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PARIS LOOKS ON ROOSEVELT AS "THE GREAT AM"

Correspondents Find That the Ex-President Can Do Little But Boast of His Past Achievements and Tell What a Wonderful Man He Is

PARIS, April 6.—The French press is displaying great interest and curiosity in Theodore Roosevelt. Many of the French correspondents sent to Naples to chronicle the impressions of Mr. Roosevelt say that the former President of the United States is absorbed in himself. They dislike his cabinet filled with his own books and littered with photos of himself and the members of his family. Mr. Roosevelt talked freely but petulantly about himself and his work, the correspondents say, and he manifested a disposition to "preach." In his conversation he touched upon his knickerbocker ancestry and his experiences as a ranchman in the far west.

"Turning to politics he said he had been elected to the Presidency as a representative of honesty against the power of gold.

"I have always maintained that nobody in private life is indispensable to the country," he said.

"Mr. Roosevelt is quoted as saying: 'I have fought the old kings and the street emperors. They tried to break my back but my back is still intact. The truth is they showed less resistance than I expected. The feudal barons of modern finance have less energy than the feudal lords of ancient Europe.'"

Continuing Mr. Roosevelt referred to his pride in the presidency and the increases in the American navy and army.

"By preparing for war," the former President is quoted as having said: "I was able to curb the impetuosity of young America against Japan."

BERGER'S DOG TEAMS WON ALASKA SWEEPSTAKES

Owner Gets \$11,000 and Holds the Saddle Cup for a Year—Heavy Betting on the Result.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 6.—A special cable from Nome states that the Nome-Candle Creek dog race promoted by the Nome Kennel Club and upon which hundreds of thousands of dollars were wagered, was won by Berger's team, number 1 and 2, driven by Sooty Allen and Percy Batchford respectively. They finished first and second as named. Berger wins the purse of \$11,000 in gold and will hold for a year the handsome Sutter trophy hung up on the all-Alaska sweepstakes.

GAMBLING IS CHARGED IN KING SQUARE SALOON

Herbert Nice is Reported for Permitting Dice Throwing—Policeman Lucas Makes the Charge.

Herbert Nice, the proprietor of the Red Ball bar room on the north side of the King Square, will in a couple of days have to appear in the police court to answer the charge of allowing persons to throw dice in his licensed tavern.

Night Detective Lucas makes the charge. Last night the detective quietly walked into what is called an office but which adjoins the bar, and took charge of the dice box and dice, much to the surprise of those who were seated at the table. It is possible that some other matters will be brought out in the trial as the authorities have not looked on the bar room as a properly conducted resort.

EXPRESS OUT OF CALAIS BUMPED A BIG STONE

Locomotive Badly Damaged But None of the Passengers Were Injured.

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., April 6.—The Washington County express out of Calais last evening narrowly escaped a serious disaster. When near Ayer's Junction and running at considerable speed, the locomotive collided with a large boulder, badly damaging the engine and giving the passengers a bad shaking up, though none were injured. The boulder is supposed to have been loosened from a bank at the side of the track by the warm weather of yesterday.

DEVINE RELEASED ON SUSPENDED SENTENCE

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 6.—Barney Devine, charged with pointing a revolver at a colored person, was before Magistrate Marsh this morning and fined \$50 or two months jail. The sentence was allowed to stand on condition that Devine leave the city within 24 hours.

NEW YORK, April 6.—An involuntary petition of bankruptcy today against John Dickinson, the banker, the failure of whose firm John Dickinson and Co. was reported here and in Chicago on Saturday last. Edward K. Thomas was appointed receiver.

MCGASKILL MATTER TO COME UP AGAIN

It is on the Docket for Presbytery Today

Important Business Done at This Morning's Session—Change in System of Choosing Delegates.

The regular quarterly meeting of the presbytery of St. John was held in St. Andrew's church today, commencing at ten o'clock this morning.

The moderator, Rev. A. B. Dickie, presided and there were present Rev. Messrs. G. D. Ireland, C. G. Townsend, M. J. McPherson, H. R. Reed, L. A. McLean, W. P. Wood, R. A. McDonald, F. W. Mundy, W. W. Rennie, G. Pringle, A. S. McKay, L. B. Gibson, J. H. A. Anderson, G. Dickie, H. Boyd, D. Clark, J. Ross, J. J. McCaskill, A. A. Graham, D. Lang and P. Babal, clerk, and Elders W. J. Parke, A. T. Stewart and S. H. McFarlane.

After the opening exercises a report on the finances of the presbytery was submitted by Elder P. Campbell and Rev. L. A. McLean. The report showed that the financial depression has affected the churches and certain of the poorer congregations have been somewhat discouraged by it.

Rev. J. J. McCaskill reported on the Sabbath schools.

The clerk presented a report on the new list of standing orders which have been in course of preparation for some time. The report was adopted. It was decided that a list be made of the congregations in order of seniority and that in the future this be taken as the basis for representation at the general assembly instead of the roll of ministers. In the past the roll of ministers, in the order of their addresses and at its close received the thanks of the Presbytery.

A committee was appointed to examine the credentials of Rev. Messrs. Power and Fulton, two young men from the Presbyterian Church in Montreal, who are applying for admission to the Canadian Church.

A report on statistics was presented by Rev. L. A. McLean.

The Presbytery then adjourned to meet again at 2:30 p. m.

On the docket for this afternoon is the nomination by the presbytery of a moderator for the next general assembly.

The Presbytery will also nominate a professor for the vacant chair of Practical Theology in the Theological College, Montreal. It is understood that the name of Rev. A. A. Graham will be submitted for nomination by the Presbytery.

Another matter that is on the docket for this afternoon which is arousing considerable interest among the members is the reconsideration of the case of Rev. J. J. McCaskill, notice of which was given at the last meeting. The announcement came as a surprise to most of the ministers who had believed that the action taken at the last meeting of the Presbytery was final.

REPORT OF A THEFT FROM DOMINION EXPRESS CO.

Two Messengers Have Been Suspended Until Investigation is Held.

MONTREAL, Que., April 6.—There is a rumor of a theft from the Dominion Express Company on the Halifax-Montreal train. The amount taken was not large but it is said that a parcel was opened and under a hundred dollars taken. The express messengers have, it is said, been laid off pending inquiry.

BLAMES EXCESSIVE TAXES FOR DEFORESTATION

T. Weyerhaeuser Points Out That Present System Makes it Impossible to Grow or Hold Timber

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 6.—Excessive taxes upon standing timber, and not the rapacious wastefulness of lumbermen have caused the denuding of the timber lands in the northwest, according to Frederick Weyerhaeuser, head of the varied Weyerhaeuser lumber interests. He made this statement today apropos of attacks upon Minnesota lumbermen last Friday in the House of Representatives by Congressman C. R. Davis.

Mr. Weyerhaeuser said: "The reason it is impossible for us to keep timber standing long is that a lumberman in this country must pay taxes not only upon his land but upon whatever timber may be on the land. "The lumbermen have not planted young trees to take the place of the old because just as soon as the young trees get big enough to be seen by the assessor, the same old timber tax becomes payable. We would have to hold growing trees at least one hundred years before we make good lumber out of them.

"A reform of our timber and taxes is needed. We should initiate the laws in Europe, where growing timber is not taxed at all before it becomes suitable for lumber."

GOVERNOR HUGHES WILL STOP PRIZE-FIGHTING

NEW YORK, April 6.—Gov. Hughes has taken up the question of prize fighting with the idea of bringing about legislation looking to the suppression of the fight promoters which many so-called athletic clubs have been holding for more than two years in this and other corners of the State. These clubs hold prize fights under the guise of sporting exhibitions.

