 strikers returned to work on the subway today. Twelve hundred members of one union of the rock men and excavators refused to return because they say they would be assessed for the support of other members of the union who are on strike from various buildings.

REV. DR. MACRAE'S SON Called to Pastorate of Presbyterian Church in Minnesota. A Forest Lake, Minnesota, letter of April 17th, in the St. Paul Pioneer Press, says:

FOREST LAKE, Minn., April 17.—Pursuant to call, a meeting of people interested in church work at Forest Lake was held at the Presbyterian church, last evening, with Rev. John Copeland as moderator. L. A. Carter and T. B. Hacheller were installed as elders, and two additional trustees were elected and qualified. A unanimous call was issued to Donald N. Macrae, soon to be ordained, to become the pastor, he having filled the pulpit very acceptably for a number of Sabbaths. It was also voted to move the church building to a more suitable location, and to enlarge and improve the same as the trustees and entire body of supporters have for some time considered necessary. In furtherance of this project the sum of nearly \$300 was pledged on the spot, and committees were appointed to push the matter without delay.

Rev. D. N. Macrae is the fifth son of Rev. Dr. Macrae of this city. He left St. John about 1890, and went with his father to Morris College, Quebec. Later he went to Winnipeg College, and for the last two years has been completing his course at McAllister College, in Minnesota. He has done work as a catechist, and is now to enter upon regular ministerial work.

Another son of Dr. Macrae, Rev. A. O. Macrae, is stationed at Greenwood, B. C. Dr. Macrae is himself at present supplying for Rev. Dr. Fraser of St. Stephen's church, this city.

FREDERICTON AFFAIRS. C. B. Foster and James McKenna returned today from Fredericton. While there they arranged the rates for the Fredericton exhibition, to be held in September, settled some tourist business and discussed plans for the entertainment of the Canadian Ticket Agents' Association, the members of which will pass through Fredericton this summer. This latter matter will be dealt with at a meeting of the St. John Tourist Association to be held here this afternoon. The ticket agents' convention will be held in St. John.

WILL VISIT ST. JOHN. Manager Medcalf received a cable this morning from Manager Bandmann of the Bandmann Opera Company commending his visit to the city. Mr. Bandmann only returned to London yesterday from his Mediterranean trip. He will bring his company direct to St. John, thence to Halifax, and will make a tour through Canada, from ocean to ocean, and proceed from Vancouver to China. Mr. Bandmann has made arrangements for the production of some of the latest English musical successes. He will be in Halifax with his company in August.—Halifax Recorder.

CONFERENCE OF CLERGY. Bishop Casey and the priests of the St. John conference were entertained at dinner today by Rev. W. C. Gaynor at the parsonage of St. John. The Baptist church the occasion being the semi-annual meeting of the conference. Besides his lordship there were present Revs. F. J. McMurray, A. H. Meehan, H. Cormier and Hannigan, of the Cathedral; Rev. J. J. Walsh, of Holy Trinity; Rev. C. Collins, of Fairville; Rev. J. J. O'Donovan, of Carleton; Rev. F. Savage, of Sussex; Rev. A. J. O'Neill, of Silver Falls; Rev. A. Poirier, of St. Martin's; and Rev. Joseph McDermott, of Peterborough.

Herbert Fleet is reported from the hospital as being no better.

T. Lynch, of Fredericton, was in the city today.

Dr. Lewis, M. P., for Albert, is in the city.

P. E. Heine, of Moncton, grand master of L. O. A. of N. B., came into the city on the noon train today.

St. John B. B. Club are requested to meet on Thursday night at Fort Howe Drill shed at 7.30 o'clock.

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WALTER W. WHITE, Mayor.

## COMMERCIAL.

DAILY QUOTATIONS. Furnished by W. S. Barker, Banker and Broker.

Yearling	To-day's	May 13, 1903.
Analyst Copper	65 1/2	65 1/2
Am. Sugar Refin.	136	135 1/2
A. T. and Santa F.	79 1/2	79 1/2
Balt. and Ohio	91 1/2	91 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid T.	65 1/2	65 1/2
Can. Pacific	122 1/2	122 1/2
C. M. and St. Paul	100 1/2	100 1/2
C. O. and West	23	22 1/2
Col. Fuel and Iron	65 1/2	65 1/2
Erie	145 1/2	145 1/2
Erie pref.	68 1/2	68 1/2
Louis and Nash	117 1/2	117 1/2
Manhattan Ry.	141 1/2	141 1/2
Metrop. St. Ry.	131 1/2	131 1/2
N. Y. Central	122 1/2	122 1/2
N. Y. Central	122 1/2	122 1/2
Reading	102 1/2	102 1/2
South Pac. Co.	54 1/2	54 1/2
Union Pac.	80 1/2	80 1/2
Tenn. C. and Iron	62 1/2	62 1/2
Texas and Pac.	35	34 1/2
Union Pac.	80 1/2	80 1/2
U. S. Steel	135 1/2	135 1/2
U. S. Steel Com.	24 1/2	24 1/2
U. S. Steel Pfd.	83 1/2	83 1/2
Wabash	28	27 1/2

## PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived. Steamer Orangi, 1001, Daming, Boston.

Sch. Romeo, 111, Williams, New York. Sch. Wellman Hall, 136, Knowlton, New York.

Coastwise—Sch. Mina Blanche, 36, Crocker, Freeport, N.S.; sch. D. W. B. 120, Holder, Fredericton, N.S.; sch. Milledred K. 35, Thompson, Westport, N.S.; sch. Nebula, 24, Ellis, fishing, N.S.; sch. Beulah, 30, Black, Quaco, sch. Yarmouth Packet 76, Shaw, Yarmouth, N.S.

Cleared. Sch. D. W. B. 120, Holder, New Bedford, with lumber. Smt. Penobscot, 124, Allan, Boston.

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## TO LET.

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

TO LET—From 1st May next that very comfortable self contained dwelling house, now occupied by George H. Horton, Esq., No. 10 Cornhill street, corner Horsfield containing 6 rooms, bath room, hot and cold water, etc. Can be seen on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. Apply to W. TREMBAINE GARD, 6 King street.

## HELP WANTED, MALE.

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WANTED—Bright young man as bookkeeper. One well acquainted with city. Give references and salary expected. Address "COMMERCIAL," Box 215 City.

SHOEMAKER WANTED—A first-class shoemaker can find employment in our repairing department. Apply at once to WATERBURY & RISING, 61 King street.

WANTED—A number of good laborers. Apply to J. P. CLAYTON, Superintendent Fernhill Cemetery.

GENERAL AGENTS WANTED in each town for special accident, sickness, identification policies and general insurance business. Liberal terms to reliable men. Write Box 775, Montreal.

## HELP WANTED, FEMALE.

WANTED—Cook and waiters to work by the piece or by the week. Steady employment and highest wages to first-class hands. C. B. PIGEON, corner Main and Bridge streets.

WANTED—Young girl for light housework to go home at night. Apply at 9 Horsfield street.

WANTED—A good competent girl for general house work. Apply to 23 Leinster street.

