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ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, MAY 28, 1903.

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A NEW BUILDING.

Plans have been prepared and tenders called for the new building to be built and occupied by the new paper which will be started in this city in the near future. The building will be erected between the Telegraph office and the old Progress building. It will have a frontage of forty feet and a depth of sixty feet, and will be L-shaped, a wing being built in the rear of the Telegraph building. The building will be five stories in height, and tenders for it close on Saturday next.

THE ROLLING MILLS.

The Portland Rolling Mills have during the past few weeks begun the manufacture of a new variety of rolled steel, which promises to be one of the important branches of the work. Special rolls have been put in and now large quantities of five pound tire steel

for use on carriages to which rubber tires are fitted, are being turned out. This steel is so far being rolled for a large concern in Upper Canada and has been found perfectly satisfactory. The market for it is good and the rolling mills are turning out ten carloads on the first order.

A NUISANCE.

Residents of Celebration street are loud in their complaint about a nuisance which has been neglected by the water and sewerage department for some time. Four or five weeks ago the sewer burst and the sewage has soaked up through the earth to the surface. The whole side of the street is now saturated and creates a nuisance about which many complaints have been made. The matter has been reported several times to the board of health but as yet nothing has been done.

St. John, N. B., May 28, 1903.

New Striped Suits, \$6.00

Among the goods we opened yesterday were twenty very pretty Striped Suits, sizes 36 to 42, grey effect, the very newest thing. These we have marked at the ridiculously low price of \$6.00. The appearance in make, fit and finish is equal to anything you have seen at \$10.00. Call and see.

This Special \$6.00 Suit.

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100 Union Street, Sporn House Block.

THE BIG YACHTS.

Lipton's Flotilla Sailed Today for Sandy Hook.

The Reliance, Constitution and Columbia Out Today for Their Fourth Race

GOUROCK, Scotland, 28.—Sir Thomas Lipton's flotilla, consisting of the Shamrock III, the Shamrock V, the steam yacht Erin and the ocean tug Cruiser, whose combined crews number 170 men, sailed from here for Sandy Hook at one o'clock this afternoon. Great crowds of people bade them farewell, flags were everywhere displayed and bands, whistles and sirens combined with the cheering of the spectators to give the cup challenger a great send-off.

MATINICOCK POINT, May 28.—It was dull and lowering when the crews of the cup yachts, Reliance, Constitution and Columbia came on deck this morning to prepare for the fourth race over the Glen Cove course, but half a gale was blowing out of the south-south-west, and there was every indication of some grand sport.

It looked early this morning as if the yachts would have another contest over the same course as was sailed on Tuesday. It was hoped, however, that the breeze today would change more to the westward so that the yachts might have a longer trial in the wind as the narrow confines of the sound prevents much windward work in southerly or northerly breezes. The men boarded the yachts about 8 o'clock, when they began to get up the big mainsails.

STEAMERS COLLIDE.

One Sinks and Fifteen to Twenty Lives Are Lost.

ANTWERP, Belgium, May 27.—The British steamer Huddersfield, Captain Hamon, which sailed from this port yesterday evening for Grimsby, England, collided with the Norwegian steamer Uto. The Huddersfield went down. From fifteen to twenty of her passengers, mostly seamen returning to England, it is believed, were crushed in the collision. The bows of the Uto were damaged.

The survivors of the Huddersfield's passengers and crew were picked up by the Uto, which landed them here. The survivors say the disaster occurred while asleep in their berths. The collision was so sudden that there was no time to launch the Huddersfield's boats. The disaster is attributed to the electric lights of a dredge anchored in mid river, which dazzled the pilots of the colliding steamers, who were thus unable to see the danger of collision in time to avert the crash.

The Uto was wrecked on the pier by the Huddersfield, whose immigrants were asleep in the forecabin.

EXCHEQUER COURT.

Two Important Cases Under Consideration Today.

In the exchequer court this morning in the case of Wm. E. Vroom, trustee of the E. I. Simonds estate v. the King, P. S. Archibald, ex-chief engineer of the I. C. R., brought here on the suggestion of the judge to act as an independent expert, R. H. Cushing, C. E., an expert called by the crown, and Hurd Peters, C. E., an expert called by the defendant, to examine the rolling mill and adjoining property and take soundings and leads, etc., received their instructions and are to report to the court in a few days.

The case of the St. John Terminal Railway Co. v. the King, was resumed and a cross examination of the owners commenced. Attorney General Pugsley made the stand all morning. The case is being continued this afternoon. This is a suit growing out of the Long wharf property, so called, for railway improvements at the head of the harbor. The company, it will be remembered, offered the property to the government in 1888 for a certain sum of money, being at that time \$100,000. The government instead of accepting the offer of the company, expropriated the property in August, 1889, and appointed valuers early in 1890 to ascertain its value. The company in 1888 filed a petition to have the value of the property determined through the exchequer court, but the government did not grant it. The valuers found the property to be worth \$115,000. The government paid the company \$87,500, and the present suit is to recover the amount of \$27,500, and the additional sum of \$10,000 with interest, being the finding of the valuers over and above \$100,000. Mr. Justice McLeod, Dr. A. A. Stockton, K. C., and Attorney General Pugsley, K. C., who are the chief owners gave evidence yesterday. Mr. H. McAlpine, K. C., solicitor for the crown; W. A. Ewing, solicitor for the plaintiffs, with Attorney General Pugsley and Dr. Stockton, parties interested, as counsel.

ON THEIR WAY HOME.

W. E. Earle and Mrs. Earle, who have been on an extended visit to Africa, are now on their way home, and were last heard from in Austria. They left Durban, as the last point of departure in Africa, and went by the Red Sea and the Mediterranean, visiting in Italy and Switzerland.

While in Africa Mr. Earle spent a good deal of time in procuring information regarding the possible development of trade between that country and Canada.

THE ST. LOUIS FAIR.

A movement is on foot among the different departments and associations in Canada to establish an information bureau at the Louisiana Exposition in 1904, which will advertise Canada and assist in the bringing of tourists to this country. It is estimated that between 8,000,000 and 10,000,000 people will visit the exposition and this means of bringing Canada to notice should be productive of good results. The St. John Tourist Association is ready to give any assistance possible to the undertaking.

COUNTY COURT.

The Little Case Was Disposed of Today.

And the Devine Case Will Be Taken up Tomorrow—Yesterday's Proceedings.

Yesterday afternoon the case of the King v. Lockhart was first tried. The charge was assault upon Police-man Lawson of Fairville. The accused on advice of his counsel, Daniel Mullin, K. C., pleaded guilty, and was allowed to go on his own recognizance in \$1,000. He came up for sentence when called upon.

In the case of the King v. Hanlon, the accused pleaded not guilty to the same charge as brought against Lockhart, and defended himself. The witnesses examined were Robert Lawson, Walter Scott, W. J. Reed, John Crawford and Hanlon himself. He was acquitted.

In the case of the King v. John Paulin, the prisoner pleaded not guilty to the charge of stabbing Louis Staples and Alfred Petrie. He was defended by Daniel Mullin, K. C. The witnesses examined were: Louis Staples, Alfred Petrie, T. C. Morris, M. D., Sergt. Kilpatrick, Wm. Connolly, Geo. Paulin, Geo. Carey and John Grant. The jury returned a verdict of guilty.

At this morning's session the case against William Little was taken up. After a jury had been selected the court room was cleared and the evidence taken before only the officials. Four little girls, one of them colored, gave evidence against the prisoner which showed that he had acted improperly with them. They had evidently been in the habit of getting money from him and had gone into rooms in the market building. The prisoner made a statement in his own behalf and the solicitor-general for the crown, E. P. Raymond for the defence, and Judge Forbes briefly addressed the jury.

The jury returned a verdict of guilty without leaving the room. This afternoon any civil cases which may be ready will be taken up and tomorrow morning the charge against Peter Devine for manslaughter will be commenced. On Saturday, if John Keenan turns up, the stealing case against Lizzie McCordock, Kate Beers and Donald Anderson will be heard. If Keenan does not appear it will stand over till next court.

The prisoner will be sentenced at ten o'clock on Saturday.

MR. RYAN APOLOGIZED.

In the county court this morning, James Ryan, who failed to appear for duty on the grand jury, publicly apologized to Judge Forbes.

Mr. Ryan said that he had not said anything to the grand jury, but that he could not. He was in poor health and in addition to this felt unable to leave his business. He regretted the affair and explained that his failure to appear was not due to any want of respect.

Judge Forbes said that as he had also heard from Dr. Melvin regarding Mr. Ryan's health, the explanation would be quite satisfactory and Mr. Ryan excused.

LADY HENRY SOMERSET.

LONDON, May 28.—Lady Henry Somerset has retired from the presidency of the National British Woman's Temperance Association on account of her health.

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.
Sch. Lyra, 99, Evans, from Boston.
S. S. Leucata, 1449, Grant, from Kjoeg, via Rio.
Coastwise—S. S. Prince Rupert, 650, Poirer, from St. Louis, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

Sch. Maud Sore, 250, Haley, for Philadelphia with spruce, 1,150, 10.
Coastwise—Sch. Electric Light, 33, Bain, for Digby, N. S.; sch. Lone Star, Richardson, from North Head, N. B.; sch. Mildred, K. S. Thompson, from Westport.

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COMMERCIAL.

DAILY QUOTATIONS.

Furnished by W. H. Barber, Banker and Broker.