CHATHAM NEWS

CHATHAM, N. B., April 6.—The funeral of Mrs. William Dickens took place this morning at nine o'clock. Deceased leaves a husband and two young children.

Ald. Neale has definitely announced his intention not to run this year for town council membership. He leaves on Friday for England and will not be back until three weeks after election.

PERSONAL

Major J. H. McRobbie came in on the Boston express this morning.

F. W. Godard arrived on the Boston train at noon.

Dr. Jas. McLeod, of Fredericton, is in the city.

GRIMMER ADMITS FAILURE OF GAME PROTECTIVE POLICY

Under the Criticism of Mr. LaBelle, He Says a Change in the System Must Soon be Made—Was Huffy at First, But Backed Down

FREDERICTON, April 6.—On the public accounts committee assembling this morning Mr. LaBelle brought up the matter in the auditor's report in respect to the expenses named under the head of fish, fowls and game protection. He stated in the strongest language that the system adopted by the present administration was not a satisfactory one and that the protection given to the game of the province was not what it should be. Speaking for his own county he knew that game in that district was being slaughtered to a great extent every year. This was caused from the establishing of lumber camps and young men going into the woods and all doing pretty nearly as they pleased.

The chairman thought if the question was to be discussed it should be done so in the presence of the surveyor general, and the latter was requested to attend.

On Mr. Grimmer's arrival Mr. LaBelle repeated what he had stated before the committee.

The surveyor general appeared something the lack of interest under the present system is inclined to view the change with suspicion.

The general sentiment seems especially in favor of giving Mayor Bullock a second term unopposed on account of the excellent showing made during his first year in the office.

INTEREST IN ELECTIONS STEADILY INCREASING

Conservatives Move to Split on Party Lines Not a Popular One—Executive Meets Tonight in Decade on Action.

Interest in the coming civic election is becoming more intense since the attempt on the part of the Conservatives to introduce party politics into the fight.

Already the pace has become too hot for a couple of the candidates, already in the field, and E. J. Armstrong and J. S. Gregory have announced that they will not run. Another to be added, however, is P. S. Purdy, grocer, who will run in Kings ward.

Interest today centers on the action which will be taken by the executive committee of the Conservative party which meets this evening to decide what course they will pursue.

Some Conservatives are saying nothing will be done tonight except to decide to let matters take their course. It is understood on good authority, however, that every effort will be made to frame up a complete Conservative ticket.

A majority of the present aldermen will qualify, and it is possible that a candidate will be selected to oppose Mayor Bullock.

The proposal to split on party lines does not seem a popular one around the street. Most citizens while admitting the lack of interest under the present system are inclined to view the change with suspicion.

The general sentiment seems especially in favor of giving Mayor Bullock a second term unopposed on account of the excellent showing made during his first year in the office.

PRIEST RECEIVED A BLACK HAND LETTER

Threatened With Death if He Did Not Leave Town—Ascribed to Trouble in the Congregation.

WORCESTER, Mass., April 6.—A letter signed "Black Hand Society" and threatening death unless he leave town by Easter Sunday, was received today and turned over to the police by Rev. Vincent Buckoveck, rector of St. Casimir's Lithuanian Catholic Church of Providence Street. The congregation has had much financial trouble and when, a few months ago, Father Buckoveck was sent here by Bishop D. Beavan, of Springfield, some of the parishioners demanded a request that they pay fifty cents a week toward the support of the church and in addition pay six dollars before Easter. The dissenters organized a new church known as the Lithuanian Catholic All-Saints Church and have since been trying to secure a pastor.

The priest said tonight that he intends to remain in charge of the parish and will take no notice of the threat.

FUNERALS.

WM. H. HOGAN.

The funeral of the late Wm. Hogan took place this afternoon from his home, 23 Prince Street, at 2:30 o'clock and was largely attended. The remains were taken to the cathedral, where Rev. Fr. O'Brien conducted the services. The pall bearers were W. J. Mahoney, Chas. Owens, B. Mooney, M. Wilson, P. Doody and H. O. McInerney. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

JAMES McDONALD.

The remains of James McDONALD were laid to rest in the new Catholic cemetery this afternoon. The funeral took place from the deceased's late residence, Cliff Street. The body was taken to the cathedral, where Rev. Fr. O'Brien conducted the services.

BERNARD McELWAIN.

The funeral of the late Bernard McElwain took place from his late residence, 218 Main Street to St. Peter's church where Requiem High Mass was sung by Rev. Fr. Dube and thence to the cathedral, where the interment was made. Relatives acted as pall bearers.

The deceased was in his seventyninth year and has resided nearly all his life at Musquash. He leaves five children, Wm. and James of St. John, Charles of Portland, Me., and Miss Annie and Cecelia at home.

The death of Mrs. M. A. Rogers took place this morning at the residence of her brother, Richard Myers, 18 Witter street. She was the widow of the late Wm. Rogers, who was a well known stovesman here in the city. The deceased is survived by two brothers, Patrick Myers of Loch Lomond road and Richard of Witter street, and two sisters, Miss Alice Brennan of Brooklyn and Mrs. Daniel Fitzgerald of Charlott.

LORD ROBERTS INVITES CANADIAN BOYS TO DINNER

TORONTO, April 6.—Field Marshall Lord Roberts has conveyed by cable an invitation to dinner in England to the Canadian high school boys who win the Standard of Empire free trip to the old country contest. Twelve boys picked from each province will sail for a three weeks' tour of England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales in July. The contest is confined to Canadian high schools and collegiate students. Lord Roberts' dinner party to the successful boys will be held probably in London and will be an "Early" function.

Miss Diadem Bell, returned mission ary on furlough from West Central Africa, will speak, telling of her work, tomorrow, Wednesday, evening in the Congregational church. All are cordially invited. A silver collection will be taken.

Deputy Sheriff Kelly arrived in the city last evening from Yarmouth with two burglars, Wallace Foster and Joe Smith. The men were kept in the county jail over night and were today taken to Dorchester penitentiary on the charge of theft. They are to serve seven years.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, APRIL 6 1909

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Twenty-three candidates received the apostolic rite of confirmation at the hands of his lordship the Bishop of Fredericton, last night, in Trinity church.

The regular monthly meeting of the St. John branch of the Temperance Federation will be held in the W. C. T. U. rooms this evening at 8 o'clock. All the members are requested to attend.

A union of all the Presbyterian churches of the city will be held in St. John's Presbyterian church on Good Friday at 11 a. m. Rev. D. Lambie of St. Andrew's church, will be the preacher. The offering will be devoted to the purposes of the Associated Churches.

Adam Thorne, a C. P. R. trucker, met with a painful accident, having his right hand badly crushed while at work in No. 2 shed, Sand Point, yesterday afternoon. He was taken to the emergency hospital where Dr. F. L. Kenney attended him.

This evening in the lecture room of the Natural History Society, Dr. G. F. Matthews will give a paper, "The first A New Class of Plants, with Illustrations, and of their Phytology in the South Carolina and New Brunswick." This lecture is free to the public.

At a meeting of the Clippet Baseball Club last evening a team was formed to enter the league this year. A resolution was passed favoring the calling together of the different teams that are desirous of entering a league and extending an invitation to the Clippet team that wanted to get in the league to attend a meeting and enter a team if possible.

In the Oddfellows Hall last evening, the composite degree team from St. James and Pioneer lodges conferred the first degree on six candidates. The degree was given by these and the other lodges, under the system recently inaugurated is steadily improving, and is creating a great deal of interest. On Thursday evening in Carlton Golden Temple lodge will confer the second degree, and on the following Tuesday the third will be worked by Peacocks lodge in the Simonds St. hall.