WANTED—A capable girl, to whom good wages will be paid. Apply to GEO. H. WATERBURY, 22 King street, east.

WANTED—A housemaid, with references. MRS. T. E. G. ARMSTRONG, 217 Gormain street.

WANTED—Girl to sew by hand and machine. Apply 107 Prince William street.

## WANTED.

WANTED—By a young man, a position as servant or general agent. Address P. S. care STAR Office.

WANTED—Young man (married) would like situation as janitor. Good references. Address JANITOR, care of STAR Office.

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FOR SALE—A lawn tennis net, good as new. Apply at STAR Office.

FOR SALE—One 1 1/2 in. Pine Door, 5 ft. 6 in. by 2 ft. 6 in., with 2 glass panels. Apply Sun Printing Co., St. John.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A quantity of revolver or rifle ammunition. No. 45 Cols. Apply to CRACK SHOT, Star Office.

FOR SALE—An acre, complete, nearly new. Apply to Sun Printing Co.

FOR SALE—A quantity of steam pipes and iron, fifty-six pound weight. Apply at Sun Office, St. John.

FOR SALE—A Metal Furnace, capacity about 50 pounds. It has a fire brick lining, with smoke and venting pipes complete. Apply Sun Printing Co., St. John.

## LOST.

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

LOST—On Saturday evening, a gold ring, with setting, on the corner of Charlotte and Pitt street. The finder will oblige by returning it to 124 Mecklenburg street.

## DAVID CONNELL,

BOARDING, HACK and LIVERY STABLES, 65 and 67 Waterloo St., St. John, N. B.

Horses boarded on Reasonable Terms. Horses and Carriages on Hire. Fine Picnics at short notice.

## DEATHS.

BOLDING—At Hammond River, Kings county, May 10th, Joseph Boldin, aged 60 years, leaving a wife, four sons and one daughter to mourn their sad loss. Burial from his late residence on Thursday at 10 o'clock a. m.

Park's  
perfect  
Emulsion

can be retained by the most delicate stomach, no matter how ill the patient may be, it always gets in its good work.

Price 50c. a bottle. Large bottle \$1.00

## AWFUL OCCURRENCE IN THE WEST.

A story comes from the Porcupine Valley to the effect that a well known farmer wanted his son to get up early and go to work. The boy has a habit of answering "yes, sir," and going to sleep again. On this occasion last week, the farmer to make no mistake, called the boy, got the "yes, sir," and then slid up the stairs, turned down the covers and gave the person a good spanking. It happened that on that night the hired girl had been given the boy's room. When the tumult was over the man sat down behind the barn and drafted out a written apology to the hired girl.—Macled Gazette.

## QUEER BIRDS.

(Philadelphia Press). "I notice in this morning's paper," said the new boarder, "an advertisement about a good cotton duck. What's a cotton duck?" "Give it up," replied the star boarder. "Now if it was an India rubber chicken Mrs. Starvein could tell us something about it."

THE ST. JOHN STAR is published by THE SUN PRINTING COMPANY (LTD.), at St. John, New Brunswick, every afternoon (except Sunday) at 12.30 a. m.

## ST. JOHN STAR.

ST. JOHN, N. B., MAY 12, 1903.

## ASSISTANCE IS WELCOME.

The Telegraph this morning ridicules Messrs. Fowler and Hale, M. P. B., because they urge the necessity of action in the matter of the maritime provinces and the Grand Trunk Pacific. St. John should rather welcome the co-operation of members for outside constituencies in a matter of such interest to this port. In his speech at the Osborne banquet, Hon. Dr. Pugsley took particular pains to say that as a member for Kings county he was in full sympathy with St. John, and he laid particular stress upon the importance of harmonious action by city and country. Dr. Pugsley therefore does not agree with the Telegraph. Neither does the board of trade, the municipal council nor the city council. All these bodies recognise the seriousness of the situation, in view of the very guarded and non-committal statements of the president and manager of the Grand Trunk before the parliamentary committee, and they are pressing their views upon the government. This is not a time, therefore, when St. John should ridicule those who advocate the city's cause. Past experience, under all governments, has shown that when St. John wants anything it should strengthen the hands of its representatives to the fullest possible extent. That is all Messrs. Hale and Fowler have suggested, and it is being done. It would have been in any case, but that is no reason for rejecting their good offices with contempt. Let us have all the assistance we can get in this contest, in which Canadian ports are threatened by the friends of a foreign port. A despatch to the Telegraph says that Sir Wilfrid Laurier has given to the maritime liberal members what they regard as satisfactory assurances. Let assurance be made doubly sure.

## A HINT FROM JAPAN.

One reads with much interest of the rapid advance of education in Japan. "Within the past year," says an article in London Engineering, "the position and salaries of teachers have been improved, the courses of study have been adapted to the practical purposes of life, and more complete arrangements have been made for enforcing the attendance of children at school, and for assisting the diffusion of general education. Special attention is now being paid to hygienic conditions and to physical training, so that all questions which are being discussed in this country are receiving attention in Japan. Secondary and technical education has been made more complete, and the minister of education remarks that the people generally have begun to attach more importance to education; and now, instead of complaining about their heavy burdens, they seem to contribute willingly towards the funds for educational purposes. Consequently, education progresses throughout the country, and the year under review has witnessed marked progress, the percentage of children of school age receiving the prescribed course of instruction being 90.35 (boys) and 71.75 (girls). The number of elementary schools was 15,533 of main departments, and 2,333 of branch departments, the total number being 17,866. The number of teachers was 92,599, of children 1,653,598; of those who had completed the prescribed course of instruction, 745,805; and of those admitted during the year, 1,872,668; while the percentage of daily attendance was 84.61."

The province of New Brunswick might take a lesson from Japan. There is great need in this province of better attendance at schools, better equipment and better salaries for teachers. University education is making great progress in Japan. Engineering says, "It almost seems as if Englishmen might profitably go to Japan to get education in engineering science. There are, it says: 'Two universities—the Imperial University of Tokyo and the Imperial University of Kyoto. The Imperial University of Tokyo consists of the University Hall and six colleges of law, medicine, engineering, literature, science and agriculture. The college of engineering includes the nine courses of civil engineering, mechanical engineering, naval architecture, technology of arms, electrical engineering, architecture, applied chemistry, technology of explosives and mining and metallurgy, with twenty-seven professional chairs. The total number of instructors in the colleges, according to a recently issued report, was 221, including 92 professors, 45 assistant professors, 48 persons specially appointed, and 18 foreigners. Besides these there are thirty-five assistant professors now studying in foreign countries. The number of students in the University Hall was 430, and of students and pupils in the colleges 2,000 and 381, being a total of 2,880. Among the students there was one foreigner in the college of law, and ten in the colleges. The one in the University Hall is a native of the United States, the one in the college of law is a Korean, and the one in the college of medicine is an East Indian. Of the seven foreign students in the college of engineering, four are Chinese, two are Indians, and one comes from the Philippine Islands, while the one in the college of agriculture is a Korean. The Imperial University of Kyoto is more recently founded than that of Tokyo, and therefore is not yet so complete. Still, very good progress has been made. It consists of the university hall and the colleges of law, medicine, science and

engineering. Of these the most important in the college of science and engineering, which includes eight courses of mathematics, physics, pure chemistry, chemical technology, civil engineering, mechanical engineering, electrical engineering, and mining and metallurgy, with twenty-five professional chairs and one hundred and eighty-six students."

## MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

Officers Appointed—The Hospital—Work For Prisoners.

The new municipal council met yesterday afternoon and the councillors were sworn in. Coun. Lowell was unanimously elected warden. J. A. Magilton was appointed county auditor and R. J. Coughlin marshal. The various other officers were appointed as follows:

## LANCASTER.

Collector—Amador Anderson. Assessors—John Donaldson, Wm. T. Cunningham and Daniel Cronin. Fire wardens—Robt. Irvine, W. A. Smith and James Mills.

Parish clerk—Andrew Gault. Revisors—Andrew C. Gregory and John W. Long.

Lancaster, No. 1, collector of rates—Nahaniel McGuire.

Parish clerk—James Galbraith. Road supervisors—Coun. Lowell, Gregory and Long.

## ST. MARTINS.

Assessors of rates and taxes—Wm. Smith, Emery A. Titus and H. E. Gillmour. Collector of rates and taxes—Wm. J. Morrow.

Parish clerk—Thomas W. Mosher. Highway commissioners—S. J. Shanklin, No. 1; J. Aubrey Vaughan, No. 2; Herbert W. Brown, No. 3.

By-road commissioners—Robt. Connelly, Richard Hoeford and Richard Hoeford (north).

Revisors—F. M. Cochran and Michael Kelly.

## MUSQUASH.

Assessors—Geo. L. Hargrove, James McWinn and David Mawhinney. Collector—H. N. Spinney.

Parish clerk—Geo. A. Anderson. Commissioner of roads—Thomas Car-scaden, David A. McAdam and James Mawhinney.

## SIMONDS.

Parish clerk—Alex. F. Johnston. Assessors of rates—Jeremiah Horgan, James Lee and J. Wallace.

Highway commissioners—Dominick McHugh, Martin Dolan and William Sands. Collector of rates—Peter Lawlor.

Revisors—Joseph Lee and William J. Jones. Richard Rawlings and William Amos were appointed to do police duty at Bay Shore this summer.

It was decided to issue bonds up to \$16,000 for hospital improvement, and to assess for \$19,000 for current hospital expenses.

The proposition to make jail prisoners sentenced to hard labor work in the park was adopted.

A communication from the street railway company relative to extension to Lancaster and Carleton was referred to the Lancaster councillors with power to act.

Coun. Gregory and Long were appointed commissioners of the Lancaster ferry.

A resolution was adopted urging the government not to grant aid to the Grand Trunk Pacific until its winter port was to be in the maritime provinces.

Standing committees were appointed as follows:

Finance and accounts—Coun. Christie (chairman), Baxter, McDoldrick, Robinson, Hamm, Cochran, Long, Lee and Dean.

County buildings—Coun. Maxwell (chairman), Hilyard, Bullock, Tilley, Robinson, Gregory, Thompson, Horgan and Kelly.

Bills for the legislature—Coun. Macrae (chairman), Millidge, Allan, Baxter, McMullin, Jones, Cochran, Long and Dean.

To act with the sheriff in regard to the hard labor sentences in jail—Coun. Lewis (chairman), Macrae, Tufts, Allan, Fowles, Gregory, Thompson and Bullock.

For the relief of indigent rate-payers—Coun. Long (chairman), McMullin, Hilyard, White, Tilley, Allan, Kelly, Dean and Horgan.

Standing committee for rates and taxes—Coun. Lee, Thompson, Gregory, Fowles and Christie.

After ordering the payment of the usual amount to the marshal, the council adjourned.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use KUMFORT Headache Powders.

## GEORGE KEITH DROPPED DEAD.

George Keith of Lower Butternut Ridge was found dead in his field Monday. He went out to make a fence, and had only been gone a short time when found. Heart trouble was the cause of death. He leaves a wife, four sons and seven daughters. He was a man of about seventy years of age. Two of his sons are medical practitioners in the States. The deceased was a prosperous farmer and highly respected by his large circle of acquaintances and friends. One of his daughters is the wife of Councillor Freese of Havelock.

## Y. M. C. A. MAN RESIGNS.

R. P. Williams has resigned his position as gymnasium instructor of the Y. M. C. A. at Sydney to accept that of instructor of the Concord, N. H. Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. Mr. Williams has been connected with the Sydney association for over two years, and at that time has contributed not a little toward popularizing gymnastics in Sydney.

## THE DOG FISH.

(Halifax Echo). Dog fish have struck in along the coast in large numbers and are greatly interfering with the fisheries. The appearance of these fish so early in the season is most unusual, and in consequence the fishermen on the inner grounds are making very small catches.

## HOGAN-MARSTERS.

A quiet wedding took place at Enfield, N. S., on Monday, when Miss Gertrude Marsters, daughter of the late Captain William Marsters, and grand-daughter of the late Captain Samuel Marsters, the well known ship owner of Hants county, was united in marriage to George Hogan, for a number of years bookkeeper for T. A. S. DeWolf & Son of Halifax, but now travelling for a Montreal house.

Red Rose tea is good tea. That is why so many people use it.

## MORNING'S NEWS.

## LOCAL.

Str. Universe has been chartered to load deals here for Limerick at \$25. A most successful church social and pie sale was held in Tabernacle church street last night. A large number attended. A goodly sum of money was realized, which will be devoted to general church purposes.

The central committee of the I. O. P. met last evening in St. Malach's hall, and made arrangements for the annual parade of the society in June. Deputy Chief of Police Jenkins was appointed marshal for the occasion.

At a meeting of the Douglas avenue Christian church last evening a financial statement of the church was submitted. The trustees elected are as follows: D. A. Morrison, J. W. Burns, Wm. Armstrong, Stannard Hines and R. Watson. Meeting adjourned until May 26th.

Nos. 1 and 2 Scots Companies held a battalion and physical drill on Coburg street last night, in the presence of a large gathering of ladies and gentlemen. The companies will have a march out on Friday evening from St. Stephen's school room all over the city's principal streets.

Nr. W. Salvage Corps met last night and appointed a committee to confer with the safety board for the purpose of urging the necessity of the corps having rubber tires on its wagon. The corps has ordered new wheels with steel tires, but the members of the corps will not be satisfied until they get rubber ones.

The bi-monthly meeting of the Local Assembly of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew's, held at St. Mary's church S. S. last evening, N. Rogers, president, in the chair. Five of the city chapters were represented, and a very interesting biographical paper on the paper contained many interesting points, and it was afterwards discussed by those present.

## PROVINCIAL.

Reports from the lumber drives on the head waters of the St. John and Miramichi show that they are making excellent progress.

A fortnight ago Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Estabrooks, of Fredericton, buried their five years' old daughter. Their other child, a boy of three years, died yesterday.