Yester.	To-day.	Op'n.	Cl's.	Op'n.	Cl's.
Amalgam Copper	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Ch. S. & P. 100	100	100	100	100	100
A. T. and S. P. 100	100	100	100	100	100
Can. Pac. 100	100	100	100	100	100
Gen. & E. 100	100	100	100	100	100
Manit. 100	100	100	100	100	100
N. W. 100	100	100	100	100	100
Reading 100	100	100	100	100	100
Southern Pac. 100	100	100	100	100	100
Union Pac. 100	100	100	100	100	100
U. S. Steel 100	100	100	100	100	100
Wabash 100	100	100	100	100	100

LONDON, May 28.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England has remained today at 5 1/2 per cent.

May 28.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve, decreased \$20,000; circulating medium, increased \$20,000; increased \$20,000; other securities increased \$20,000; public deposits increased \$20,000; reserve decreased \$20,000; government securities increased \$20,000; the proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to liability this week is 92.74 p. c. as compared with 91.2 p. c. last week.

STOCK MARKET.

WALL STREET, N. Y., May 28.—There was evidence of a renewal of liquidation in the opening dealings in stocks, causing fractional declines throughout the list. The weakness in London increased the selling pressure here. An animated copper dropped 1/2, and settling in National B. R. of Mexico fell, depressed that stock 1/4. Loans of about a point were secured by Rock Island and Leather and Union Pacific declined 1/4.

RUSSIAN JEWS.

Ringling Words by Ex-President Cleveland.

In Which He Scores the United States as Well as Russia.

Speaking last evening at a mass meeting of American citizens to protest against Russia's treatment of the Jews, Ex-President Cleveland, in the course of his speech said:

"I cannot refrain from the suggestion that the moral effect of our protest and the usefulness of this demonstration will not be lessened if we require indubitable proof before we accuse the government of Russia with guilt complicity in the crimes committed within her borders; and it seems to me we may well consider the proper relationship between nations before we demand the pronounced interference on the part of our government. I do not say that the Russian government may not, by sins of omission and commission, be justly deserving of our condemnation; but we should not be left to assume this when we remember that we ourselves have found it impossible to prevent mob violence and murder in Russia; but I hope that in obedience to the dictates of American conservatism and moderation which are never long obscured, we may be even now just and fair; and that we will be content to forego perplexing and extreme demands upon our government for violent action.

"In the meantime let the people of the United States, gathered together in local assemblies as this, in every part of the land, fearlessly speak to the civilized world, protesting against every pretense of civilization that permits medieval creed that forbids religious toleration and freedom of conscience, against all false enlightenment that excuses hatreds and cruelty towards any race of men, and against all spurious forms of government protection that withhold from any human being the right to live in safety and toll in peace."

TWO THOUSAND KILLED

By Terrible Earthquake on the Banks of the Euphrates.

Bagdad, May 28.—Ad- vices which reached here today from Asiatic Turkey show that a terrible earthquake occurred on April 23rd at Malagard, in the Vilayet of Van, eighty miles southeast of Erzurum, on the Euphrates. The town was totally destroyed with its entire population, numbering 2,000 souls, including 700 Armenians as well as the troops forming the garrison of Malagard. In addition to 400 houses in the neighborhood collapsed. A somewhat severe earthquake was felt here this morning but no damage was done.

WATER AND SEWERAGE.

Business transacted by the Board at Yesterday's Meeting.

The civic water and sewerage board met yesterday afternoon. Mr. S. H. Mayes appeared in a notice he had received concerning the Winslow street sewer. It was decided that all property owners on Winslow street, who do not connect their dwellings with the new sewer do so at once. The tender of the St. John Iron Works for special castings at 3 cents was accepted. Barnes & Co.'s tender for procuring the report of the engineer and superintendent was accepted. The board recommended that Albert Day's lot at Silver Falls be extended to northern margin of the pond, that he be permitted to pasture his cattle on the common and allowed the use of the new road, Day to allow the city to store sand on a portion of his property.

Hazen & Raymond notified the board that they have been instructed by Henry Shillington, of Silver Falls, to bring an action against the city for damages done to his property out there. A water pipe is to be run down to a point near the Sun oil works for the benefit of the bathhouse. The hydrant in Jardine's alley and the one at Furling's corner will be moved to better positions. A new service pipe is to be laid to White's restaurant. The chamberlain was ordered to make temporary arrangements to pay for the extension of the Rodney wharf water pipe. Charles McLaughlin was appointed to assist the clerk in the water office for a time. It was decided to change the foreman on the German street works now going on.

Engineer Murdoch was asked to make a full report to the sewers on the Simonds property at the head of the harbor. Aid. Millidge and Mr. Murdoch were asked to report upon the sewerage conditions at the corner of Ludlow and Rodney streets on the west side. Several other small matters were discussed.

POLITICAL CORRUPTION.

BALTIMORE, May 27.—The grand jury late today returned presentments against a number of election officials, including Charles H. Carter, Wm. F. Porter and James E. McClellan, comprising the board of election supervisors, on the charge of violating the election laws. The death is reported of Mrs. Mary A. Doyle, wife of Pilot James Doyle, which occurred last evening, at her home at 79 Broad street. Mrs. Doyle was sixty-one years of age and had been ill for only a short time. She leaves besides her husband, one son and four daughters.

HON. MR. BLAIR

Wants Grand Trunk Pacific to Reach Nearest Ocean Port.

Thinks Less of Line to Moncton Than Some Maritime Province Colleagues.

OTTAWA, May 28.—In the railway committee a clause was suggested for insertion in the Grand Trunk Pacific bill providing for the extension of the line from Quebec to Moncton. Hon. Mr. Blair stated that he did not consider the clause was as important as some of his maritime province colleagues thought. He wanted a clause to provide for a line to the nearest ocean port, and not to any particular point. He pointed out that Halifax was three hundred miles further away than St. John, and asked for careful consideration of the issue involved. The clause was held over until it could be drawn up as suggested, and will be considered on Tuesday together with the route which was not adopted. Considerable progress was made in the clauses of the bill, the bond issue of the company was adopted.

N. B. UNIVERSITY.

Meeting of the Alumni—Results of Examinations.

FREDERICTON, May 27.—The annual meeting of the alumni of the U. N. B. was held tonight, the president, J. D. Phinney, K. C., in the chair. Others present were Inspector Bridges, Dr. H. S. Bridges, Dr. Atherton, J. D. Hazen, O. S. Crockett, A. S. McFarlane, Rev. T. W. Street, Peter Hughes, Wm. Harrison, Dr. W. C. Crockett, B. C. Foster, Dr. Murray MacLaren, J. W. McCready, Dr. J. W. Bridges, George W. Merrett, Dr. Bailey, Dr. Scott, Prof. Brydson Jack, E. A. Mackay, John P. Jennings and Joseph Mills. The treasurer reported a balance of \$134.35 on hand.

The examination recommended the alumni medal for best Latin translation be awarded to A. Burton Logie, of Chatham, and the Brydson Jack memorial scholarship for proficiency in junior physics to R. C. Colwell, of Fredericton.

Officers were elected as follows: President—Dr. Murray MacLaren. Vice-presidents—B. C. Foster, Dr. Crockett and Geo. W. Merrett.

Secretary-treasurer—H. V. B. Bridges. Council—Dr. Atherton, J. D. Hazen, Dr. H. S. Bridges, Dr. Thos. Walker, A. S. McFarlane, Rev. W. O. Raymond and Prof. Jack.

Representatives to senate—Judge Barker and H. V. B. Bridges. The following were elected members: P. E. Chiff, Dr. E. S. Barker, F. L. Daye, Chester Martin, E. S. Weyman, J. A. Legere and Frank N. Patterson.

W. N. B. RESULTS.

The following results of the honor and distinction examinations were posted at the university this afternoon: B. A., with honors, classics, div. 1—Lawson, McLean.

Mathematics and mathematical physics, div. 1—Miss Carruthers, Freese, Patterson.

Experimental physics and chemistry, div. 1—Linden, Shirley.

Natural science and chemistry, div. 1—Freese, Loggie, Oulton, Peters.

Distinction, experimental physics, div. 1—Loggie.

Natural science, div. 1—Miss Edgecombe, Firth, Miss Kinney, Patterson.

Economics, div. 1—Barbour, Lewin.

English, div. 1—Miss Balloch.

In course B. A. first division—Miss Balloch, Harbour, Miss Edgecombe, Firth, Miss Kinney, Lewin, Rideout, Miss Vince; 2nd div., Miss DeBoo, Shea; 3rd div., Alward.

B. S. C.—J. H. Thomas.

B. A. C.—J. H. Thomas, Wilson; div. 2, Baskin; div. 3, Thomas.

D. W. Hamilton for M. A.

Douglas gold medal—Miss Ina F. Merrett.

Governor-general's gold medal, mathematics and mathematical physics—Ralph St. John Freese.

Ketchum silver medal, engineering—John W. McManus.

Prof. E. Brydson Jack's book prize for summer thesis—Senior, W. G. Baskin; Junior, A. K. Grimmer; sophomore, C. McN. Steeves.

The graduating class numbers twenty-five.

BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Catherine A. Carroll was held at half past two o'clock today at the home of her late home, 117 Brussels street, to the Cathedral. Rev. H. D. Cormier conducted service and the body was interred in the new Catholic burying ground.