At St. John's (Stone) church tomorrow evening at 8 p. m., the holy septennial musical service which for some years past has been a feature of Holy Week, will take place. The music will be of more than usual significance, including Mendelssohn's "Hear My Prayer," Verdi's "Requiem," and other selections, this being the centenary year of the composer's birth; also selection from Handel's Messiah and Spohr's Last Judgment. The prelude to Wagner's music drama, Parsifal, will be played by the organist, D. Arnold Fox.

The Ottawa Y. M. C. A. basketball team will make a tour of the province and will play five or six games during the week of April 19. On that date they will play a Chatham team, on the 20th they will meet the U. N. B. team at Fredericton, on Wednesday, the St. Andrew's Shamrocks on Thursday in Eastport, and on Friday possibly the Portland Y. M. C. A. team, senior champions of this city. The Ottawa team holds the championship of the upper provinces.

The last meeting of St. Stephen's Church Guild for the season was held last evening. It was under the management of the literary and musical committee. The subject of the evening was Tonyon's Princess. Readings were given by Mrs. H. S. Daly, Miss Edith James, Douglas McArthur, Jr., and Kenneth Bonnell. Solos were sung by Miss Forrie Drake and Harry Dunn. There were also quartette numbers given by Messrs. Young, Brown, K. Bonnell and E. Bonnell. The evening was greatly enjoyed.

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TEST DID NOT SUGCEED
Empty Balloon Found—Mother Died Saving Her Children—Yale and Princeton Crews Will Not Meet.

TURIN, April 6—The Stampa states that a big balloon, flying the French flag but with no one on board, descended at San Dalmazzo. It is feared that the aeronauts perished.
FRIDRICHSHAFEN, April 5—The 24 days' endurance trip of Count Zeppelin's airship, which started from here this morning, ended in failure, owing to unfavorable weather conditions. The airship ascended at 9:15 a. m. and the voyage was abandoned at 12:30 this evening. During the time the airship descended twice to the surface of the lake, to take in water for ballast.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 5—With not a vote to spare, the Senate tonight passed the Caffrey bill, prohibiting the photographing of persons under arrest who have not been convicted of crime. Senator Caffrey declared that the bill was intended to put an end to the outrageous methods employed by the police in measuring and photographing innocent persons.

J. S. SMITH REVIEWS HISTORY OF CHURCH
Special Roll Call Held in Anniversary Services at Waterloo St. Church

ALBANY, N. Y., April 5—The Senate tonight passed the Hill bill increasing the maximum penalty for kidnapping from twenty-five to fifty years. The bill was introduced a few days after the kidnapping of Willie White.

NEW HEAVEN, Conn., April 5—That the Yale and Princeton varsity crews will not meet this year, was definitely stated tonight by Walter Camp, Yale '90, member of the athletic advisory board.

BOSTON, Mass., April 5—The will of Mrs. Martha A. Ripston, who died in the Suffolk Registry, disposes of an estate of \$75,000 with one public bequest of \$25,000, in favor of the Dramatic Fund of America, which has headquarters in New York.

NEW YORK, April 5—Leaving a letter addressed to his wife in which he explained his act by saying that reverses of fortune had cut down his pay for two, C. M. Craig, a retired captain of the United States Army, before a court-martial in his apartment in Madison Avenue by shooting himself through the head. Captain Craig was a native of Pittsburg.

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TENNIS CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS FOR YEAR

A meeting of the St. John Tennis Club was held in the rooms of the Church of England Institute yesterday afternoon.
Dr. Stewart Skinner was elected president, W. Angus, vice-president, and Mr. Richards, secretary. The following managing committee was chosen: The president, vice-president, secretary, and Mr. P. Thomson and Mr. Flood.

The following ladies were elected as the ladies' committee: Mrs. Barker, Miss Treuman, Miss McKennie, Miss Hegon and Miss McLaren.
The tournament committee comprises Messrs. McAvity, McLean, Inches and Misses Schofield and N. Barnaby.
The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP

Tonight in St. Stephen's rooms the St. Stephen's first and St. Stephen's Tigers will meet to decide the championship of the St. John Bask. Ball League. The teams are so close that if the first team wins a tie will result and an extra game will have to be played to decide the champions. On account of the brigade drilling tonight the game will not start until 8:45. Captain Barton will referee and the teams will probably line up as follows:

St. Stephen's First.
Centre, F. Finley... ..K. Wilson (capt).
Forwards, H. Patterson... ..R. Pendleton
M. Latham... ..F. Smith
Defence, A. Scott... ..T. Murphy
Air. Smith (capt)... ..W. Bartlett

HONOLULU, April 5—Arrived April 5. S. S. "Salamia," Purdy, from Haere.

OSTEOPATH'S PATIENTS CUT EN MASSE TO HEAD EVIDENCE AT INQUIRY

Court Room Packed at Inquest Into Death of Mrs. McLaughlan

Evidence Shows Treatment Given Deceased by Dr. Spangler

Dr. Emery Tells of Treating Mrs. McLaughlan—Other Witnesses

THE INQUEST into the death of Mrs. Anna McLaughlan was opened at 7:30 last evening in the municipal chamber of the Court House. Coroner D. E. Barryman presided and the following jury was empaneled: W. G. Scoville, F. W. Daniel, H. Gallagher, A. R. Campbell, T. T. Latham, John F. Morrison, C. K. Cameron.

M. G. Teed, K.C., and E. P. Raymond appeared for Dr. Spangler, and Dr. A. W. MacRae, K.C., appeared for the crown. A stenographer as well as the clerk was present to take down the evidence.

Dr. Fred Power, undertaker, was the first witness. He prepared the body of the late Mrs. McLaughlan and arranged her funeral. It was necessary for him to have a doctor's permit before any burial, if he could not secure one he notified the coroner and secured the permit from him.

Witness secured a certificate from Dr. Emery and leaving his office went as far as the Dufferin Hotel, where he was overtaken by the doctor. He did so, and Dr. Emery asked for the certificate and on witness giving it up said that he wanted to think it over and would give it to him in the morning. Later on Dr. Emery returned and gave witness a certificate and on Wednesday he secured a permit from the coroner. Witness had identified the body.

Dr. A. F. Emery was next called. He said he was a regular medical practitioner in St. John for eighteen years. He took his degree from the Bellevue Hospital College, New York, in 1891. Was at present a member of the staff of the St. John Public Hospital.

He was first called to see the late Mrs. McLaughlan on 12th March of this year. He saw her again on the 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, and the patient died on the morning of the 29th, while witness was still with her.

On the 12th he diagnosed her case as an embolism from the femoral vein. He did not examine her on the following day. He prescribed in a general way, rest and gave her an ordinary tonic. On March 12 the patient's heart was weak and irregular.

In reply to the coroner's question as to whether he gave all the attendance that was required, the witness said: "All the attendance that she would allow me until in another case of emergency she called me again."

"On the 28th it was called about ten minutes past eleven at night, and witness was in a bad condition. When I got there I expected to find her very low, but she had had a rally and was very much improved."

"I remained with her until she died at about half-past twelve. My orders would be to lie down in bed and not to remove out of a recumbent position for any reason whatsoever. This order should be followed for a considerable time."

Question—"What would you expect to follow if the patient got up and moved away or if the limb was massaged?"
Answer—"I would expect a clot to break off from the inside of the diseased glands and to pass through the veins of the lower extremities until it reached some organ of too small a calibre for it to pass through. If it passed on in the ordinary way it would cause more or less trouble according to its size. There it would cause what is known as pulmonary embolism. A clot might remain in the heart for a considerable length of time. This could be detected in a post mortem examination."

Witness had heard Mr. Powers tell of his giving her a certificate and talking it back. This was true.
"Mr. Powers came in about 9:30 on Monday morning with the certificate. I said I did not think I should sign it and asked, 'Why did you not go to Dr. Spangler?' He replied that he had talked it over with Mrs. McLaughlan's family and had thought that the

"HEALTH" MATTRESSES
For clean people with slim purses.
LOOK FOR THE TRADEMARK
Manchester, Robertson, Allison, Ltd.