The three years old son of Wendell P. Jones, M. P. P., of Fredericton, set fire to his clothes while playing yesterday, and he was very badly burned before his mother could extinguish the flames. Her own hair was severely burned.

The child is expected to recover. The Halifax delegation interviewed the government at Ottawa yesterday and supported the petition of 34 Toronto delegates for a bounty of \$4 per ton on lumber for ship building.

It is feared that the schooner Laura C., which left Halifax for Louisburg April 8, has been lost with all on board. She was a three-masted.

W. B. McVey, formerly of St. John, read a very interesting paper this week before the Canadian Club of Boston, of which he is secretary. He dealt chiefly with the development of New Brunswick.

A British Columbia paper states that W. B. Ganong, formerly of The Cedars, will open up and take charge of a \$20,000 hotel, called the Windsor, at Morrissey Mines, B. C.

Carleton's near Brunswick, Capt. Tooker, is ashore near Brunswick, and will probably become a total loss. She was formerly the barkentine Bahama, and is a vessel of 321 tons.

## GENERAL.

Farquhar McGillivray, for many years chief clerk at the house of commons, Ottawa, disappeared Sunday night. He was in his 71st year. No trace of him can be found.

A Montreal despatch says there will be no strike of trackmen on the Grand Trunk or Canadian Pacific this summer, as the difficulties have been practically settled. The minimum wage for section men on the Grand Trunk is \$1.30 per day, and on the C. P. R. \$1.35.

Cream of tartar crystals have advanced to the highest point in five years.

Commodore Montgomerie has assumed command of the British fishery protection squadron in Newfoundland waters.

Forest fires are raging in the vicinity of Greenville, Me., and have done considerable damage.

## CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

The annual business meeting of Coburg street Christian church was held last evening. The report of the treasurer, Mrs. L. A. Miles, showed the church finances to be in a healthy state, and the difficulties have been practically settled. The minimum wage for section men on the Grand Trunk is \$1.30 per day, and on the C. P. R. \$1.35.

The trustees for the ensuing year are the same as last year. L. R. Morton was re-elected secretary and Mrs. L. A. Miles, treasurer.

Following are the names of the trustees: Geo. F. Barnes, J. J. Johnston, P. McIntyre, W. A. Barnes, L. A. Miles, J. S. Flagg, L. R. Morton, John Beamish, H. Shellington, W. H. Charlton, Thomas Garnett and Edward Shellington.

A business meeting was held last night in Douglas Avenue Christian church. The financial report was received and trustees were appointed as follows: D. A. Morrison, J. W. Burns, Wm. Armstrong, Stannard Hines and R. Watson. Another meeting will be held on the 25th inst.

WANTED—A case of Headache that KUMFORT Powders will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

## ST. VINCENT'S ALUMNAE.

St. Vincent's Convent Alumnae Society met last evening in St. Malach's hall, and made arrangements for an home, to be held on June 30, in honor of the graduating class of the convent. Several committees were appointed to arrange for a programme and other details. There will be about ten young ladies graduating from the convent school this year.

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

## Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Limited.

Ladies' Washing Silk Blouse  
Waists at \$2.50 EACH.

At this price we will offer a line of LADIES' FANCY STRIPE WASHING SILK BLOUSE WAISTS, in sizes 32, 34, 36 and 38 inch bust measure. The colors: Pink with White Stripes, Light Blue with White Stripes, Old Rose with White Stripes, Heliotrope with White Stripes, Turquoise with White Stripes; also a few plain colors.

They are all this season's styles, nicely finished, particularly good value at \$2.50 each. Sale begins Thursday Morning, May 14th, at Glass Counters, near elevator, ground floor.

NOTE.—Customers may have the use of our fitting rooms, as we cannot undertake to exchange or send these Waists on approval.

**LADIES' FABRIC GLOVES.**  
Ladies' Taffeta Gloves, black and white, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, and 50c.  
Ladies' Taffeta Gloves, black, slate and beaver shades. Silk lined, 75c.  
Ladies' Suede Lisle Gloves.  
Ladies' Suede Lisle Gloves—washable—closely resembling undressed kid. Very serviceable. Black, white, slate, beaver and tan shades. 50c, 55c, 60c, and 70c.  
Ladies' Pure Silk Gloves, Jersey wrist. Black, white and colors, 45c.  
Ladies' Pure Silk Gloves, extra quality, with two pearl buttons; in black, slate and beaver shades, 80c.  
Ladies' Silk Net Gloves with Lisle Thread Palms. A cool, comfortable glove for summer. Colors: Black, White, Grey and Beavers. Extra quality, \$1.10 pair.  
Ladies' Black Silk Lace Gloves, new designs, 75c.

**Ladies' Silk Lace Mitts**, in black and white, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, and 50c.  
Girls' Taffeta Gloves, 2 dome fasteners; assorted colors, 25c.  
**ST. GEORGE LONG CLOTH.**  
A fine long cloth, very suitable for ladies' and children's fine underwear. Put up in boxes containing 10 yards each, 38 inches wide, \$1.35 per box. Linen Room.

**LADIES' HOSIERY.**  
Ladies' Black Lisle Hose, openwork or lace fronts, fast dye, spliced heels and toes. A rare bargain at 25c. pair.  
Ladies' Plain Black Lisle Hose, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, and 80c.  
Ladies' Black Lisle Hose, extra large, 52c, 55c.  
Ladies' Black Lisle Hose, lace ankles, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, and 80c.  
Ladies' Black Lisle Hose, all over lace effect, 32c, 42c, 45c, 55c.

**Ladies' Black Cotton Hose with white and colored embroidered ankles, 25c.**  
Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, with white polka spots, 35c.  
Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, plain, 25c, and 45c.  
Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, extra large, 25c.  
Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, with Balbriggan feet, 25c.  
Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, drop stitch, with Balbriggan feet, 25c.  
Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, with white feet, 25c, and 35c.  
Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, with natural wool feet, 25c, and 35c.  
Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, with Lisle feet, 25c.  
Ladies' and Children's Ribbed Black Cotton Hose, 15c. to 25c, according to size.

ANNUAL SPRING SALE OF  
Men's Fine Canadian Underwear

In spring and summer weights, AT SPECIAL PRICES for Seven Days Only, Saturday, May 9th to Saturday, May 16th, inclusive.

**NO. 1.—MEN'S FINE BALBRIGGAN SHIRTS**, with French necks and cuffs, Satin faced fronts, pearl buttons. Sizes 32 to 42. Price 90c. per suit.  
**NO. 2.—EXTRA QUALITY NATURAL MERINO SHIRTS AND DRAWERS**—Unshrinkable. Very soft, nice finish. Sizes 32 to 42. Price \$1.00 per suit.  
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The above four makes are extraordinary value at prices quoted, and all in want of Underwear would do well to take advantage of this sale.  
NOTE.—For seven days only—May 9th to 16th.

## M. R. A'S. UNRIVALLED \$10.00 SUITS FOR MEN.

## Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Limited.