This afternoon at half past two o'clock the funeral of the late Mrs. Eliza M. Rowe was held from her late home, 112 Pitt street. Rev. G. R. E. MacDonald officiated and interment was in Fernhill.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Jacob Shampier was held this afternoon from her late residence, 248 Guilford street, Carleton. Rev. E. N. Nobles conducted service at two o'clock, and at half past two the funeral took place to Cedar Hill. Some beautiful floral tributes were sent by friends of the deceased.

The funeral of George Connors took place at half past three o'clock this afternoon from his late residence on Watson street, Carleton. Rev. G. F. Scoville officiated and interment was made in Cedar Hill.

THE ASYLUM SUPERINTENDENT.

Dr. J. Mackenzie, who now holds the position of assistant superintendent of the Halifax asylum, was in this city during the earlier part of the week, and is understood to be an applicant for the position.

New Hats

We have just received a shipment of the new Brown Hat that will be so popular this summer—a neat, dressy style for young men.

Furs stored, insured against moths and fire. Charges small.

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Remember, we are practical shoemakers, and any work entrusted to our care will be done in first-class manner.

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

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

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—At 117 Willett Row. Cheap rent. Apply on premises.

TO LET OR FOR SALE—Self-contained house, 13 Westwood street. All modern conveniences. Apply to J. H. HITCHIE, New Brunswick Hotel.

TO LET—Two nice rooms, well furnished, on middle floor, with board. MRS. L. NELSON, 40 Leinster, corner Carleton.

TO LET—From 1st May next that very comfortable, self-contained dwelling house, now occupied by George H. Horton, Esq., No. 140 Gormley street, corner Horsfield, containing 8 rooms, bath room, hot and cold water, etc. Can be seen on Wednesday and Saturday afternoon. Apply to W. TREMAYNE GARD, 48 King street.

HELP WANTED, MALE.

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

WANTED—A young compositor, a boy, who has had about three years experience. Apply at SUN OFFICE.

WANTED—A First Class Barber. Apply at once to G. M. GIBBS, Victoria Hotel Barber Shop.

GENERAL AGENTS WANTED in each town for special accident, sickness, identification policies and general insurance business. Liberal terms to reliable men. Write Box 70, Montreal.

HELP WANTED, FEMALE.

WANTED at once, a paint maker. Steady work guaranteed. D. & J. PATRICKSON.

WANTED—Paint Makers. Steady work at A. R. CAMPBELL & SON, 41 Gormley street.

WANTED—A good capable girl to whom good wages will be paid. Apply to G. H. WATERBURY, 220 King street.

WANTED.

WANTED—Three young men with 3 to 4 years experience in the retail dry goods business. Apply at once to ROBERTSON, TRITES & CO.

WANTED—A Blacksmiths Helper, steady employment. Apply to JAMES ELLIOTT, 21 and 23 Nelson street.

WANTED—At once, steam drivers for the Muncie River. Apply Monday morning to DAVID CONNELL, Waterloo street, St. John.

WANTED—By a young lady, a position as stenographer. Has had several years experience, and can furnish first-class references. Address A. B. C., care STAR Office.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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

The subscriber wishes to inform Sunday school, officials of societies, tourists and the public generally that his grounds at Crystal Beach, better known as "Day's Landing," are ready for engagement for picnic and private parties. A new wharf has been built, at which steamboats can land. It is provided with all modern conveniences, and is one of the best equipped landing places on the St. John river. Terms reasonable. Address JAS. J. DAY, Land's End, Kings Co., N. B.

REMOVAL NOTICE—Removed to 105 Princess street, third store from Charlotte street, only agency for the Domestic and New Home Sewing Machines, Needles, Oil and Parts, or Repairs. Headquarters for Edison Phonographs and Records. Call and save the commission paid to agents. WILLIAM CRAWFORD, 105 Princess street, opposite the White Star.

NOTICE.

ERYSIPELAS, Eczema, Salt-Rheum, Pimples and Eruptions on the face, itching Skin Diseases quickly cured with

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For sale by all wholesale and retail druggists.

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FOR SALE—Restaurant business. Central location, first-class trade. Address X, care STAR OFFICE.

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

FOR SALE—One 1 1/2 in. Pine Door, 6 ft. 6 in. by 3 ft. 8 in., with 2 glass panels. Apply Sun Printing Co., St. John.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A quantity of revolver or rifle ammunition. No. 46 Colts. Apply to CRACK SHOT, Star office.

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

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

FOR SALE—A Metal Furnace, capacity about 500 pounds. It has a fire brick lining, with smoke and ventilating pipes complete. Apply Sun Printing Company, St. John.

BIRTHS.

MARCH—To Mr. and Mrs. Ralph A. March, a daughter.

HENRY—On May 26, to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Henry, a son.

MARRIAGES.

FIARS-HAYWARD—At the Baptist parsonage, Sussex, on May 26, by Rev. W. Camp, Milton Wesley Fiars of the parish of Sussex to Miss Della Hayward of the parish of Cardwell, both of Kings Co.

EAGLES-ARTES—At the Free Baptist parsonage, Victoria street, on May 25, by Rev. David Long, P. Jordan Eagles, of St. John, to Virginia E. Artes, of Gladstone, Sunbury Co.

BARLAND-MOUNTAIN—At Springfield, N. B., May 25, by Rev. H. G. Kestabrook, Wellington Gardner, formerly of Elgin, N. B., to Miss Phoebe Mountain, of Springfield, N. B.

DEATHS.

ELLIOTT—At the General Public Hospital on the 25th inst., Albert E. Elliott, aged 28 years, son of the late William and Margaret Elliott.
Funeral tomorrow (Friday) at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of his brother, 103 Portland street. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

ROWE—In this city, on the 26th inst., Eliza M. Rowe, third daughter of the late Robt. Rowe, of Bilboe, County of Westford, Ireland, in the 91st year of her age. (Peterborough and Toronto papers please copy.)
Funeral from her late residence, 112 Pitt street, on Thursday at 2:30 p. m.

MCANDREY—At Fredericton, on the 27th inst., of pneumonia, Annie, beloved wife of James McAndrey, leaving a husband and two children to mourn their loss.
(Globe please copy.)
Funeral Friday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. from 230 Beauséjour street.

PATERSON—In this city on May 25th, Elizabeth A., wife of David Paterason and daughter of the late George Nixon, leaving a husband and five children to mourn their loss.
Funeral on Saturday at 2:30 o'clock from her late residence, 15 Castle street.

WARREN—At Crouville, May 27th, William J. Warren, aged 83 years and 2 months, leaving three sons and three daughters to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate father.
Funeral on Sunday at half-past two from his daughter's residence, Mrs. Henry Hopkins, Crouville. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.
Checkers leave New Square at 2 o'clock. Boston and Lynn papers please copy.

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GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC.

The president of the Grand Trunk and the party accompanying him on his western trip were in Winnipeg on Saturday last. One of the directors, Alfred W. Smithers, was interviewed by the Winnipeg Telegram, and said that he believed General Manager Hays had answered the question of the liberal members for the maritime provinces relative to an extension to Montreal.

"As a matter of fact," added Mr. Smithers, "we have decided to apply for powers to extend to Moncton."

This announcement is of course interesting, but there is a vast difference between asking power to do a thing and actually carrying on the work. What must be insisted on is that the company, if it is to receive any federal aid, must make its terminal winter port in the maritime provinces. Nobody pretends to believe that the Grand Trunk would carry its traffic to any other port than Portland if it were not bound by agreement to do so. The assurance given by Sir Wilfrid Laurier is not binding on the Grand Trunk. The company must be made to speak for itself—in black and white.

WHAT ST. JOHN ASKS.

St. John has informed its representatives in parliament in a very emphatic way of what it demands in connection with the granting of federal aid to any trans-continental railway. The following petition, signed by citizens of all shades of politics, has been sent to Hon. Mr. Blair and Col. Tucker, M. P.: "We the undersigned electors of St. John feel that the extension of the proposed Grand Trunk Railway system to a winter port in Canada is a matter of the first importance to this city and to the Dominion generally. We desire to assure you of our hearty support in every effort you may make to secure for Canadian ports the whole of the export and import traffic, summer and winter, by this project. As the only Canadian winter ports are situated in the maritime provinces, we urge you to resist, by all possible means, any proposition to subsidize the above mentioned railway or any other trans-continental system which does not make its eastern terminus in the maritime provinces."

QUALITY OF IMMIGRANTS.

Although there is much complaint in the United States about the quality of the immigration to that country from Europe, it is perfectly clear that our neighbors are more careful than ourselves in this respect. We have had illustrations of the fact in St. John, even during the last year, and the following story from a Winnipeg paper shows that the same rule applies in the west. Canada is actually suffering as a result of the greater vigilance exercised by American officers. The Winnipeg paper says:

Local records would indicate that the Dominion government is out a good deal of money to shipping agents for immigrants who travel by way of Winnipeg to the United States. During the last three months upwards of 1,100 newly arrived from Europe have been applied to the local American board of inspection for permission to cross the boundary, but of this number only about thirty-three per cent were allowed to pass. The bulk having diseases or being of impoverished classes were left on Canadian soil.

It is said to be a trick of the European immigration agent to induce immigrants of the impoverished or undesirable class to come to Canada, to travel to the United States under the pretence that they are coming to this country for settlement. Had the people rejected by the local United States officers gone direct to an American Atlantic port they would have been promptly sent back to the country from which they came.

The American government is very particular on this point. Last February, for instance, it had but one inspector in the territory tributary to Winnipeg. Today it has fifteen. The number of immigrants coming via Winnipeg for the United States is apparently increasing, as already this month five hundred have applied to the Winnipeg office of the American government for admittance. The best are, of course, accepted and the undesirable ones left in Canada.