"She's a very natural girl."
"So?"
"Yes, whenever she's invited out to dine she never thinks of taking the smallest piece of meat in sight, but helps herself to as much as she would eat if she were at home."—Chicago Tribune.

HONOLULU, April 5—Arrived April 5. S. S. "Salamia," Purdy, from Haere.

AMUSEMENTS

OPERA HOUSE.
One Night Only—Tuesday April 6
Grand Concert Tour of Canada by **EDITH MILLER.**
Assisted by Alfred Heather, principal tenor in Westminster Abbey, Thorpe Bates, England's most popular baritone, and Harold Craxton, charming young violinist of London (Eng.), and Harold Craxton, conductor and accompanist of London (Eng.) Seats now on sale. Prices, 50c., 75c., \$1.00 and \$1.50.

The Talk of the Town **Frankie Carpenter**
and her excellent Company including the favorite Comedian **Jere Grady** and the Midgit **Billy Rhodes**
Who Heads the Special Vaudeville Features
Special Scenery for Every Play—Beautiful Costumes
Prices—50c, 35c, 25c, 15c

HOLY WEEK—THE STAR OF BETHLEHEM—NEW SACRED PLAY
NICKEL TO DAY
BENNETT'S LAST WEEK
Harry Laurier's Soldier Play. "HIS M. A. D. A. S. Y."—One Continual Laugh—
Anne Edwards sings "The Swallow's Return" Edouard Courtais: "There is Nothing Like Love" "Paris School Children on Holidays" and other Pictures. ORCHESTRA

UNIQUE TO DAY
ADVENTURES OF A DRUMMER BOY
A magnificent war drama
3 other Subjects, Drama & Comedy
Mr. Kilroyne sings "The Lighthouse Bell"

PRINCESS
CARRINO AND HER THREE BEARS having missed the train will be unable to appear until Wednesday.
Today—Gardner Lowell and his trained dog. New Pictures, New Illustrated Song

STAR THEATRE CLOSED UNTIL FRIDAY
for further Repairs and Renovations

Do You Know That the highest grade of perfumes manufactured is the Blocki, and that it is sold in St. John by
The DOMINION SPECIALTY Co., Ltd.
Phone 2237. Opp. Dufferin Hotel

PEOPLE'S CIGAR STORE
I have the finest stock of Cigarettes and Tobaccos in the City.
News Depot—I handle all the local and foreign papers, all the American and English periodicals, with all the current magazines and novels.
Cor. Main St. and Paradise Row

TWO BEAUTIES
Ladies' Patent Colt Button Oxford Shoe \$4.00. Ladies Patent Blucher Shoes \$3.50, these are two of the many pretty lines of Easter Footwear just opened. We have opened the very swellest line of Neck Wear for men to be found in the city and at prices much less.

E. O. PARSONS
West End

TO COMMAND BISLEY TEAM

TORONTO, April 5—A report from Winnipeg says the agents of Lord Northcliffe, who is already heavily interested in Winnipeg property, have received one hundred and twenty thousand pounds from his lordship for investment in western property. Building is extremely busy in city structures. In the course of erection or plans for this season on Portage alone will exceed three million dollars, and besides Lord Northcliffe, other old country capitalists are sending large sums to be invested in Winnipeg or western property. Another indication of the building boom is the advance of a dollar a thousand on lumber which went into effect today.

"I must warn you, dearest, he said, that after we are married you will very likely find me inclined to be arbitrary and dictatorial in my manner. "No matter," she replied cheerfully, "I won't pay the slightest attention to what you say."—Scottish American.

OTTAWA, April 5—Lieut. Colonel Bertram, officer commanding the Third Infantry Brigade, Western Ontario command, has been appointed commandant of the Canadian Light Infantry for this year.

WASHINGTON Star—"It is curious," said Uncle Eben, "that a lot of folks will hardly notice a speech of de country's brainiest men, an' dat dey'll read every word of what an ex-champion of prize fighting has to say!"

MEN AND BOYS' CLOTHING AND FURNISHINGS

We have the best \$8.75 (Eight dollars and seventy-five) Brown Suit in St. John, all sizes for men from 34 to 42 very latest style; see these suits. You would pay almost double the above price in other stores for as good a suit as this \$8.75 one. Don't delay if you want a Brown Suit for Easter.

The UNION CLOTHING CO. STORE 26 and 28 Charlotte Street. Store Open Every Evening Till 8 O'clock

Classified Advertisements.

BUSINESS CARDS WHITEWASHING and Kalsomining done to order. Callings from 40 cents upwards. Orders left at The People's Dairy, Union St.; Central Fish Store, or 9 Union Alley. J. H. GRAVE. 15-3-4

What you want when you want it, can be had through the "Want" ads. Perhaps the clerk you want passes your office every day. "Call" him in by means of a "Want" ad. 1 Cent a Word, 6 Insertions for the price of 4

TO LET-New self contained flat. All improvements. Celebration St. A. HARRIS, No. 18 Meadow St. 3-4-4

SITUATIONS VACANT-FEMALE WANTED-Lady stenographer, one with some experience preferred. Apply P. O. BOX 383, City. 3-4-4

TO LET-Flat of 8 rooms and toilet. Apply 654, St. James street. 3-4-4

TO LET-Flat of 8 or 9 rooms. Moderate rent. Address Box 63, Star Office. 3-4-4

YAMAZAKI

The waiting-room in the Japanese Employment Bureau was suggestive of mystery. The shades, half drawn, left the office in a dim twilight while the room beyond was in a still more uncertain glow.

don't you work for almost nothing? He blinked in willful or uncomprehending silence. She raised her voice to a sweet shrill shout. "I can't begin to pay that, not anywhere near as much. Not sixty, not fifty dollars."

AIRSHIPS AS GREAT A NEED AS WARSHIPS

LONDON, April 5.-Great Britain seems to be waking up to the fact that the other nations of the world are leaving her behind in the race for command of the air.

HATT IS MAYOR OF MARYSVILLE

FREDERICKTON, N. B., April 5.-Charles H. Hatt was today elected mayor of Marysville, defeating his opponent by a majority of 14.

PULP INDUSTRY ON THE TOBIQUE

FREDERICKTON, N. B., April 5.-E. Stewart and others of Victoria are in the city this evening interested in promoting a bill before the legislature incorporating a company to be known as the Tobique Pulp and Paper Company.

SALE OF STAMPS

Ottawa, April 5.-For the fiscal year just ended the revenue of the Post Office department from the sale of stamps was \$1,135,000, as compared with \$1,070,000 for the preceding twelve months.

AMUSEMENTS.

SUMMER PICTURE STARTS AT THE NICKEL. The truly magnificent bill presented at the Nickel yesterday attracted such crowds that it reminded regular patrons of the mid-summer rushes of two years back.

AN EXCELLENT PROGRAMME AT THE UNIQUE IN PICTURES

The adventures of a Drummer Boy is an appealing and at the same time a very dramatic subject. Dealing as it does with the adventures and narrow escapes of a plucky little Drummer Boy, who heroically follows his father to the front in the time of war, and becomes extremely useful, particularly during the religious picture.

AT THE PRINCESS TODAY.

A telegram was received by the manager of the Princess today from Carrizo saying that she had missed the train and could not arrive in St. John until late Tuesday night.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST-Silver Watch. Will the two young men who picked it up kindly return to 146 Duke street. Reward.

THE KING DENTAL PARLORS.