JOHN McKINNON DEAD.  
Principal of Leinster Street School Passes Away.

The many friends of John McKinnon, principal of Leinster street school, heard with deep regret last evening of his death. His illness was very short. Last Friday he performed his usual duties at the school. On going to his house at 11 Wright street that evening he felt unwell and went to bed. Since then he gradually sank until 7.30 o'clock last night, when death came.

Mr. McKinnon had been principal of Leinster street school for about 4 years, and was for many years previous at the head of the Carleton school. About 20 years ago he taught in Albert street school, and was assistant principal when he resigned. He was also teacher in the Charlotte street school before going to Leinster street. A teacher diligent and faithful in the performance of his duties, and of a kindly and sympathetic disposition, he will be greatly missed alike by parents and pupils. A widow and four children, two sons and two daughters survive.

Mr. McKinnon was a native of Wallace, N. S. His wife was Miss Freeman of Amherst, N. S. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon.

A sad feature in connection with the death of Principal John McKinnon, of Leinster street school, is that only a few months ago his family was afflicted with a contagious disease and for some weeks Mr. McKinnon, in order that he might be able to attend to his duties at school, was compelled to live elsewhere. It was a time of anxiety for him, as he had but slight communication with those at home. It now seems particularly sad that when those of his family who had been ill have recovered, he should, upon returning home, be the first to die.

Mr. McKinnon was one of the foremost workers in the recent Sunday school census, being superintendent for the North and West ends of the city. During his residence in the west side Mr. McKinnon was for some years one of the deacons in the Carleton Baptist church, and superintendent of the Sunday school. He was an energetic and sainted worker, and was greatly missed on his removal to the other side of the harbor.

Are you one of the many who prefer Red Rose tea? It's good tea.

## RECENT DEATHS.

Rev. Dr. Thompson, son-in-law of the late Hon. Alexander Mackenzie, is dead, aged 69 years. He was the pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church at Sarnia, Ont.

James S. Sanborn, of the famous coffee firm of Chase & Sanborn, and proprietor of the Elmwood stock farm at Lewiston, Me., is dead. Mr. Sanborn exhibited horses at the St. John exhibitions in 1900 and 1902.

## MR. OBORNE GOES.

James Osborne left last evening for Montreal, where he will now remain in his new position. Quite a number of friends were at the depot to see him off. Mrs. Osborne and family will remain in St. John until about August.



## GOOD WORK BY THE Y. M. C. A.

## Encouraging Reports at the Annual Meeting—Membership Increasing

The annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms last evening. In response to invitations sent out there was a large attendance on the part of the Ladies' Auxiliary, the Young Ladies' League, members of the Association, and contributors to the building fund. There were nine reports submitted, showing all the departments to be progressing favorably. In the absence of the president, Frank White, the vice-president, W. C. Cross, presided.

The president's report, read by Mr. Cross, reviewed generally the work of the year, and expressed a hopefulness that the project of a new building and an up-to-date gymnasium would be successfully carried through.

The Bible study committee reported that Bible classes had been held during the winter season on Sunday afternoons and evenings and on Wednesday evenings.

F. W. Green, the physical director, submitted the report of the physical department. It showed that there were 117 classes, an average attendance of 27, and a total attendance of 5,344. Outside this number there has been a total of 1,145 using the gymnasium for different purposes at times not taken up with class work. The grand total of those using the gymnasium during the past winter is 7,098.

The boys' work committee report, submitted by David B. Donald, showed that department to be in a most encouraging condition. During the season 71 classes were held, attended by 8,714 boys, giving an average of over 52 at each class. The annual boys' camp was held last summer under the leadership of Geo. B. Williams, and was largely attended. The enrollment is 135, about double of what it was last year.

The educational committee submitted its report through T. H. Sommerville. It showed a lack of room in the way of class reports.

The report of the social committee was submitted by Geo. S. Whittaker, showing a most successful year from a social standpoint.

The membership committee reported that the fall campaign in this department had resulted well. The list of active members is now 125, an increase of 25 over last year; associate members, 133, an increase of 22; junior members, 138, an increase of 61. The total membership is now 396, as against 378 last year. As 58 of the old members did not renew, this means a total of 376 new members during the term. Great credit for the increase was given to Secretary Wilson.

General Secretary Williams in his report summarized the most important work of the winter. During the last eight months, he said, there had been an average attendance of 200 at the rooms. The boarding house list kept there had proved most helpful to strangers. Besides the regular work of the Association the canvass for the building fund had been continued. During the winter \$4,922.75 was secured, making the fund at present \$52,506.75, leaving about \$7,500 to be obtained before the necessary \$60,000 mark is reached. It was hoped that the balance would be raised in the near future. Thanks were extended to the many friends of the Association, to the Ladies' Auxiliary and to the press.

Miss Fannie B. McLellan for the membership of that department was 145—35 active and 110 associate. Financially the year had been very successful.

The directors elected for the three ensuing years are: J. T. McGowan, J. E. Angeline, S. H. Davis, H. J. Smith and T. H. Sommerville. The following trustees were elected for the same term: E. L. Rising, T. H. Sommerville, H. C. Tilley and John B. Irvine.

A vote of thanks was passed in appreciation of the valuable assistance given to the Association by the Ladies' Auxiliary, the Young Ladies' League, the subscribers to the building fund, and all who have in any way contributed to the welfare of the Association.

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## MONCTON NEWS.

MONCTON, May 12.—Two houses in town were placed under quarantine tonight as a precaution against smallpox. One named Murrell came to town from Rogersville about a fortnight ago and lodged at Joseph King's house, corner of Main and Sledman streets. Yesterday King became suspicious in regard to Murrell's appearance and turned him out. Murrell went back to Rogersville, and the authorities there telegraphed tonight that it was a case of smallpox. King's house and another were placed under quarantine at once.

Geo. Keith of Lower Butterfield Ridge was found dead in his field yesterday. He went out to make a fence, and had only been gone a short time when found. He was about 70 years of age and leaves a wife, four sons and seven daughters. Two of the sons are medical practitioners in the states. Deceased was a prosperous farmer and highly respected by his large circle of acquaintances and friends. One of his daughters is the wife of Councilor Freese of Havelock.

An Indian wedding took place at St. Edward's church, Dorchester, on Sunday afternoon, when Michael Perry of Amherst was married to Miss Julia Paul, daughter of Wm. Paul, the celebrated hunter of Dorchester. Rev. Father Cormier tied the nuptial knot. The groom is an industrious character, and the bride is an exceptionally good looking girl, having seen fifteen summers. She attended Dorchester high school for several years, and was a general favorite among the English girls. A number of the tribe was present. Prof. Alex. Paul furnished music. Dancing has been vigorously kept up around the camp since Sunday night.

Roy Sumner and his sister, Miss Ethel, arrived home tonight after an extended trip to the West Indies.

LOYALIST DAY.

The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Loyalist Society was held last night, when the following officers were elected for the next year: President, Dr. Wm. Bayard.

1st Vice Pres.—Dr. A. A. Stockton; 2nd vice president, Dr. W. P. Dole; 3rd vice pres., D. H. Waterbury.