Many rejected ones have, it is believed, succeeded in crossing the boundary by stealth and occasionally they are caught. A Russian recently applied to the local United States office, but on being examined by Dr. P. L. Prentiss, the American government health officer, he was found to be suffering from trachoma. His brother-in-law, who lives in the city, applied in a similar way, and was admitted. It was, however, found that the brother-in-law had never left the city, while the other had disappeared, and after investigation it was found that the deceased man had used the papers given to the brother-in-law to cross the boundary line. The authorities traced him to a Russian colony as a warning to others who might be inclined to try to gain admittance to the states illegally.

Montreal has been the Canadian storm centre for labor troubles thus far this year. There do not appear to have been any compensating advantages to offset the loss caused by the strike of longshoremen, and the same may apparently be said of the street railway strike. The lesson in each case would seem to be that there must be a very real grievance, backed by an unmistakable expression of public opinion, before men are justified in tying up the trade or transportation of a city.

St. John has another illustration of the far-reaching effects of strikes. Last winter the coal strike affected

business here. Now the strike in the building trades in New York affects the price of lumber and the extent of the shipments from provincial ports.

MORNING'S NEWS.

LOCAL.
The Bank of Montreal reports a very prosperous year. As a result a 20 per cent bonus has been granted to all its employees.

Secretary G. B. Wilson of the Y. M. C. A. leaves Saturday for Bridgeport, N. S., to deliver an address before the association there.

At the meeting of the rifle club last night four new members were elected, making the membership of the club 16. It has been decided to put a team in the military league.

The death occurred at the General Public Hospital of this city yesterday of Albert Elliott of 102 Forest street. The deceased was about 25 years of age, and unmarried. He had been ill at the hospital for some time.

The examination for nurses was conducted at the General Public Hospital of this city yesterday morning, when the following tried for entrance: Miss Kellier, Miss Rainnie, Miss Powell, Miss Willis, Miss Sprague, Miss Coughlan and Miss Powers. The results have not yet been determined.

The regular meeting of the Fabian League will be held this (Thursday) evening in Labor Hall, Princess street. Meeting opens at 8 o'clock. F. A. Dykeman will deliver an address on the Saturday half holiday. Short addresses will also be made on a Living Wage for the working men by members of the labor societies. After the addresses ample time will be allowed for discussion of the above questions by those present. The public are cordially invited to be present.

At the water and sewerage board yesterday, Ald. Hamm repeated his charge that Director Cushing was not properly looking after the work on the streets.

The steamship Bulgarda landed nearly 3,000 passengers at Halifax yesterday, representing ten different nationalities from southern and eastern Europe.

It has been decided to introduce manual training in the schools at Fredericton.

It is expected that the provincial government will give land grants to the Fenian raid veterans in this province. The store of E. L. Denton of Westport, N. S., has been destroyed by fire. James McKeown of St. Martins died on Sunday, aged 88 years.

The people of Woodstock will vote on July 3 on the question of granting tax exemption and bonus to the Medicus Meat Co.

GENERAL.

In a railway collision in Alabama yesterday, both trains caught fire and seven men were burned to death and others badly injured.

As a result of the trouble in British Columbia, the defeat of the government, says a Victoria despatch, is considered certain.

A special meeting of the directors of the Dominion Steel and Coal Co., Ltd. is to be held in Montreal tomorrow.

The railway commission bill was further discussed at Ottawa in parliament yesterday, and again held over.

In the railway meeting at Ottawa yesterday, there was a further discussion of the Grand Trunk Pacific bill without any progress being made.

Laurence Sutherland, a native of River John, was killed by a dynamite explosion on a railway at Rouge, Que., this week.

PROVINCIAL ITEMS.

The marriage of Miss Bertha L. Angwin to Hedley V. Smythe, C. E., of St. John's, Nfld., manager of the York Harbor copper mines, May of Islands, took place Monday at high noon, at the residence of the bride's father, W. K. Angwin, Pleasant Street, Dartmouth.

C. P. Ludwig has re-considered his resignation and will continue his connection with the Dominion Coal Co., as superintendent of mines.—Post.

The house of Stearns Vase, Little Dyke, Colchester county, N. S., was burned to the ground Sunday evening while the family were at church. All the furniture was destroyed, except one or two beds. It is thought the fire occurred from a defective fuse. No insurance.

The new Catholic church at Dominion No. 2, C. B. B. was opened Sunday morning and first mass was celebrated by Rev. John Cameron at 9:15. The church, which is a temporary building, is commodious, having a seating capacity of about 600.

Murdoch McKeighan was killed at Marble Mountain, C. B., Saturday, by a fall of stone from the face of the quarry.

On Monday morning the thermometer was only one degree above freezing in Halifax. The mercury fell to 23 between the hours of three and six in the morning.

COMMISSION APPOINTED.
OTTAWA, May 27.—Justice Britton, of the high court of Ontario, has been appointed commissioner to enquire into the Treadwell concession lease and other mining leases, as well as the question of water supply, and other matters affecting mining interests in the Yukon.

J. E. Hildman, of Montreal, mining expert and a graduate of the Mining Institute of Boston, will assist Justice Britton as an expert and Dr. Lacombe, M. P., of St. Mary's division, Montreal, will be secretary of the commission, which will begin work on Monday.

HAD A NARROW ESCAPE.

On Saturday last while C. J. Mercereau, principal of the Bathurst superior school, was attempting to cross the Nepisiguit river at the Rough Waters, his canoe was upset by a sudden gust of wind. No doubt he would have lost his life had he not been an excellent swimmer. He managed to land safely. The current at this place at present is running very rapidly, owing to the high freshet. Mr. Mercereau escaped with some bruises, but not of a serious nature, which he received from running logs. The canoe was badly smashed.

MONCTON MAN DROWNED.
George Brown, of Moncton, has received from the authorities at Washington, D. C., a letter confirming the news of the drowning of his son, Guy D. Brown, off the island of Formosa. He was a hospital apprentice on the cruiser Vicksburg.

CONVENTION CLOSED.

The annual convention of the Christian Ministerial Association resumed its sittings yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock in the Coburg street Christian church.

After devotional service a paper was read by the Rev. Dr. Gates, his subject being the Epistle of Galatians. A discussion led by the Rev. Wm. Fern followed.

The afternoon session opened at 2:30 o'clock with devotional exercises. A report on the constitution was submitted and adopted. The report on the course of study was also submitted but not yet definitely adopted. It will be given to the public in the July number of The Christian.

The evening session began with a scriptural reading and prayer by Rev. Wm. Fern. A very interesting lecture entitled John Knox and His Part in the Reformation was delivered by the Rev. R. W. Stevenson. The following is a brief outline of the lecture: God selects individuals or nations to do His work. Israel was so selected; Moses was God's servant. John Knox was raised up by God to plant the reformation in Scotland, the conditions of Scotland at the time requiring such an intrepid leader. Knox's motto was "Give me Scotland or I die." He deservedly won the eulogiums of Calvino, who invoked all honor upon him as the founder of the Protestant faith in Scotland.

The convention closed with prayer by Rev. E. C. Ford.

The delegates will leave today for their homes.

LATE SHIP NEWS.

ST. JOHN, May 27.—Ard, str Leutra, 1,550, Grant, from Blyth, Wm Thomson and Co., bal.

Domestic Ports.
HALIFAX, NS, May 27.—Ard, str Bulgaria, from Hamburg via Boulogne, and old for Baltimore; City of Bombay, from Glasgow and Liverpool via St. John, NF; Halifax, from Charlottetown and New Brunswick; City of Bombay, from Philadelphia, Cld, str City of Bombay, for St. John. Sld, str Evangelina, Healey, for St. John.

British Ports.
BROW HEAD, May 26.—Passed, str Gamen, from Parrsboro via Sydney, CB, for Sharpness.

LIVERPOOL, May 27.—Sld, str Canada, for Montreal; Teutonic, for New York via Queenstown.

GREENOCK, May 26.—Ard, str Alcides, from Montreal.

KINSALE, May 27.—Passed, str Albura, from Liverpool via Cape via Lewis for Manchester; Hawtry, from Halifax for Ulunda, from Halifax and St. John, NF, for Liverpool.

RATHLIN ISLAND, May 27.—Passed, str Canada, from Montreal for Greenock, May 27.—Ard, str Plata, from Sydney, CB.

MALIN HEAD, May 27.—Passed, str Rathlin Head, from Montreal for Avonmouth.

SOUTHAMPTON, May 27.—Sld, str Kronprinz Wilhelm, from Bremen, for New York via Cherbourg.

LIZARD, May 27.—Sld, str St. Paul, from New York for Southampton.

BRISBANE, May 27.—Sld, str Eretia, for Newcastle, Philippines and the U. S.

PORTLAND, May 27.—Sld, str Rosa Mueller, for St. John.

BOOTHBAY HARBOR, Me, May 27.—Ard, str Calumet, from Calumet for St. John.

PROVIDENCE, RI, May 27.—Ard, str C. B. Colwell, Colwell, from St. John; Valetta, Cameron, from do.

Sld, str Oroshimo, for New York.

NEW HAVEN, Conn, May 27.—Ard, str Franklin, Fairchild, from St. John, NB; Prescilla, from do.

SALEM, Mass, May 27.—Ard, str William Thomas, from Calais for New Bedford.

NEW YORK, May 27.—Sld, str New York, for Seattle, via Cape Cod.