Cor. Charlotte and South Market Streets. DR. EDSON M. WILSON, Prop

CANADIAN PACIFIC RETURN TICKETS AT SINGLE FARE (GENERAL PUBLIC) Between All Stations in Canada East of Port Arthur

Table with columns for train numbers, destinations, and departure times. Includes routes to Moncton, St. John, and other locations.

NOTICE TO MARINERS Notice is hereby given that the Gas Buoy anchored off Hen and Chickens, Yarmouth Harbour, N. S., which was removed, has been replaced in position.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., APRIL 6, 1904.

THE HOPE OF REFORM.

The larger number of those citizens who seek admission to the Common Council, do so in the hope that they may be able to bring about immediate reforms in civic affairs, which they intend to introduce as soon as they reach the conclusion, previous to election, that the business of the city is going to the dogs and that this is directly the fault of those who happen to be in office.

With the laudable ambition of bringing about a revolution in civic affairs, they seek the support of their fellow citizens on the promise of reform.

The result is always the same. After a few months experience as members of the board, these new arrivals find that the civic millennium is still far in the future and that the great changes which they intended introducing are not immediately possible.

No man should become a candidate under the impression that he is going to work a radical change in the administration, that he is, within a few months, to become one who will cut down taxation by fifty per cent; that he can pay better wages to all the officials, keep the streets in perfect repair and at the same time carry on permanent improvements and other public undertakings. Anyone possessed of such an idea is doomed to disappointment, for he will very quickly find that the condition existing in St. John is not due wholly to the men now in office, but is the result of many years of extravagance and misadministration.

The letter was dated New York, April 2, and was witnessed by two friends, Julius Pepper and his wife, of this city. Accompanying the letter was a copy of the "New York Citizen," which in which Proctor said: "The action being unusual, please permit the assurance that it is done with very high intentions."

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THE PASSOVER SERMON IN HAZEN AVENUE SYNAGOGUE

The following sermon was delivered last evening by Rabbi Bernard L. Amdur, at the Hazen Avenue Synagogue. The subject was: "Passover, the Birthday of Independence."

The resurrection of nature ushering in the spring season bids us say farewell to the cold dreary winter, for at last the earth is set free from the grasp of frost and cold and with renewed strength and vigor begins the work of recreation. With the resurrection of nature is combined the resurrection of our ancestors from ancient Egyptian bondage. King Pharaoh and noblemen regard themselves superior to others, if they can trace their descent to a remote and illustrious ancestor. They imagine that the right of the family tree is a more distinguished family than the commoners, even if the ancestor at the beginning of their line is a pirate or a freebooter, or one who acquired distinction by tramping underfoot the rights of others, or accumulating the wealth upon which the power of his family was founded by the ruler as a holy and regarded as sacred.

What is this, the nobility of a race that dates back four thousand years, a family tree which contains the most illustrious names by which men were graced the names of those who are held up as patterns and declared worthy to be imitated by all civilized men? And how did those, our patriarchs, achieve greatness and distinction by building their fortunes upon the shattered ruins of the possessions of others? By depriving of their well-earned and established rights those who lived around about them? By no means. Was there ever a noble and more admired character than the Patriarch Abraham, the friend of God and man to whom it was said by a blessing to himself, and mankind thereafter to be a blessing to humanity? Did he not do good to all who came in contact with him, and was he not a virtuous, independent of his honest belief which is his individual property?

There is also the name of our great legislator, Moses, with whom is forever connected the name of liberty, and independence and liberty, and the eternal glory of human rights. For among the Oriental nations of antiquity, liberty and freedom were unknown and incomprehensible terms. It was not until the time of Moses, everyone was a slave and a doper, the whole people a combination of men who were slaves and a despotic ruler, and by one, the despotic ruler. And tonight we point with pride at this miraculous birth of liberty, and the freedom of our ancestors. When the forefathers of other nations were naked savages and craved for a law-giving people and exalted through the consciousness of human liberty and the rights of man, our forefathers were a despotic ruler who lived in their midst. We celebrate, twelve million people, every year the Feast of Passover, the birthday of liberty, and thereby teach the lesson to each and every one, that man is born free, that he is not to be a slave, but before no human master, freedom of mind and independence of spirit is his own, that he is to be held responsible for his actions, of which none can relieve him.

We can celebrate our Passover with a lighter heart than our forefathers, because the light of civilization penetrates the mind of the intelligent world, one would never think cruelly to read an advertisement in a daily newspaper of tyrants who trample human rights under their feet for their own advantage and aggrandizement. The Jewish religion it has always recognized that no ceremonies can retain their vitality, but while recalling the memory of the past history, they must deal with the present, and continually direct our look upon ideals of the future for which we have to work hard.

Let the love of God do not mean the hate of man and we may reluctantly voice with the poet, "Liberty! Liberty! what a lovely dream thou art!" In the present age when the light of civilization penetrates the mind of the intelligent world, one would never think cruelly to read an advertisement in a daily newspaper of tyrants who trample human rights under their feet for their own advantage and aggrandizement.

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RENOUNCED HIS AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP

Authorities and Relations Puzzled by Act of New Jersey Engineer.

NEW YORK, April 5.—Efforts were made here tonight to learn why Fred A. Proctor, Jr., an electrical engineer of Holmar, N. J., wrote to Governor A. Franklin Post, of New Jersey, renouncing American citizenship, but he failed because Proctor is on his way to the island of Oahu, where he is said to have been for some time.

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NEW YORK, April 5.—A terrific cyclone on March 29 swept over the New Hebrides, according to news just received here, and the island of Toumau, which was inundated by a tidal wave, which destroyed the crops and many of the buildings. A number of vessels were stranded on the shores of the various islands.

A WIDOW'S LUCK
Quit the Thing that was Slowly Killing Her

NEW MEDICAL ACT.
It is the duty of those who know to protect those who do not know, of the intelligent man to guard the interests of his less highly qualified neighbor, and, as regards the most of us, we need protection against ourselves. People like to be fooled, even with the knowledge that they are taking risks, and certainly it must be admitted that members of the medical profession, men of high training and skill, are the ones on whose shoulders rests the obligation of protecting the health and lives of the unversed mass depending upon them for advice. But when such protection encroaches on individual rights, when it takes the form of a combine in restraint of the free practice of any profession, those who are directly affected or injured have at least good ground for complaint. While all will admit that the profession which involves the care of human life should be protected only by thoroughly competent men, still this does not necessitate the formation of a close corporation such as is now demanded by the New Brunswick Medical Association.

NEGROES SET THE FIRE

Three Million Dollar Blaze Said to Have Been Started Maliciously.

FORT WORTH, Texas, April 5.—A party of negroes today reported to the police that \$3,000,000 fire of last Saturday was started by malicious negroes. George Harris, a negro, is under arrest, charged with starting the fire, but nothing has been proved against him. The negroes threaten to bring any negro found guilty by the police investigation.

WILL TEST BAR HARBOR'S ANTI-AUTOMOBILE LAW

BAR HARBOR, Me., April 5.—Bar Harbor's anti-automobile law is to be tested in court today. S. H. Mayo of Southwest Harbor, an agent for an automobile concern, drove his machine into town over the Eagle Lake road, which is closed to the use of automobiles by vote of the town, an enabling act passed by the legislature in 1902 having given the town authority to close all of the roads leading into Bar Harbor.

LEFT LARGE AMOUNTS TO HIS NATIVE TOWN

NEW YORK, April 5.—The town of Hardwick, Mass., will be substantially benefited by the will of Calvin Paige, which was filed for probate here today. Mr. Paige was a New York merchant who died recently, and Hardwick was his native place. He left \$25,000 for the improvement of the town's public schools; \$20,000 for beautifying the cemetery where his ancestors lie buried and providing it with a watering system; \$10,000 for the improvement of agricultural pursuits in and about Hardwick, and \$25,000 to the First Universalist society, for the promotion of religious worship.