Chaplain—Rev. W. O. Raymond. Historian—D. R. Jack.

Rec. Secretary—H. J. Anderson. Cor. Secretary—L. Col. Underhill.

Treasurer—C. E. L. Jarvis. Marshals—Chas. Campbell and Chas. A. MacDonald.

Standing committee—J. S. Flagg, D. J. Seely, W. E. Vroom; J. Drake, Jas. Anderson, I. H. Northrup, L. Col. Cunard, Miss M. Peters and Miss E. Anderson.

The committee appointed to arrange the celebration of the anniversary of the Loyalists' landing reported that they had arranged for a church service in Trinity on Sunday, May 17.

Communications were read from Sir Frederick Borden and Hon. A. G. Blair regarding the placing of Loyalist day on the list of days when the firing of salutes is authorized.

AGAIN THE SEA SERPENT.

A Mysterious Marine Monster Cast Upon the Beach Point o' Woods.

SAYVILLE, L. I., May 9.—The crew of the Point-o'-Woods life saving station, saw what they thought was a member of the sea serpent family. He discerned the object in the surf, and hastened shoreward to get a better view, meanwhile signalling his fellow life savers that there was "something" doing.

The third comber that had struck the beach after Hern reached the shore discovered the strange object at his feet. It was a monster snake, as large around as a man's leg, more than five feet in length, and weighed about twelve pounds.

It was carefully inspected by the captain and crew of the station, and all insist that never in their lives have they seen anything resembling it, and they stoutly maintain that it is not a genuine sea serpent, it is at least first cousin to that famous creature. The snake, or whatever it may be, was dead when thrown upon the beach.

SUSSEX NEWS.

SUSSEX, N. B., May 12.—Jas. Griffin, a respected farmer, died here this afternoon at the age of 84 years. He was twice married and leaves a wife and four children. Deceased was an elder of the Sussex Presbyterian Church for a number of years. The funeral will be on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock; interment at Kirk Hill cemetery. Rev. Frank Baird will conduct the services.

Edwin Fairweather, aged 53 years, died very suddenly at his home here today, after an illness of only a few days. He leaves besides his wife, one daughter, Blanche, who is in Boston, and one son, Douglas, at home. He was a carpenter and builder, which occupation he followed successfully for about 30 years. He was a prominent Mason and one of the oldest members of the lodge. The funeral will take place on Thursday at 3.30 p. m., from his late residence; interment at Kirk Hill cemetery. The Masons will attend the funeral in a body.

Mrs. Robert Moran is dangerously ill with heart trouble and dropsy.

LOST HIS LIFE.

HALIFAX, N. S., May 12.—Sydney Kelly and Geo. Anderson, two young men of Dalhousie, N. S., were drowned at Bridgetown this afternoon while engaged in stream driving. Anderson first fell in the water and as he was unable to swim, Kelly plunged in to rescue him, but lost his life in the attempt and failed to render any assistance to his comrade. Kelly leaves a wife and one child. Anderson was a single man.

## VICTORIOUS.

## British Win Hard Fought Battles in Nigeria.

## And Add a Hundred Thousand Miles of Territory to British Empire.

LONDON, May 12.—Colonial Secretary Chamberlain announced in the house of commons today that as a result of the British military operations in the Sokoto and Kano districts, ending with the capture of the Emir of Kano, 100,000 square miles of territory had been added to Northern Nigeria, and would be administered by the government of that territory.

LONDON, May 12.—Interesting details have been received here of the capture of Sokoto March 14 by the British column commanded by Col. Morland. The engagement lasted two and a half hours. The British numbered about 800 men, with four quick-firing guns and four Maxim's. The enemy's horse and foot were estimated to number some six thousand men, their riflemen being armed with modern rifles and using smokeless powder. The British camped during the night of March 13 a mile and a half from Sokoto, after a hard march of 100 miles from Kaura, with but little water and having passed through a difficult country. At daybreak, March 14, the British moved out in square formation towards the valley in which Sokoto lies. Immediately after the British appeared over a ridge, the Fulanis charged with fanatical bravery, under a withering Maxim and rifle fire. They had no proper leadership, but the isolated bands continued to advance over heaps of dead and dying, often only individuals reaching within a yard of the square, where, refusing quarter, they were shot down while shouting "Allah" with their last breath.

The main body of the natives was finally routed, leaving a remnant of about thirty chiefs around the Emir's great white flag. These chiefs were defiant to the last and their corpses were found heaped in the standard when the British entered the city, which consisted mostly of thatched houses. Its semi-ruined walls extended seven miles round the place and were pierced by eight gates.

A few days later the populace returned and the Fulanis tendered their submission to Commissioner Lugard, who arrived March 19 and installed a new Emir. The British then retired towards the coast, leaving a garrison of two companies of infantry.

44 BRITISH DEFEAT \$300.

The British expedition in Kano, West Africa, has won a brilliant victory. In a message dated Kaura, March 2, Reuters' correspondent furnished the following account of the Sokoto fighting: After an anxious march over waterless country the force from Kano under General Kemball has arrived at this place, 100 miles from Sokoto. The force has been greatly reduced in strength by sickness and by the necessity of leaving garrisons en route, so that the army now consists of less than 600 men, with four Maxim's and three guns. The difficulties of transport are immense, as the force has with over 1,000 carriages. Some idea of the difficulties can be formed by the fact that, according to native reports, the Emir of Kano lost nearly 800 men of thirst while fleeing over this country towards Sokoto. The great event of the march has been the brilliant engagement between a small patrol of mounted infantry, under Lieut. Wright and Wells, and the entire Kano army, consisting of 1,200 horse and 2,000 foot who were utterly routed. Ten days after leaving Kano General Kemball received intelligence that the main Kano army was in the neighborhood, and he at once took steps to entice the safety of his now diminished force, and, if possible, to capture the Kano chiefs. The news of the proximity of the fugitive Emir came into camp just as the force arrived after a waterless march of 27 miles and were thoroughly exhausted. On the previous day General Kemball had despatched a patrol of mounted infantry, consisting of 44 men under Lieut. Wright and Wells, to a place called Kokoroshi, a few miles distant, to learn news of the Emir of Kano.

At the conclusion of the hard march of 27 miles, Gen. Kemball, hearing that the Kano army had that morning marched in the direction to which the patrol had gone, at once sent Col. Morland to despatch a strong patrol under Capt. Porter with doctors, stretchers, etc., to get news of Lieut. Wright's party. Capt. Porter's force consisted of only that day came in after a brilliant march of 61 miles in 30 hours, but, selecting his fittest horses, Capt. Porter started off again in search of Lieut. Wright. The latter's patrol for two days after leaving the main column had been following a man's footmarks in the unfrequented track and on arriving at Kokoroshi, Lieut. Wright asked the local chief what those marks meant. At this moment a vedette galloped in to say that the Kano army was approaching. Lieut. Wright had barely time to mount when 50 horses and 200 footmen appeared. Instantly forming up his men he charged the enemy, who bolted with the loss of 90 killed. The patrol which was only saved from annihilation by its steady dismounted fire, halted at a village for the night.