NEW YORK, May 27.—Ard, str Saragat, from Savannah.

Sld, str Boston Parker, for St. John.

VINEYARD HAVEN, May 27.—Ard, str Wm. Miller, from St. John for orders.

Passenger ships Progress, from St. John for Fall River; Romeo, from do for New York; tug Gypsum King, towing str Calabria, Gypsum King and barge No 13, from New York for Windsor, NS.

PERTH AMBOY, NJ, May 26.—Sld, str Beaver, for Canoe, NS.

SAVANNAH, Ga, May 27.—Cld, brig Lady Napier, for St. John, NB.

THE FIRE OUT.

Work of installing pumps at Dominion No. 1 began yesterday.

Last Saturday afternoon when it was found that the temperature in Dominion No. 1 had dropped to 81 degrees it was thought advisable to open the door at the travelling way and allow the air to go in. No smoke came through the small aperture made in the covering of the shaft and there was every indication that the fire was extinguished.

The covering was then taken off and the condition of the mine seemed satisfactory. Saturday night several of the officials entered the mine and came to the water's edge, which had now completely covered the fire area. They remained until one o'clock Sunday morning. At eleven o'clock they again entered and found no indication of fire and definitely came to the conclusion that the fire was completely out.

The news was tidings of great joy to the people of that important colliery. The work of installing pumps was begun yesterday morning. The company has now on hand twenty pumps, and over eleven miles of pipe, which will be used in connection with the pumping. It is expected that the mine will again be in operation before the close of the season.—Sydney Post.

WHAT ABOUT ST. JOHN?

OTTAWA, May 27.—A bill will be brought down in a day or so guaranteeing the interest on the bonds of that part of the Canadian North-west from the boundary of Manitoba to the town of Edmonton, a distance of 500 miles, at 3 per cent on \$13,000 a mile. The government will take a first mortgage as security on the road.

It is also understood that the government will loan the harbor commission of Montreal \$3,000,000 at 3 per cent. Legislation will also be asked it to go to \$2,000,000 to \$4,000,000 on the Quebec bridge.

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

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SPECIAL SALE OF

Ladies' Sun & Rain Umbrellas at \$1.60 Each.

Friday Morning, May 29th, we will offer in the "Silk Room," second floor, one of the best lines of Ladies' Umbrellas we have ever shown at \$1.60 each.

These Umbrellas were bought at a very low price. WE WILL SELL AS BOUGHT—FAR BELOW VALUE. These Umbrellas have strong frames, serviceable coverings, and the handles are most attractive—Fancy Handles in Bone, Ivory, Gilt and Polished Pebble. All new and perfect Umbrellas, suitable for sun or rain.

ALL ONE PRICE, \$1.60 EACH.

An Extraordinary Bargain in

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at Eight Cents per Yard.

The most important sale of Printed Cottons we have held this season is now going on in the Linen Room. A splendid Assortment of Printed Cottons—Navy Blue ground with White Spots, Stripes and Figures.

Also Printed Cottons, including pink, ex-blood, green, etc. in spots, stripes, checks, chambray and Cheviot effects. ALL ONE PRICE 8 CENTS PER YARD.

They are full width, flat colors, and the quality is far superior to anything one would expect to find in a Print at Eight cents per yard.

Sale in Linen Room. No samples given.

Ladies' White Lawn

Dressing Jackets,

IN "LADIES' ROOM," SECOND FLOOR.

White Lawn Dressing Jackets, turn-down collar. Sleeves, collar and bottom of jacket trimmed, hemstitched, frill, \$1.60.

White Lawn Dressing Jackets, front of tucks and insertion, turn-down collar and sleeves trimmed embroidery, \$1.65.

White Lawn Dressing Jackets, Empire Neck, trimmed, ribbon, insertion and lace, elbow sleeves, trimmed lace, hemstitched frill at bottom of jacket, \$2.30.

White Lawn Dressing Jackets, fine tucked yoke, edged insertion; neck, front, sleeves, and bottom of jacket trimmed embroidery, \$2.95.

White Lawn Dressing Jackets, front of fine tucks and insertion, turn-down collar; sleeves, collar and bottom of jacket trimmed embroidery, \$3.00.

White Lawn Dressing Jackets, Empire neck of fine tucks, Val lace and Swiss insertion; Val lace insertion and Swiss bands down front; sleeves trimmed lawn bands down front; Val insertion and lace, \$3.45.

White Lawn Dressing Jackets, tucked back and front, fancy collar and sleeves; collar, sleeves and bottom of jacket trimmed ribbon insertion, and Val lace, \$4.60.

FOR FIVE DAYS ONLY!

Great Sale of Carriage Rugs.

WE HAVE PLACED ON SALE in Men's Furnishing Department, Four Lots of Light and Medium Weight Wool Carriage Rugs, at special sale prices.

NO. 1.—Fancy Check Wool Rugs, Bound, Good Patterns. SALE PRICE, \$1.50.
NO. 2.—Imported Scotch Wool Rugs, Fringed. Fancy Checks and Plaids. SALE PRICE \$2.25.
NO. 3.—Extra Quality Imported Scotch Rugs. Two makes, Cloth finished and Rough Surface goods. Hand-some Patterns in Reversible Plaids and Checks. Great Value. SALE PRICE \$2.75.
NO. 4.—Reversible Scotch Rugs. Superior Quality. Fringed, Cloth Finished. Some with Plain Colors on one side; some with Checks on both sides. SALE PRICE \$3.75.
SALES CLOSES ON SATURDAY, MAY 30TH.

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

Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Limited.

AT AGE OF THIRTY

Everything "Lovely" to Carruth, Whom An Operation Cured of Blindness.

CHIEF CLARKE.

The Investigation was Finished Yesterday Afternoon.

Many Leading Citizens Testify in His Behalf—Judgment to be Given June 4th.

Mr. Nelson, manager of the St. John Street Railway Co., said that in the course of his business he had frequent occasion to consult with the chief and never saw him under the influence of liquor. He once asked the chief at the Union Club to take a drink with him, but the chief refused.

D. W. McCormick, proprietor of the Victoria hotel, said that he had known the chief for a number of years. The chief had at different times come to his hotel for meals, and he never saw any sign of liquor on him.

Thomas McAvity was next sworn. He said that he lived near the police station and frequently saw the chief when passing. At no time did he look like a drunken man.

To Commissioner Tweedie—Have been on a fishing excursion with the chief, and on such occasion have never known him to take liquor.

The commissioner—"That is very strong evidence."

Geo. E. Fairweather voluntarily stepped forward and testified in the chief's behalf. He has known the chief for a period of 25 years, and though seldom having to meet him in his official capacity from his intimacy with the chief could speak of his habitual sobriety.

F. W. Daniel, merchant, sworn, said that during his business career in the city he has had frequent occasion to meet the chief in his official capacity, and has always found him a careful and painstaking official.

W. J. McKay, insurance agent, was next sworn. Said that he had known the chief about fifteen years. On one occasion he had business with him. Never knew him to be under the influence of liquor. Always found him very courteous and painstaking in his duties.

David Magee and Merritt Wetmore, secretary of the S. P. C. A., gave similar testimony.

Robert Thomson, of Wm. Thomson & Co., stated that he has been intimate with the chief since they were boys together. Never knew him to take a drink.

To Mr. Wilson—May have heard reports that he was drunk, but never put any confidence in reports.

James Wetmore and A. Geo. Blair, Jr., always found him perfectly sober. With reference to the performance of his duties, the chief always seemed painstaking and attentive.

CHIEF WOULDN'T DRINK WHEN FISHING.

W. H. Barnaby, of M. R. & A., was next sworn. Has known the chief during the whole time he has been chief and never found him under the influence of liquor. Believed he attended to his duties in and out of him in fishing parties and found him perfectly sober. On such occasions he has always declined to touch intoxicants.

John White, Clifford Thorne and Wm. A. Magee had known the chief many years and never saw him under the influence of liquor.

Mr. Magee had seen him every morning and night go to his office and he always walked straight.

Charles Clark, James Doody and Carleton Clark testified to the chief's reputation for sobriety.

H. H. McLean, sworn, said that he had known the chief during the time he had been in office and had found him attentive in the performance of his duties. Never saw him with signs of liquor on him at all. "He lives opposite to me on Horsfield street," he said, "and I see him several times during the day going in and out of his house and never saw him stagger. Have known him to refuse a drink. Meet him in the club frequently. Have seen the chief in company with Officer Campbell a number of times on the street, but the chief showed no signs of drunkenness when with Campbell."

Robert Magee, Peter Clinch, Geo. A. Knodell, David Kennedy and Beverley R. Macaulay, of Macaulay Bros. & Co., added their testimony to the chief's reputation for sobriety. All had known him well and seen him frequently.

James Knox, ship chandler, had known the chief long before he was

appointed to office. Had never seen him under the influence of liquor in town or out of town. Had been with him on a fishing cruise and never saw him drink anything except tea or coffee.

Frank McCafferty, of the Telegraph reporter staff, was next called. Has known the chief since his connection with the press, having occasion to visit his office nearly every night. Found him exceptionally attentive to his duties and never saw him under the influence of liquor.

Officer Crawford at this stage stepped forward and asked permission of the commissioner to address some questions to Mr. McKelvey. He was ruled out.

This closed the case for the defence.

THE CHIEF'S COUNSEL PLEADS.