McKEOWN FINDS MANY FLAWS IN FLEMING'S ESTIMATES FOR YEAR

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 5.—The House met at three o'clock. Bills to authorize the city of Moncton to issue debentures, to amend the act incorporating St. John Real Estate Co., N. B. Masonic Hall Co., and Albert Mfg. Co., were read a third time and passed. Several bills were read a second time.

The House went into committee and further considered the liquor license bill, Mr. Churchill in the chair. Hon. Mr. Hazen introduced a section providing a penalty of \$5 and costs for every day a license holder has screened before his bar in violation of the law. The bill as introduced made it unlawful to have such screens, but no penalties were provided for a violation of the section.

Mr. McKewen thought the act should provide that inspectors could compel hotel proprietors to furnish at least two sample rooms for the use of commercial travellers. Speaking for Victoria county, he would state on his responsibility as a member of the House, that there had not been as much work done on the roads and bridges last year as in previous years with less money. He believed a great mistake had been made in reducing the size of logs allowed to be cut, and it was only drawing on the capital of the province.

MRS. SAMPSON PLEASD WITH HER JURY

LYONS, N. Y., April 5.—The work of selecting the jury which is to sit in judgment over the fate of Mrs. Georgia Allyn Sampson, placed on trial here today, charged with the killing last November of her husband, Harry Sampson, was completed when court adjourned today after an entire session devoted exclusively to the examination of witnesses.

PROMPT DELIVERY OF MEDICINES A STRONG POINT WITH US.

E. Clinton Brown, Druggist, Dispensing Chemist, Cor. Union and Waterloo Street

Easter Week Footwear Needs

We have been receiving all last week nice snappy lines direct from the manufacturers

Ladies' Tan Oxfords - \$1.75, 2.00, 2.25, 2.50, 3.00
Ladies' Patent Oxfords - \$2.25, 2.50, 2.75, 3.00
Ladies' Tan, Patent and Black Boots
Gold Bond Shoes for Men and Boys

PERCY J. STEEL, FOOT FURNISHER, 519-521 Main St.

Successor to Wm. Young.

FERGUSON & PAGE.

Jewelry, Etc.
41 King St.

Easter Shoes For Girls and Boys

Francis & Vaughan
19 King Street

Laundry Notice.

The STAR has the largest city circulation. STAR WANT ADS. reach more people in St. John. Place your Want Ads in THE STAR. One cent a day for each word.

CANADIAN ORDER FORESTERS Assessment System, Fraternal Insurance.

HOT X BUNS ORDER EARLY AT ROBINSON'S BAKERY

DEATHS
GILMOUR.—On the 5th inst, at her late residence, 241 Dalry street, Edna Waterbury Gilmour, daughter of Emily and the late R. B. Gilmour. Entered into rest. Funeral from St. John (Stone) church, 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

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THE STAR, ST JOHN N. B. TUESDAY, APRIL 6, 1909

LIST OF INSURANCE ON GOVERNMENT PROPERTIES

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 5.—Hon. Mr. Morrissey in reply to Mr. Currier's enquiry, said—

Q.—In what companies are the different Government buildings and their contents insured at the present time, as set out in answer to inquiry No. 27?

Q.—Who are the agents representing said companies?

Ans. 1 and 2.—The insurance on all Public Buildings stands as follows:

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, FREDERICTON.

Company. Amount. Agent.

Queen Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Phoenix Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

EDUCATION OFFICE, FREDERICTON.

Company. Amount. Agent.

British America Insurance Co. \$5,000.

OFFICE FURNITURE IN PUGSEY BUILDING, ST. JOHN.

Company. Amount. Agent.

Home Insurance Co. \$1,000 Knowlton and Gilchrist.

LEGISLATIVE BUILDING.

Company. Amount. Agent.

Queen Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Home Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Norwich Union Fire Ins. Co. \$5,000 B. H. Babbitt.

Guardian Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

North British and Mercantile Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Caledonia Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

British America Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Royal Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Phoenix Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Boiler Inspection and Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Phoenix of London. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

North British and Mercantile Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Atlas Assurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Royal Insurance Co. \$5,000 R. B. Haslam.

New York Underwriters. \$5,000 F. St. John Bliss.

St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. St. John Bliss.

DEPARTMENTAL BUILDING.

Company. Amount. Agent.

North British and Merc. Co. \$10,000 F. I. Morrison.

Norwich Union Ins. Co. \$5,000 T. B. and H. B. Robinson.

Caledonia Ins. Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Home Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Dominion Fire Ins. Co. \$5,000 A. D. Thomas.

Atlantic Mutual Ins. Co. \$5,000 A. D. Thomas.

NORMAL BUILDING.

Company. Amount. Agent.

Home Insurance Co. \$12,500 F. I. Morrison.

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Caledonia Ins. Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Atlas Assurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Queen Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Royal Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Caledonia Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

North British and Mercantile Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Phoenix Assurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Boiler Inspection and Ins. Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

ANNEX TO PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL.

Company. Amount. Agent.

Phoenix Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Caledonia Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Phoenix Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

North British and Merc. Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Royal Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Caledonia Insurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

North British and Mercantile Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Phoenix Assurance Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Boiler Inspection and Ins. Co. \$5,000 F. I. Morrison.

Q.—Are said Premiums paid annually or how otherwise?

Ans. All Premiums are paid every three years with the exception of Premiums on office furniture, etc., in Pugsey building, which has been paid annually.

Q.—What rates are paid on same?

Ans. The rates paid on insurance on Public Buildings mentioned in answers Nos. 1 and 2 are Old Government House, 3 per cent. for three years; Education Office, 1 per cent. for three years; office furniture in Pugsey Building, 5c. for one year; legislative building, 1 per cent. for three years; departmental building, 1 per cent. for three years; Normal School, 1 1/2 per cent. for three years, with the exception of boiler insurance, which is one per cent. annually; furniture, bird collections, etc., in legislative and departmental building, one per cent. for three years; Provincial Hospital, two per cent., with the exception of boiler insurance, payable annually; annex, two per cent., with the exception of boiler insurance, payable annually.

Q.—Have any policies been allowed to lapse by the present government which were issued by the late government?

Ans. No.

Q.—What amount, if any, is carried by non-profit companies?

Ans. The sum of \$28,500 is carried in non-profit companies.

Q.—What was the total amount of premiums and to whom were they paid?

Ans. The total amount of premiums on all public buildings is \$6,888.00. Included in this amount is \$445.00 premiums paid to non-profit companies as follows:

Companies. Amount. Premium. Agent.

Dominion Fire Ins. Co. \$5,000 \$50.00 A. D. Thomas.

Atlantic Mutual Ins. Co. \$5,000 70.00 A. D. Thomas.

Dominion Fire Ins. Co. \$5,000 60.00 W. R. Arnold.

Occidental Fire Ins. Co. \$5,000 40.00 J. V. Lawlor.

Nova Scotia Fire Ins. Co. \$5,000 60.00 J. V. Lawlor.

Nova Scotia Fire Ins. Co. \$5,000 60.00 E. J. Jarvis.

Ontario Fire Ins. Co. \$5,000 50.00 Alfred Barlow.

Equity Fire Ins. Co. \$5,000 50.00 J. M. Queen.

The Provincial Hospital is now under repair and the carpenter's risks on the total amount of insurance is \$150 per month.

FURNITURE IN LEGISLATIVE AND DEPARTMENTAL BUILDINGS.

Companies. Amount. Agents.

Sovereign Fire Insurance Co. \$5,000 W. E. Smith.

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Sun Fire Insurance Co. \$5,000 W. E. Smith.

Sun Fire Insurance Co. \$5,000 W. E. Smith.

BIRD COLLECTION IN LEGISLATIVE BUILDINGS.

Companies. Amount. Agents.

Phoenix Ins. Co. \$2,000 A. C. Fairweather.