At the next morning Lieut. Wright advanced very cautiously in square formation, hugging the thickest bush. Soon the enemy appeared in great strength, and the patrol were dismounted and formed in square, prisoners, carriers and horses, being in the centre, the enemy's densest thorns he could find. Lieut. Wright formed a serebia, placing his 44 carbines at three paces interval. Ten times in succession the enemy's cavalry charged, but each time they were within three yards of the square, and firing revolvers point blank at the defenders, who were only saved by the fact that the Fulanis' horses reared and plunged at the thorns and continuous fire, until they and their riders fell. The fight lasted two hours and during this time so fierce was the conflict that no

less than 200 of the enemy was killed. Sixty-five of the horses were killed around the square, among them being 11 of the Emir's principal chiefs and warriors. The British loss was only one man hit and three horses killed. Lieut. Wright would have pursued the rest of the enemy, but by this time he had only 50 rounds of ammunition left. He, therefore, camped on the scene of the fight. While the Kano army was retreating it was met by the other mounted infantry patrol, under Capt. Porter, who with his 25 men, gallantly charged into the midst of the enemy, who broke and fled, leaving ten dead.

The exploit of the mounted infantry was a brilliant one, a reconnoitring patrol of 44 men in less than two hours having stopped and defeated an army of over 3,000 horse and foot.

LATE SHIP NEWS.

Domestic Ports.

HALIFAX, May 12.—Arr. str. Ulmsh, from Liverpool via St. John, N.B.; Bala, from Jamaica, Turks Island and Bermuda; bark Emigrant, from Bermuda.

81d, str. Glenora, Drake, for St. John, N.F.; Gulf of Venice, Cook, for Havre and London.

Foreign Ports.

LIVERPOOL, May 12.—81d, bark August, for London.

SCHELLY, May 12.—Passed, str. Drottning Sophia, from Sydney, CB, for Stockholm.

INVERARUE, May 12.—Passed, str. Inverarue, from St. John for Glasgow.

MARYPORT, May 12.—81d, str. Main Head, for Montreal.

BARRYPORT, May 12.—81d, str. Ashanti, for Montreal.

TYNE, May 12.—81d, str. Stord, for Montreal.

BRISTOL, May 12.—81d, str. Yola, for Montreal.

TROON, May 12.—81d, str. Pallas, for Miramichi.

Foreign Ports.

BOSTON, May 12.—Arr. str. Mora, from Louisbourg, CB; str. Annie M. Allen, from Philadelphia.

81d, str. Boston, for Yarmouth, N.S.

VINEYARD HAVEN, May 12.—Arr. and 81d, str. L. Plummer, from Philadelphia for Boston.

ND, for orders.

Passed, str. Wm. Marshall, from Hillsboro, N.B. for New Brunswick; L. N. Parker, from St. John for New Haven.

BARTFORD, Me., May 12.—Arr. str. S. L. Bala, from New York via St. John, N.B.

PORTLAND, Me., May 12.—Arr. str. State of Maine, from St. John, and sailed for Boston; str. Genesee, from Thorne's Cove for Boston; Gold Hunter, from Boston.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Arr. str. R. D. Spear, from South Amboy.

81d, bark Ethel; str. Ben. Russell, from Bogue Island; M. J. Taylor, from Perth Amboy, for Charlottetown.

FERNANDEZ, May 12.—81d, bark Hardi, for Boston.

PERTHE AMBOY, May 12.—81d, bark Palomouth, for St. John; str. H. D. Spear, for Boston.

CITY ISLAND, May 12.—Bound south, str. Ida May, from New York via St. John, N.B. for New Brunswick.

FLADDA, May 12.—Arr. bark Acadia, from Glasgow for Gulf of St. Lawrence.

TRAFALGAR, April 28.—81d, bark Maria, for Glasgow.

ARENDAL, May 7.—81d, bark Prudhoe, to Miramichi, N.B.

SWANSEA, May 12.—81d, bark Romano, for Miramichi.

BASE BALL.

National League Games Yesterday.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 3; Pittsburgh, 8.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 8; Chicago, 6.

At Boston—Boston, 8; New York, 1.

American League Games Yesterday.

At Detroit—Detroit, 8; New York, 4.

At Cleveland—Cleveland, 8; Boston, 18.

At St. Louis—St. Louis, 13; Washington, 2 (called in 8th inn.).

At Chicago—Chicago, 8; Philadelphia, 3 (19 innings).

Other Games.

At Lawrence—Lawrence, 13; Fall River, 4.

At Montreal—Montreal, 1; Haverhill, 8.

At Concord—Concord, 6; Lowell, 8.

At Philadelphia—Brown, 4; University of Pennsylvania, 6.

At Jersey City—Jersey City, 1; Providence, 8.

At Toronto—Toronto, 7; Rochester, 1.

At Newark—Newark, 8; Worcester, 7.

At Williamstown—Williamstown, 10; Cornell, 8.

At Buffalo—Buffalo, 8; Baltimore, 8.

Local Games.

The Nationals of the north end defeated the Gallop Blacks of south end on the Y. M. C. A. ground last evening by a score of 9 to 6. Batteries: Nationals, Martin Day and Frank Doherty; Blacks, Wm. Burns and Wm. Richey. The Nationals had four home runs.

THE RING.

BOSTON, May 12.—Hughes McGovern, a brother of Terry McGovern, fought a 15 round draw with Griff Jones of Philadelphia before the Criterion Club. It was a stiff set-to. Tom Daly of Brooklyn put out Joe Leroys of Philadelphia in four outs.

NO SUNDAY WORK.

If the latest movement of the St. John ship laborers results in anything the winter port shipping men will be confronted with another difficulty next season.

In common with most other ports having a big shipping trade, it has been the custom in St. John for the unloading of steamers—to which long time means a good deal—to progress on Sunday as well as work days during the rush of the busy season. For this work the laborers received largely increased pay.

The local branch of the Lord's Day Alliance have protested against the procedure and made efforts to have it discontinued. Now aid is called in from outside, and it is possible that the result of the increased effort may be a discontinuance of such work.

A short time ago the leaders of the Ship Laborers' Union and the Ship Laborers' Rev. Mr. Shearer of Toronto, one of the leading members of the Lord's Day Alliance, requesting their co-operation in the abolition of Sunday work. A number of members of both bodies met in Berryman's hall last night, and while the meeting was in progress a definite decision was arrived at. It is understood that a majority of those present were strongly in favor of the movement. Rev. Mr. Shearer will come to St. John in the near future, when the matter will be fully discussed, and according to the opinion of some of the leading labor men, it is probable that a decision will be made against Sunday labor.

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## A PLEASURE TRIP.

The New Tug Kitchener Took a Jovial Party Up River Yesterday.