Mr. Skinner then began to weigh the evidence. He said: The complainant in his testimony only spoke of seeing the chief staggering once while going through the square. Added to this was the testimony of a fireman, who had once seen the chief stumble. These things entirely fail to establish the charge of drunkenness. There is no evidence of his being incapacitated a single time to attend to his duties. If your honor were asked to say that there was any one time that the chief could not discharge his duties, your honor must find that there is no evidence to bear out that conclusion.

That Mr. McKelvey is vindictive is clear, and this vindictiveness would naturally be traced to the difference which arose between Mr. McKelvey and the chief at the station house more than a year ago. From the evidence it could be seen that Mr. McKelvey went among the police himself for the purpose of getting evidence. He has, at all appearances, failed in his attempt. Mr. McKelvey has based his charges on very flimsy grounds.

Referring to Dr. Smith, Mr. Skinner said Dr. Smith had walked across the stage very little, and it seemed very peculiar indeed that he should appear at the moment he did. Referring to the letter sent by McKelvey to Officer Crawford, he said that it clearly showed that there was something in the wind. What did the words "everything looks satisfactory" mean? Clearly, as the evidence has brought out, a scheme was on foot to oust the chief.

He then spoke of the witnesses whom McKelvey had called from among the police. He called these men because from their constant contact with the chief they would be more likely to substantiate his case against the chief.

Taking it altogether, said Mr. Skinner, the charge of drunkenness has not been substantiated. Suppose a man should go to a dinner and take a few drinks, is that to be considered as bringing him under the charge of drunkenness? He then took up the chief's standing with the public. There was nothing in the evidence to charge the chief with incompetency or inattentiveness in his official duties. All who had testified to his official standing had never known him to be under the influence of liquor. All circumstances being considered, he thought the charge brought against the chief had not been sustained.

THE ACCUSER'S CASE.

Mr. Wilson, following, said it was hard in a case like the present to get a man's associates to testify against him. He was worthy of little consideration. Crawford's evidence all went to show that he was reserving something apparently to shield the chief. The evidence of Officer Campbell was damning. He was a man of little consideration and equivocal. Mr. Wilson in conclusion said that he did not fear that the evidence adduced would fail to sustain Mr. McKelvey's charges. A feeling of late was going round the city that police matters were not altogether right, and he felt sure that a change was wished for and would prove thoroughly beneficial.

Commissioner Tweedie here closed the investigation and reserved judgment.

INTERCOLLEGIATE SPORTS.

The Victoria athletic grounds are rapidly being put into shape for the intercollegiate sports to be held tomorrow afternoon. Under the direction of F. M. Green, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., the tracks are being measured and rolled into as good condition as possible.

The teams from the various colleges will arrive today. The Mt. Allison boys will come in on the afternoon express, the Acadia athletes will cross in the str. Yarmouth this afternoon and the contestants from the U. N. B. will arrive this morning and by the late train tonight.

Interest among the colleges is running high, and an afternoon of keen sport is assured. To defray the large expenses of the teams an admission fee of 25 cents will be charged. The sports will begin at 2 p. m.

FOUND DEAD IN WOLVILE.

HALIFAX, May 27.—James Mitchell, brother of George Mitchell, M. P., was found dead at Wolfville today. Up to two weeks ago he was a member of the firm of G. P. Mitchell & Son, finding his health failing. He made two trips to the West Indies and found that while at the islands his health was splendid. But on his return from each trip he felt less well, and his physicians advised that he should remove from Halifax and take plenty of out of door exercise. He had been in Wolfville most of the time for the past six months, where he was building a house. So far as could be learned he left his boarding house early this morning and went to his new residence to do some little work, and the workmen found him in the building about eight o'clock unconscious. He died less than an hour later. Mrs. Mitchell was a Miss Solomon of Lunenburg and has one child, a son, aged about ten years.

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

NEW GLASGOW, May 27.—The Picou light house was burned down tonight at 6.40 o'clock.

AT THE LONDON HOUSE

THURSDAY, MAY 28TH.

A Sale Ladies' Summer Hosiery.

Tomorrow we put on sale a large purchase of summer hose in a number of different qualities and styles.

These lines for Friday and Saturday will all be sold at low popular prices.

Hosiery Special No. 1

Fast black Hermsdorf cotton hose—spliced heel and toe, Special, 2 pairs for 25c

Hosiery Special No. 2

Silk embroidered hose—five different designs—fast black cotton with worked ankles or stripes in different colors. Special, 25c per pair

Hosiery Special No. 3

Fancy drop-stitch hose, open work and lace stitch, all Hermsdorf fast black, spliced heels and toes, Special, 25c per pair

Hosiery Special No. 3

"Cool feet" hose, popular make of Hermsdorf black hose with sanitary balbriggan feet. Extra Good, 25c per pair

Smallware Department On Friday.

BLACK SATIN AND VELVET BELTS.

Special value—gift or oxidized buckles, 25c, 30c.

Chiffon collar foundations, white or black, 20c.

Old ladies' black silk ruffs, \$1.25, 1.50 each.

FANCY LINENS.

Runners for sideboards, tables, or bureaus—linen colored centre and lace stripe, special, 38c each.

All linen tray cloths, fringed and spoke-stitched, 2 for 35c.

WHITE MUSLIN TIES.

Dainty white muslin ties with embroidered ends—tucked centres, 25c, 30c.

Fine Taffeta Waists Silk Cut in Price.

A limited number of fine black and colored Taffeta Waists, odd sizes from broken lines, to be sold at large reduction.

SILK WAISTS.

\$6.75, mauve, size 34, for \$3.98.

4.95 black, size 32, for \$3.98.

5.50 pink, size 34, for \$3.98.

4.95 pink, size 30, for \$3.98.

\$4.95 black, size 34, for \$3.98.

5.95 black, size 36, for \$3.98.

4.95 cardinal, size 34, for \$3.98.

3.95 black, size 40, for \$3.98.

Two Excellent Lines in Boys' and Girls' Hose.

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SPORTING NEWS.

BASE BALL.

Alerts, 5; Roses, 4.

The Alerts defeated the Roses yesterday afternoon on the Victoria grounds in the fourth game of the season. It was what might be called a good practice, but that is all that can be said for it. The Roses had a makeshift team, and at the last minute, or at least after waiting thirty minutes, put Jimmy McLeod, their old catcher, in right field. Bruce McFarlane will be here to play in the right garden at the next game, and Burns will play in left.

Phelan was in the box for the Alerts, and the side-wheeler showed up in good form, holding the Roses down to four scattered hits. Willis for the Roses was hit hard and often, Taylor getting a home run, a hit over the right field fence. The support given both men was ragged.

The score:

Alerts	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Taylor, I. E.	5	1	0	0	0	0
Goodie, J. B.	5	0	1	3	1	1
Britt, J. B.	5	1	0	1	1	1
Hays, S.	5	1	1	2	1	1
McDermott, P. F.	5	1	1	1	0	0
Johnson, J. B.	5	3	1	3	3	3
Pickney, R. F.	5	0	3	1	0	1
White, S. A.	5	1	1	1	0	0
Phelan, J.	5	1	1	1	0	0
	4	6	13	27	15	8

ROSES.

A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Tibbets, C. F.	4	0	0	2	0
Brookhouse, J. B.	3	0	0	2	1
Fraser, J. B.	4	0	0	0	0
Walsh, C.	4	0	1	1	1
Finmore, A. S.	3	2	1	3	1
McLeod, R. F.	4	1	1	1	0
Howe, B. J.	4	0	0	2	0
Killer, I. F.	4	0	1	1	2
Willis, P. J.	4	0	0	1	1
	33	4	4	27	9

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Summary—Victoria Grounds, St. John, N. B., May 27th, 1903: Alerts, 5; Roses, 4.

Three-base hit—Hays. Home run—Taylor. Stolen bases—Roses, 2. Double play—Finmore (unassisted). Base on balls—By Phelan, 6; v. Tibbets, Brookhouse, Fraser, Walsh, Finmore, Willis; by Willis, 4; v. Britt, Pickney (2). Hit by pitched ball—Britt, Brookhouse. Struck out—By Phelan, 7; v. Tibbets, Brookhouse, Finmore (2), McLeod, Howe (2); by Willis, 6; v. Britt, McDermott, Johnson (3), Phelan (3). Time of game, 1 hr. and 45 min. Umpire, D. McCarthy.

Portland, 6; Clippers, 1.

There was something doing on the Victoria grounds last evening, when the hard-hitting and speedy Portland administrators drubbing to the league leaders, the Clippers. The contest was called "no game" because the Clippers did not finish their fifth inning. John Malcolm, who acted as umpire in McDermott's place, claimed it was too dark to continue play. The score was 4 to 2, with the Portlanders leading and flushed with the hope of victory. Night's approach, however, robbed them of the honor which would surely have been theirs.

The Portlanders played a good fielding game, were strong at the bat, and capital base runners. The Clippers seemed to be beaten to a standstill and did not display their usual snip.

Case and Norris were between the points for the Clippers, while Trecartin and McLeod acted for the Portlanders.

Tonight the Franklins and the Y. M. C. A. play on the Barracks, when very fast ball may be expected.

It is asserted that Whely and Shaw will act as battery, while Burke, Mitchell, Frank White and others, making up a strong team, will line up against the Franklins in the hope of winning out.

Juvenile Base Ball.

The Young Jubilees defeated the Young Mariners in Miller's field last night by a score of 5 to 4. Battery for Jubilees, O'Brien and McKinnon; for the Mariners, Crossley and Thorne. The next game will be between the Primroses and Jubilees. The Jubilees are anxious to play the Young Clippers from Marsh Bridge.