Phoenix Ins. Co. of Hartford. \$2,000 Knowlton & Gilchrist.

PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL INSURANCE.

Companies. Amount. Agents.

New York Underwriters. \$5,000 White & Caldwell.

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New York Underwriters. \$5,000 F. St. J. Bliss.

St. Paul Fire and Marine. \$5,000 White & Caldwell.

Pacific Coast Ins. Co. \$5,000 H. H. Armstrong.

London Assurance Co. \$5,000 R. W. W. Frink.

Yorkshire Ins. Co. \$5,000 Tilley & Fairweather.

Richmond and Drummond Ins. Co. \$5,000 Tilley & Fairweather.

Sun Ins. Co. \$5,000 G. O. Oddy.

Law Union and Crown Ins. Co. \$5,000 G. O. Oddy.

Union Assurance Society. \$5,000 G. O. Oddy.

Phoenix of London. \$5,000 A. S. Hall.

Dominion Fire Ins. Co. \$5,000 W. H. Arnold.

Accidental Ins. Co. \$5,000 J. W. V. Lawlor.

London and Lancashire Ins. Co. \$5,000 G. E. Fairweather & Son.

Nova Scotia Ins. Co. \$5,000 J. W. V. Lawlor.

Commercial Union Ins. Co. \$5,000 G. E. Fairweather & Son.

Royal Ins. Co. \$5,000 J. W. V. Lawlor.

Queen Ins. Co. \$5,000 J. W. V. Lawlor.

North British and Merc. Co. \$5,000 D. R. Jack.

Commercial Union Ins. Co. \$5,000 A. C. Fairweather.

Hartford Fire Ins. Co. \$5,000 G. E. Fairweather & Son.

Northern Ins. Co. \$5,000 Peter Clupch.

Phoenix of Brooklyn. \$5,000 A. C. Fairweather & Son.

Royal Ins. Co. \$5,000 Machum & Foster.

Western Assurance Co. \$5,000 R. W. W. Frink.

Connecticut Ins. Co. \$5,000 Vroom & Arnold.

Norwich Union Ins. Co. \$5,000 T. B. & H. B. Robinson.

Guardian Ins. Co. \$5,000 Moffatt & McIlvree.

Canadian Casualty and Boiler Ins. \$5,000 Lockhart & Ritchie.

Liverpool & London & Globe Ins. Co. \$5,000 W. M. Jarvis.

Union Assurance Society. \$5,000 G. O. Oddy.

DICK BLAMES UNION FOR TRADE DEPRESSION Rumors of Strike Have Cut Down Their Contracts

Competition of American Operators Has Also Lessened Their Output—Duggan Continues.

GLACE BAY, N. S., April 6.—At the board of conciliation yesterday the principal witnesses were General Manager Duggan and Alex. Dick, general sales agent of the Dominion Coal Company.

Mr. Dick gave a general statement of conditions in the coal trade in the Dominion, where he said that the industry was at a low ebb.

He said that the coal trade was the chief cause for the company reducing their output and thereby "mooching" the laying off of men at their collieries.

He said some of their largest contracts for last year have been lost to American companies, which also accounted for slack work at their collieries this winter.

Among other contracts lost by them according to American competition were the Montreal Gas and Coke Company of 125,000 tons and the sale for over \$200 to smaller consumers had been lost through competition of American anthracite dealers.

Contracted for 48,000 tons for the Montreal cement works and 20,000 tons to a large steamship concern at Quebec. He said as the result of the depression in the coal trade and the inability of the company to get orders, contracts closed in time to start banking early there had already been a decrease this year of over half a million tons, which affected the Dominion Coal Company more than any other concern.

The Dominion Coal Company's business up to March showed a decrease of over 37,000 tons compared with last year, he said.

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THE STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. TUESDAY, APRIL 6, 1909

A Customer's Reasonable Wish is this Store's Pleasure.

DYKEMAN'S

Easter Ready to Wears for Ladies

We have taken some pains to gather together such styles as would be pleasing to you and at the same time reasonably priced, and we think we have succeeded because we are showing one of the best assorted and easiest priced stocks of ready made garments that this store has ever shown.

LADIES' SUITS. A special showing of attractive suits at prices ranging from \$10.00 to \$27.00. We can give you a handsome VENETIAN SUIT made in the very latest style at \$13.00, \$14.00 and \$15.00.

A GREAT BARGAIN IN LADIES' WALKING SKIRTS. About 100 in the lot. They are manufacturer's samples, all man tailored, made from lighter weight materials, with a touch of newness about each skirt which pronounces it distinctly up-to-date. Only one skirt of each style in the lot and they will be sold AT ONE-THIRD LESS THAN THE REGULAR PRICE. The prices now run FROM \$2.25 UP TO \$2.50.

A lot of \$10.00 SKIRTS among these that are NOW PRICED \$5.50.


A lot of \$5.00 SKIRTS that are NOW PRICED \$3.00. Other prices are in the same proportion.

SILK WAISTS FOR EASTER. Some handsome designs, entirely new, at \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$6.00.

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Easter Post Cards.

We are showing a fine assortment. Also Devotional Books in dainty bindings for Easter gifts.

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Just received a sample lot of White-
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Ladies' Night Gowns, 50c, 60c, 75c, 85c, 90c, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.20, \$1.30, \$1.50, \$1.75 to \$2.75 each.

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Ladies' Drawers, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, 85c, 90c, 95c, 1.00, \$1.20 to \$2.75.


Ladies' Corset Covers, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, 85c, 90c, 95c, 1.00.

White Shirt Waists, 40c, 50c, 65c, 85c, 90c, \$1.00 to \$3.00 each.

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EASTER COLLARS FOR MEN

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MEN'S EASTER TIES, 25 and 35c each.

MEN'S EASTER GLOVES, \$1.15 pair.

MEN'S SHIRTS, fancy stripes and plain, 69, 75, 85, \$1.00, \$1.15, \$1.25

MEN'S FINE BRACES, 25, 35, 50c.

MEN'S CASHMERE HOSE, 25, 35, 50c pair.

MEN'S MERINO UNDERWEAR, 50c each.

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THE WEATHER

Maritime—Fair and mild.

LOCAL NEWS

H. Company and Fullerton will issue clothing Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Why pay that long price for fine clothes when Pidgeon's North End store offers equal quality for less.

The death of Edward Kitchen took place at the General Public Hospital last night after some weeks of illness. Deceased resided at South Bay and leaves a wife and two children.

Captain F. L. Potts, of Cygnat Company Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias entertained the members of the company to a dinner at White's restaurant last night. The toast list included the King, which was received with the usual honors; Supreme Lodge, responded to by Past Supreme Lodge Representatives F. A. Godson and LeBaron Wilson; 1st Regiment of the Maritime Provinces, by Col. A. Dodge and Adjutant Everett; Grand Lodge, by Past Supreme Prelate James Moulson, Grand K. of R. and Uniform Rank, Captain Kilmear, Captain Potts and B. L. Sheppard; Subordinate Lodge, Chancellor, Commander Thomas, and Chancellor Commander McCollough.

THE INS AND OUTS OF THE WINTER PORT

Michigan is Bringing a Thousand Passengers—Last Donaldson Boat Due Tomorrow.

The Donaldson Liner Athena, the last of the winter service here, is expected to reach port this evening. She left Glasgow March 27th, carrying a large number of passengers and a large general cargo.

The Furness Liner Rappahannock sailed for London via Halifax this morning at 11 o'clock. She took away a general cargo.

The C. P. R. steamer Lake Michigan from London and Antwerp, is due here Wednesday morning. She is bringing one of the largest cargoes this season having 4,000 tons of cargo and one thousand passengers aboard.