A large number of prominent business men enjoyed a trip up river yesterday on the new tug Lord Kitchener, the guests of the well known and popular manager, John E. Moore. Among those in the party were: Inspectors of hulls and machinery Olive and Waring, Wm. H. Murray, J. M. MacKay, W. E. Stavert, Chas. Miller, A. P. Barnhill, D. Tapley, H. Miller, Rupert Haley, Geo. McKean, F. J. Miles, J. T. Knight, Geo. Barnhill, John H. Thomson and C. McDonald. It was a delightful day and the fast going tug took about an hour to reach the mouth of the river.

Here an excellent dinner was partaken of at Capt. Belyea's hospitable place. The Kitchener then proceeded up as far as John O. Vanwar's. She returned to Indian town about 7 o'clock. The gentlemen who had the pleasure of enjoying the sail speak in the highest terms of the steamer's ability to steam, of her capaciousness, and of the way in which they were used.

BOSTON IS GROWING.

BOSTON, May 12.—The registration of male residents of Boston over 20 years of age, which for the first time in the history of the city has been accomplished this year under the direction of the police department, was announced tonight, and shows an increase of 7,995 names over the list made up last year by the assistant



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SIX WHOLE DAYS.

MADAME CLARY.

Through the efforts of the Young

Men's Association of Portland Metho-

dist church, Madame Clary, the famous

singer, will be heard in the church on

the evening of June 4.

## THE WEATHER.

Highest temperature, 52; lowest tem-

perature, 42; barometer at noon, 30.1

inches, wind south, velocity 14 miles

per hour. Fine.

Forecast.—Moderate, southwesterly

winds and fair. Thursday, moderate

southwesterly winds, fair and warm.

Synopsis.—The weather continues fine

in all parts of the Dominion, except

near Lake Superior, where it is cool

and showery. To American ports and

also to the Banks, moderate south to

west winds, the today and Thursday.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Battle line S. S. Pydn, Capt.

Crossley, sailed today from Cardiff for

Hopewell Cape.

The bark Katalah, Capt. Roberts,

sailed from West Bay for Sharpness on

the 9th, not as previously reported.

Pinkney, an outsider, who has been

signed by the Alerts for the coming

season, arrived in the city last even-

ing. Several other of the Alerts' play-

ers are expected in a day or so.

There must have been something in

the air last evening which prompted

people to raise trouble. The police act-

ed as peacekeepers on three different

occasions. One of these family dis-

turbances took place on Bridge street,

another on Bridge and the third on

Sheriff street.

On Tuesday evening next a concert

will be held in Exmouth Street Metho-

dist Sunday school for which some of

the best talent available has been se-

lected. Mrs. (Dr.) Chaurah, formerly of

Montreal and now of Westfield, will

sing, and there will also appear many

of St. John's favorite performers.

His many friends will regret to learn

that Wellington L. Hamm, manager of

the Maritime Spice and Coffee Co., met

with a painful accident a few days ago.

In some way Mr. Hamm injured the

muscles of his leg and will be unable

to walk for some time. He is, howev-

er, able to attend to his business, being

driven to his office daily.

NEW WATER MAIN.

The first few joints of the new Ger-

main street water main have just been

put down. This work was started at

the crossing of Germain and King

streets just below where the connection

with the King street main is to be

made, and it will be continued along

Germain in both directions to Duke

street on the south and Union street on

the north. A twelve inch pipe is be-

ing put down.

The workmen are at some disadvan-

tage in this job, as owing to the heavy

traffic on King street the work must

be confined to the smallest possible

space.

"TION."

Save your night at the Opera House

for the grand concert and series of

various scenes under the direction of

the non-coms. of the 52nd Regiment on

the 20th. There will be fancy drills, splen-

d musical and literary numbers. Col.

Sturdee has kindly consented to allow

the band to play a choice programme.

It has only recently received its new

set of instruments. This will be re-

ndered, and a first class evening's en-

joyment generally. All members of

militia in the city and those attending

from regiments outside of the city are

requested to attend in uniform.

A DOG FIGHT.

There was fun in the country market

yesterday when a number of dogs,

which should never have been inside

the building, started in to eat each

other. Their owners, Michael Haynes,

Thomas McDonald, John Henderson

and Lawrence McGrath, have been re-

ported by Market Clerk W. H. Dun-

ham, and the case will be heard in

police court this afternoon.

A SAD CASE.

Yesterday afternoon a rather sad

case was seen at the depot when a pa-

tient from up the line was brought to

the city for admission to the insane

asylum. He was a fine specimen of

manhood, well built and very intelli-

gent looking, but his case was evident-

ly a bad one, as his arms were tightly

bound and he was closely watched by

two attendants.

THIS EVENING.

Hoyle's A Bunch of Keys at the

Opera House.

Meeting of the Fabian League in

Berryman's Hall.

Meeting of the Board of Trade and

teamsters at 7.30 o'clock.

Meeting of Trinity Preceptory, R. B.

K., in Orange Hall, Germain Street.

A SICK HORSE.

A short time ago a new horse was

purchased for the fire department and

the nasty thing at once went and got

sick. He is at present in hospital at

No. 3 station, and no use either to him-

self or the fire department. The

trouble is a running at the nose, a dis-

ease with some scientific name, but he

is being brought round all right.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

The Royal Arcanum has moved their

quarters from the Knights of Pythias

hall to the Forester's hall. Last even-

ing they occupied their new quarters

for the first time, when a very pleasant

and successful smoker was held. The

Royal Arcanum meets on the second

and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

GOES ON THE ROAD.

Harold E. C. Sturdee, at present of

the C. P. R. staff, has accepted a posi-

tion with the Ogilvie Milling Company

as traveller for them through the mar-

itime provinces. Mr. Sturdee's new

position is a good one, and his many

friends are pleased to learn of his suc-

cess. He has for the past five years

been connected with the C. P. R. freight

department, but will sever his connec-

tion on the first of June.

CARLETON'S BIG TIME.

It is expected that there will be a big

audience at the West End City hall on

Friday night, when the Carleton people

propose to discuss the ferry service.

They are determined that they shall

have better communication with the

city, and will handle the matter with-

out gloves.

"STACK" IN GOOD FORM.

Stackpole shut out Lawrence, Fri-

day, Haverhill winning 10 to 0. Klob-

dans pitched for Lawrence. Stackpole

held Lawrence down to five hits, and

his team gave him faithful support.

## DEVINE COMMITTED.

Nine Witnesses Were Examined—

No New Evidence.

In the police court this morning the

preliminary examination of Peter De-

vine on the charge of assault, causing

the death of John Mangin, at Mus-

quash, on April 21st, was held. The

evidence taken was practically the

same as that brought out at the coron-

er's inquest, no new points of any im-

portance being heard. Daniel Mullin

appeared for Devine.

In all, nine witnesses, who had previ-

ously appeared at the inquest, were ex-

amined. Elsie Clinch had seen Mangin

drunk and chasing Henry Devine. She

next saw the former lying on the road

and Henry Devine with a foot on him.

She was not sure who put Mangin in

the ditch.

Dr. Macaulay described the condition

of Mangin's body, which he viewed at

Musquash on April 21st. He said that

death was caused by dislocation of the

neck and this could be sustained by a