National League Games Yesterday.

At Brooklyn—St. Louis, 3; Brooklyn, 1. At Philadelphia—Cincinnati, 2; Philadelphia, 1. (Called and 13th darkness.)

At New York—New York, 5; Chicago, 4.

At Boston—Boston, 7; Pittsburgh, 1.

American League.

At Cleveland—Chicago, 1; Cleveland, 0.

At Detroit—Detroit-St. Louis postponed; rain.

Eastern League.

At Buffalo—Buffalo, 1; Newark, 0.

At Toronto—Toronto, 4; Jersey City, 2.

At Rochester—Rochester, 10; Worcester, 7.

At Baltimore—Baltimore, 17; Providence, 2.

Connecticut League.

At Meriden—Norwich, 3; Meriden, 10.

At Holyoke—New Haven, 3; Holyoke, 0.

At Springfield—Bridgeport, 1; Springfield, 2 (10 innings).

At Hartford—New London, 3; Hartford, 4.

New England League.

At Manchester—Manchester, 4; Lawrence, 2.

At Brockton—Brockton, 3; Nashua, 1.

At Fall River—Lowell, 5; Fall River, 4.

At Concord—Haverhill, 4; Concord, 0.

Other Games.

At Brunswick—Bowdoin, 8; Colby, 3.

At Hanover—Brown, 4; Dartmouth, 0.

At Cambridge—Harvard, 13; Holy Cross, 1.

YACHTING.

The Shamrock Will Cross Atlantic in Good Time.

GREENOCK, May 27.—The final preparations for the departure of the two Shamrocks have been completed and all the stores are aboard and the compasses adjusted. The interest in the coming America's cup race is general throughout Scotland, where Sir Thomas Lipton's fleet is now called "The Lipton Armada." A surprising fact, calculated to give even a better complexion to the challenger's performance under canvas, came out during the fitting out of the yachts for the ocean passage. Shamrock I. has been elaborately strengthened inside with oak timbers, whereas the challenger goes about as she was raced. Denying is suffering from overstrain and too much athletic exercises. He will not be able to participate in the intercollegiate meet which is to be held in New York Friday and Saturday of this week.

Yale's Crack Half Mile Runner is Knocked Out.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 27.—Edward A. Deming, Yale's crack half mile runner, is at his home on Avon street, this city, under the care of a doctor. Deming is suffering from overstrain and too much athletic exercises. He will not be able to participate in the intercollegiate meet which is to be held in New York Friday and Saturday of this week.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use KUMFORT Headache Powders.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

THE SEAMEN'S MISSION.

To the Editor of the Star:

Sir—In reply to some remarks of a "Citizen" concerning the Seamen's Mission, which appeared in your issue of the 25th inst., I would like to say that the home department of that institution has been closed for the present for the one and only reason—lack of means. For some time we had been going behind financially until the deficit had almost reached the sum of one thousand dollars.

Perhaps to some this might not seem to be very alarming, but to the board of management it was a very serious matter. Appeals through the kindness of the press and otherwise had been sent out from time to time, but, although the response was generous from a few individual friends who can always be relied upon, the general response was far below the need.

I do not know if "Citizen" has been a contributor to this work or how much it has cost him in the days when he deemed it such a worthy institution, but this I do know, that if he has a real interest in the welfare of the sailor he can show it in no better or more practical way than by sending along a substantial token of his sympathy, for which we shall be very grateful.

To properly conduct a Christian home for sailors in a way that would be satisfactory to the general public, to the shippers, and to the sailors themselves, and one such as the port of St. John ought to have, would require an expenditure of at least five thousand dollars per year. The largest amount we have ever received by way of subscriptions has been about eleven hundred dollars in one year. By the aid of donations in furnishings, etc., from friends, by the zeal and industry of the ladies' committee, and by entertainments of various kinds the home has been largely self supporting. It has been a source of perplexity to some why so much money was needed to carry on this work; that the sailors ought to be able to pay their own way; that other boarding houses do not require outside help, etc. But surely these are thoughtless statements. This is a missionary enterprise for the benefit of both the bodies and souls of men. It partakes of the nature of both home and foreign missions. These men come to us as strangers, bearing with them their merchandise, their comforts and luxuries of our homes and our tables. For this they toll, they endure hardship, they willingly risk their lives, and many go down to watery graves. Surely, then, this mission ought to be recognized as a necessity, and therefore deserving of support.

The home requires an efficient staff of workers, namely, a cook and an assistant, a runner, and janitor and a missionary. Money is needed to pay their salaries. They work hard, and they have never been over-paid. The promoters of the work have given freely of their time, strength, labor and means themselves, and just as endeavored by the kindly aid of the press from time to time to place the work and its needs before the minds of the people.

The sailors have given us many evidences of appreciation of benefits and help received through the instrumentality of the home and the necessity of its closing, even for a time, has been a painful disappointment to the committee of management. But since its existence depends upon public support, and that support is lacking, we ask how can it continue? For the present the furnishings will remain in the home undisturbed, and just as soon as we have financial encouragement enough the work of the home department will be taken up again. In the meantime we need money to wipe out the deficit and to meet the current expenses.

The gospel work is still going on. Meetings are held during the week and on Sunday by our missionary and his wife, whose hearts are in the work, and who, by their fitness and long experience in sailor work in the city of Boston are, we believe, capable of building up a good work for the sailors in St. John. The home is still open from morning until night for the help and comfort of the men in port, and we trust that the people of St. John will stand by the Seamen's Mission to such an extent that our missionary and his good wife may have the encouragement and support which they will need to make the work a success.

A FRIEND OF THE SAILOR.

TO THE OLD BURIAL GROUND.

To the Editor of the Star:

Sir—Several times have I referred to the disgraceful state of the Old Burial Ground and the stones and parts or fragments of stones which now do not ornament, but disfigure that spot.

Tonight I strolled through the reserve (or what should be a reserve) and found that it is in an even worse condition than I ever saw it before.

Stone are broken and the parts scattered around, while a horde of thoughtless and untrained small boys played tag around and over the monuments, the ones which were originally placed parallel with the ground, or which have lately been broken and pushed in that position and climbing over the ones which are erect.

The sight presented is quite sufficient to thoroughly disgust anyone who has the slightest respect for the memory of those "who have gone

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THE WEATHER.

Highest temperature, 51; lowest temperature, 34; barometer at noon, 30.12 inches; wind S. W.; velocity, 26 miles per hour. Foggy.

Forecast—Fresh to strong southerly to southwesterly winds; showers to-night and on Friday.

Synopsis—Rain has fallen again heavily over Ontario and showers are still indicated for the maritime provinces. The winds to American ports and to the Banks promise to be fresh to strong southerly to southwesterly.

LOCAL NEWS.

Cooler than an iceberg in December, and only 30c. a quart—Lemon's ice cream.

Forest fires have done great damage all over Yarmouth county, N. S., and are still raging.

R. W. Averill will produce Sibbala at the Halifax Academy of Music next week with over 200 persons in the cast.

The Jubilee baseball team defeated the Maritimes last evening by a score of 5 to 4.

The Century Racing Club of Fredericton, has been affiliated with the Bicycle and Boating Club.

Ice cream, always ready to carry home by the 1-2 pint, pint or quart at Lemon's, 173 Union street.

The Tourist Association did not hold their regular meeting yesterday, there not being a quorum present.

The Congregational church parsonage at Sheffield was totally destroyed by fire yesterday. It is insured for \$300. Rev. Mr. Whyte was the occupant.

W. H. Boyce has shipped three car loads of potatoes to Montreal and is loading another one today.—Fredericton Gleaner.

Six hundred made-up Pillow Slips to be offered at the Walter Scott store, King square, at 14c. each. This is less than the cost of the material.

There were four births and three deaths on board the steamer Bulgaria, which arrived at Halifax yesterday, during her voyage across the Atlantic with nearly 3,000 immigrants.

There will be a meeting tonight of Alexander T. of H. and T. No. 6. A full attendance is requested as there will be a discussion regarding the site of a new hall.

The Moncton Transcript says that the service of the N. B. Telephone Co. is expensive and inefficient, and intimates that Moncton may consider the establishment of a municipal system.

Great musical demonstration at the Salvation Army hall, Charlotte street, tonight, conducted by Major Howell, assisted by Capt. and Mrs. Hudson, also Capt. Martin and Flemming. Ice cream served at the close.

Littlejohn, the boxer, arrived home from Halifax today. His appearance would not indicate that he was up against any hard punches, such as lost him the decision to Alf. Snelling, the Quebecer.

Manager Giffins, of the Dominion Atlantic, is in the city today but he has not much to say about the plans for the company for the summer. He says that while as yet everything is in an indefinite condition preparations are being made for a largely increased business.

The death occurred at Victoria Hospital, Fredericton, yesterday of John E. Boone, brother of Alms House Commissioner R. H. Boone, of that city. Deceased has been employed recently with the Fredericton Boom Company and was only taken ill on Sunday last.

An alarm was rung in between eleven and twelve o'clock today from box 154 for a fire in the building occupied by Pendleton's Panacea Co. on Mill Street. The fire was extinguished by hand hose before the department reached the scene. Very little damage was done, but it might have been much worse only for prompt action.

Three trainloads of immigrants from the Hamburg-American liner Bulgaria passed through the city today on their way west. One train went through in the night, another at six a. m. and the third about eleven o'clock this forenoon. The immigrants were here for only a few minutes and did not detain.