TWO ACCIDENTS ON THE WEST SIDE

Tom Law Had One Leg Broken and the Other Crushed—William Laboy Had a Hand Badly Squeezed.

While at work in a box car at Sand Point this morning about 3 o'clock, Tom Law, an Englishman, belonging to Montreal, had his right leg broken and his right leg badly bruised.

He was working with a C. P. R. gang in the car, helping them to unload a heavy case of machinery, when the case slipped off the truck catching his leg and pinning it to the door.

William Laboy, a C. P. R. trucker, was taken to the C. P. R. emergency hospital where it was found by Dr. F. L. Kenney that his left leg was broken and that his right leg was badly smashed. Law was removed to the general hospital in the ambulance.

William Laboy, a C. P. R. trucker, met with a painful accident, having his left hand badly crushed while at work in No. 3 at Sand Point, this morning about 5 o'clock. He was taken to the emergency hospital where Dr. F. L. Kenney attended him.

JEWISH PASSOVER BEGAN LAST NIGHT

Its Faithful Observance by Local Hebrews

Services Continue from Monday to Tuesday Night—The Holiday and What it Means to Descendants of Israel

This is the week of the Passover, and it is being observed by devout Jews in every part of the world. The eight days, which commenced at sunset last night, form the most important season in the Hebrew calendar, and appropriate services are being held in the local synagogues. Rabbi Andrus presided in the Elson avenue synagogue last night and services are being held this morning, this evening and tomorrow evening. Tuesday and Wednesday are considered the most important days of the season and special care is given the rites of the institution on those days.

The Jewish Passover partakes of a patriotic as well as religious festival. Commemorating as it does the throwing off of Pharaoh's yoke the season somewhat resembles the American celebration of Independence Day or our own First of July, which is in honor of the founding of our Dominion. As the Jews regard Jehovah as the head of their state and their temporal as well as spiritual ruler the holiday is, however, a deeply religious one.

As a holiday, however, the Passover is the most poetic. Its celebration of freedom symbolizes not only the breaking of shackles by all oppressed people, but it is the festival of the birth of spring—the resurrection of life. In order to transport themselves in spirit to the days when their ancestors were led out of the house of bondage, the orthodox Jews eat unleavened bread for eight days in honor of the present generations that their ancestors in the eagerness to leave the house of bondage took their unleavened bread with them.

The beginning of Passover is marked by two Seder nights. These are celebrated this year on Monday and Tuesday evenings. The Seder is one of the most impressive and pleasant family gatherings among orthodox Jews. The head of the family—in his absence—in the oldest son takes his place—lounges on sofa cushions at the head of the table, the lounge symbolizing that in leaving the house of bondage every Jew has become a freeman, a monarch in his own home.

Like the Oriental monarchs and Greek patriarchs, who used to lounge, while consuming their meals, so the new lounges while enjoying his Passover meal in the company of his family.

After the head of the family blesses the wine, at the close of which everyone utters devout Amen, the ceremony is begun. The youngest in the family questions why everything looks so different that night. To this the head of the family answers by telling the story of the exodus of the Jews in Egypt and of the miracles performed by the God of Israel in behalf of the oppressed children.

Four cups of wine are prescribed for each person during the Seder. They are toasts to Abraham, Moses, Israel, the oppressed, and one to the future, which always shines forth to the orthodox Jew as the hope of seeing Jerusalem rebuilt. In addition to the cups the persons present there is a cup for the Prophet Elijah, who is supposed to visit his beloved people during the Seder. The door is even left open to admit him. Bitter roots are consumed as a reminder of the bitter life led by the Jews in Egypt. Parsley is used as a symbol of thankfulness for the earth's products.

DELEGATES RETURN FROM MISSIONARY CONGRESS

W. A. Stepler Says It Was an Inspiration—Leaders in All Denominations Took Part.

The St. John delegates to the first national laymen's missionary congress in the world's history returned from Toronto via C. P. R. today.

W. A. Stepler, the delegate from St. Luke's church, speaking to The Star, stated that the congress in every way exceeded his highest expectations. Massey Hall, seating five thousand people was crowded every session with strong, solid, mature business men, banking officials, managers of leading business industries, professional men and business men of every description and six hundred ministers, representing all Protestant denominations, gathered together from the Atlantic to the Pacific, discussed in an intelligent and business-like way Canada's responsibility in evangelizing its share of the world. The addresses were all of a very high order. Men's hearts were deeply stirred by the facts and testimonies presented. To Mr. Stepler personally was given a new vision of life and its duties. The impressions received cannot soon be forgotten. The Bishops of Toronto and Huron, Canon Cody and Tucker and Silas McRobie were the principal speakers, while representatives of the Church of England, celebrated men of all creeds took part, including Sir Andrew Frazer. There was not a discordant note or address in the whole congress. Plans were formulated through which, it is hoped, commencing with the man nearest and extending until every man, civilized and savage, will bear the message of God's love in this generation.

Several of the St. John delegates visited Niagara and Montreal on the return trip.

NOTHING DOING.

The April non-jury circuit opened this morning at eleven o'clock. His Honor Mr. Justice McLeod presided. The case of McKean vs. Dalhousie Lumber Co. was made a remount. Weldon and McLean represented the plaintiff, and W. A. Ewing, K. C. the defendant.

L. P. D. Tiley read the naturalization papers of Erice Marrotto, an Italian.

There being no further business the court adjourned sine die.

PERSONAL

Albert Roberts and family, of Spring St., leave on the Boston train today for Los Angeles, Cal., where they intend to settle.

The board of management of the Seaman's Mission will meet at the mission at eight o'clock this evening.

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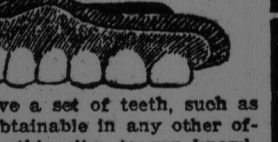
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I have a set of teeth, such as is obtainable in any other office in this city, to my knowledge. It is out of the ordinary line and unlike the teeth in general use. Its beauty is at once apparent and it is practically unbreakable.

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We have made special preparations for this exhibition of Modish Millinery, and the ladies may rest assured that this display will surpass our previous efforts.

The showing will comprise all new and fashionable shapes, trimmed in the most fetching good style. In all a marvelous collection of dainty creations for immediate wear.

Wednesday and Thursday
IN SILK ROOM.

Easter Sale

Ladies' Suits Coats and Hats



SUITS, Ready Made, from \$10.00 to \$35.00.
SUITS, Costume Made, from \$12.00 to \$45.00.
COATS from \$4.00 to \$12.00.
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An Examination

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BLACK SKIRTS	- - -	\$1.75, 2.50, 3.25, 3.65, 4.25, 4.75
PLAIN NAVY SKIRTS	- - -	\$1.75, 2.50, 2.65
PLAIN BROWN SKIRTS	- - -	\$2.65, 3.65, 4.50
GREEN and BLACK STRIPE	- - -	\$4.50
GARNET and BLACK STRIPE	- - -	\$4.50
GRAY SKIRTS (various shades)	- - -	\$3.25, 4.50

S. W. McMackin,
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Easter Blouse Waists

Net Blouse Waists in white, cream, ecru. Plain and embroidered, tucked and shirred trimmings of insertions, medallions, buttons, etc. Sizes, 34 to 40. \$4.25 to \$9.00. PRETTY NET WAISTS, Dresden trimmings, including spots, insertions, etc. \$5.00 to \$9.00. COLORED NET WAISTS, in Old Rose, Wateria, Navy, Brown, Black, etc. Sizes, 34 to 40. \$4.25 to \$9.00. LAWN BLOUSE WAISTS, latest styles, newest trimmings and insertions, long sleeves. Sizes, 34 to 42. 65c. to \$7.00. TAILORED SHIRT WAISTS, White Lawn with laundered collar and cuffs. Sizes 34 to 40. \$1.00 up.

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