CHAS. MCKINNON DISCHARGED.

The statement in yesterday's Star that a true bill had been found in the county court against Charles McKinnon, was incorrect. No bill was found and he was discharged.

CAUTION.

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BURGLARY IN CARLETON.

And the Burglar Chalked "Dead Easy" on the Door.

"Dead Easy." These are the words a burglar chalked on the door of a Carleton grocery store, after having emptied the till and safely deposited outside a quantity of tobacco, candy, canned goods, etc.

The store referred to is that of Beverly Belyea's, on Prince street, and was entered some time last night or early this morning. When Mr. Belyea opened the store this morning he concluded that the party or parties who did the trick were correct when they said it was "dead easy."

A panel had been cut out of the rear door and an entrance effected in this way. The interior of the store looked as if it had been hit by a cyclone. The till was open and empty. Fortunately for Mr. Belyea he left hardly any money in the store when it was closed up yesterday night, probably not more than fifty cents. The exact value of the goods taken is hard to estimate at present, but the haul was not a particularly large one, and while it was a dead easy yet Mr. Belyea was not easy enough to leave his money behind him.

THE ROSES B. B. TEAM.

There will probably be several more changes in the Roses base ball team in the near future, although Manager Haney is not yet in a position to say anything. Joe Welsh will for the rest of the season fill McLean's place behind the bat and no other catcher will be required. But one of this, two new men are needed. Tommy Burns is sick and may possibly not be able to play steadily, although he hopes to return to the field in a week or so. Then there is talk of a new second baseman. It is the general impression that Brookhouse will be given his release as soon as other arrangements can be made, and this is probably correct. This will leave two vacancies, but as yet Mr. Haney has not succeeded in getting hold of any suitable men. There is a good prospect of Bobby Vall coming back on the 15th of June and staying for the rest of the season, but this arrangement cannot be made for some time yet. If he does not come the present intention is to leave Willis in the box.

THE FISH MARKET.

The fish market is well supplied for tomorrow's trade and housekeepers will have the largest assortment so far this season to select from.

Salmon are as yet rather scarce and by the fish bring 20 to 22 cents per pound. They are principally Nova Scotia fish.

Shad are not quite as plentiful as was expected, the catch falling off a little during the past few days. They are selling at from 10 to 15 cents retail.

Gasparreaux are worth ten to twelve cents per dozen. The worms are still taking any to speak of, while the nets are doing fairly well.

Mackerel are being received in small lots from Halifax. Some few are being caught at Yarmouth and are rather high, 15 to 20 cents being asked. The fish are, however, of a good size.

Halibut are plentiful and are worth 10 to 12 cents per pound. Haddock and cod 4 to 5 cents per pound.

POLICE COURT.

If those aldermen who do not believe there is any necessity for a patrol wagon had seen Emma Lester being dragged through the streets yesterday morning they might change their opinions. The woman was helplessly drunk and was dragged to the lock-up from the foot of Union street. She was sent to jail for six months, but no mention was made of the park.

James Jones drunk on the Market square, left a deposit of eight dollars, which was turned into a fine today.

John Roope had forty-one dollars in his pocket and found no difficulty in paying four dollars for drunkenness.

A NEW RESIDENCE.

Work was begun yesterday on what will prove to be one of the finest residences in St. John. It is that which will be erected for Dr. Broderick on Union Street, next to George Coster's present residence. The new building will be of brick and the masonry is being done by Patrick Mooney, while James McDonald has the carpenter work.

Sproule & Burley are now engaged in re-modelling Mr. Charles Fairweather's residence on King Street east.

TIMBER SALES.

Two timber berths were sold at public auction at the crown land office at Fredericton, yesterday, and for a time bidding was quite keen. The first berth going for the high price of \$151 per mile. This consisted of three square miles on Tomogons River, bid in by Thos. W. Flett, two square miles on Bartholomew's River were bid in by W. T. Whitehead at \$30 per mile.

SEE THE SPORTS TOMORROW.

The inter-collegiate sports on the Victoria grounds tomorrow afternoon should be well attended. St. John should encourage the universities to have an annual meet in this city. The best encouragement would be to attend tomorrow's events.

GIVE \$600 FOR GYMNASIUM.

This year's graduating class of the U. N. B. have decided to give, in remembrance of '03, the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars for five years, making six hundred to be used toward the erection of a new gymnasium for the college.

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The W. S. Harkins Company gave A Man of the World for a third time at the Opera house last evening, and although the house was not crowded, the audience were very demonstrative, particularly in the second act, when the clever work of Miss Vance, Mr. Gratton, Mr. Depo and Mr. Harkins drew a curtain call. The drama was given in a splendid manner, and the theatre goers were highly delighted with the performance. A Man of the World will be repeated on Saturday evening.

Tonight the company will give that very laughable comedy of My Friend From India.

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PERSONALS.

Mrs. T. A. Black has gone to St. Stephen because of the serious illness there of her father, Alex. Logan.

R. S. Ewing went to Boston yesterday.

C. B. Foster, of the C. P. R., went to Montreal yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Murray have returned from Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peters, Jr., and Mrs. Hanington (Mrs. Peters' sister) went to Fredericton yesterday.

Chas. R. Racine has returned from a short trip to Halifax.

The marriage of Miss Winnie Blake, daughter of Patrick Blake of Charlottetown, to Edwin E. Keefe of Halifax, will take place next month.

Miss Francis Eravers returned from Montreal yesterday.

Mrs. A. O. Cruikshank, who has been in Boston for her health, has returned home.

Rev. G. M. Campbell of Centenary Church, has returned from Andover, where he lectured on the Canadian West.

F. D. Tilley is back from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lockhart returned last night from Boston.

Geo. C. Lawrence returned last night from a pleasant trip through Nova Scotia.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hendershot, lately of this city, arrived in Honolulu on May 28, where they will spend a month before continuing their pleasure trip to Australia.

D. J. McRae returned from Montreal yesterday.

Frank S. Hallet, recently of D. Mages' Sons, leaves for New York today, where he will enter upon the duties of a lucrative position secured with a firm there. His many friends in this city wish him success.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wilson, of St. John, spent Sunday at James McCready's. Mr. and Mrs. Murray Reid, of St. John, spent Sunday and Monday at Mrs. Rubens'. Mr. and Mrs. Fred DeVeber, of St. John West, are spending a few days in town visiting friends. Gilbert McLaughlin, of St. John, spent Sunday in town. Mrs. Blizard, of St. John, was the guest of Mrs. B. Simpson, on Sunday. Miss Nina Bullock, in St. John, is spending a few days at her home here. Miss E. McAdoo, of St. John, spent Sunday with her friends, the Misses Babbitt. Percy Hunter and S. Gerow, of St. John, who have been on a yachting cruise, spent the holiday at Gagetown. T. B. Crethers, of St. John, was in Gagetown on Tuesday.—Gagetown Gazette.

WEDDED LAST EVENING.

Last evening, in the presence of a large circle of friends at the home of the bride's father, Alonzo Akery, Hedy W. Fairweather and Miss Cassie Akery were married by Rev. M. S. Trafton. The groom was attended by George Peir, the bride was attended by her sister, Miss Jennie Akery. Mr. and Mrs. Fairweather will reside at No. 4 Barker street.

After the ceremony supper was served. The bride received many handsome presents. Mr. and Mrs. Fairweather will reside at No. 4 Barker street.

THIS EVENING.

W. S. Harkins Co. at the Opera house. Baseball—Franklyn v. Y. M. C. A. on Barracks.

Organ recital at St. Philip's church. Meeting of street laborers at Berryman's hall.

Regular meeting of the Fabian League in Berryman's hall.

Meeting of the executive of the St. John Amateur Base Ball League in Y. M. C. A. rooms at 8.30.

Meeting of Alexandra T. of H. and T. No. 6.

THE PRINCE RUPERT.

The S. S. Prince Rupert arrived at 4.30 o'clock this morning from Halifax, where she just came out of the dry dock. The Rupert, which has been laid up all winter, will go on the St. John-Digby route on the first of the month in place of the S. S. Yarmouth, which performed the winter service.

The Rupert made the run from Halifax to this port in nineteen hours.

LOTS OF BANANAS.

Although bananas have been scarce for some weeks A. L. Goodwin has from the arrangements whereby three carloads per week will be received during the rest of this season. Mr. Goodwin is landing today four hundred bunches of No. 1 bananas, and tomorrow and Saturday will receive an additional one thousand three hundred bunches, making three carloads in all.

IT NEEDS REPAIRS.

The members of No. 5 Hose company want to know why it is that their cart has been in the repair shop since November last. The cart was damaged during November last and has not as yet been repaired. The old No. 1 salvage corps cart is being used and the men claim that it is not only unsafe, but that it has not the proper carrying capacity.

A GREAT COTTON DEAL.

Daniel J. Sully of New York has closed out his big cotton deal and the two men associated with him cleaned up \$5,000,000 without having to put up a single dollar. They bought 200,000 bales at an average of 9.05 cents and sold it at an average of 11.05 cents.

At the City hall, West End, on Thursday evening, June 4th, A Bachelor's Divorce will be presented by the West End Dramatic Club.

THE ST. MARTIN'S RAILWAY.

The manager of the St. Martin's railway having stated that the company positively refuses to operate the road this year and has practically abandoned it, the St. Martin's delegation who met him at Hampton yesterday decided to ask aid from the dominion government to secure a loan for a new company to put the road in repair and operate it.

People use Red Rose tea because it's good tea and always of even quality.

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