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BRILLIANT WEDDINGS

Wedding Today of Miss Mary Peters and H. A. Smith

A SOCIETY EVENT

Ceremony Took Place This Afternoon in St. John's (Stone) Church Which Was Splendidly Decorated for the Occasion.

St. John society circles are in a flutter today over the wedding of one of this city's fairest daughters.

The church was very beautifully decorated for the occasion, as was also the Peters residence on Germain street.

The full church choir was present for the occasion and rendered several selections very pleasingly.

The bride, Miss Hannah Muriel Logan, was attired in a gown of pale blue cloth, a blue hat with plumes of the same shade and carried a bouquet of white lilies.

The flower girl, little Miss Christian Edwards, daughter of Col. M. B. Edwards, wore a pink and white costume with hat to match and carried a basket of pink roses.

The page, Master C. Martin Merritt, wore a white suit with a white hat.

The groom was attended by Clarence E. Case, a lawyer, of New York, and W. G. Ham, C. Allison, Hazen Barnaby, Wm. G. Dugley and A. Shirley Peters acted as ushers.

At the end of the first part of the ceremony the 47th Psalm was chanted by the choir and after the benediction three verses of A. C. Benson's beautiful bride hymn was sung.

The bride's bouquet was a copy of the same in white and gold, of the marriage ceremony, as a souvenir of the occasion.

The house decorations were of sweet peas, tulips and other spring flowers.

The bride's going away gown was of grey cloth, with a touch of blue, a black hat trimmed with blue and feathers of the same hue, and a black shawl.

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MONTREAL HAS \$200,000 FIRE

Much Damage Done in The Wholesale District

INTENSE COLD

Temperature Was 12 Degrees Below Zero and Many Firemen Were Badly Frost Bitten--Cold Weather in West Claims Another Victim

MONTREAL, Feb. 12.—(Special)—A fire in St. Paul street in the centre of the wholesale district early this morning caused damage to the extent of \$200,000.

The Swift, Copeland structure of stone is a wreck and today with the thermometer twelve degrees below zero, is a sheet of ice from top to bottom.

The firemen who were working in the intense cold suffered terribly and frost bitten hands, feet and faces are to be seen in the fire houses throughout the city.

At the St. John's (Stone) church, the Rev. Gustave A. Kuhring, rector of St. John's church, was the officiating clergyman and D. Arnold Fox was in charge of the musical portion of the service.

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LEGAL BATTLE BETWEEN DELMAS AND JEROME IS NOW EARLY UNDER WAY

Sensational Evidence in Thaw Case is Now Practically All In--The Rest of the Trial Will Consist Mainly of Technical Details and Controversies Between Lawyers--Today's Session.

THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT

It Was Opened by The King in Due Form

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The second session of the second parliament of the present reign, which promises to be of special interest and importance owing to the Liberal attack on the House of Lords and the introduction of an instalment of home rule for Ireland, was opened by King Edward this afternoon with all the imposing ceremony which has attended these functions since his accession.

The king and queen in the historic golden coach participated in the usual state procession from Buckingham palace to the House of Lords.

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A BAD FIRE IN MONCTON

Maritime Engineering Company's Works Burned

EARLY THIS MORNING

Damage Will Reach \$10,000 Partly Covered by Insurance--Fire Started in the Furnace Room--Firemen Had a Hard Fight

MONCTON, Feb. 12 (Special)—The Maritime Engineering Co. works, better known as Weir's machine shop, was destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning.

The fire department had a busy night. They had just returned from responding to a needless alarm when an alarm came in about midnight for a fire in the Maritime Engineering Co.'s shop.

When discovered the fire had made considerable headway and with the high wind blowing was beyond control before the firemen arrived.

The building was divided into three compartments, machine, erecting and blacksmith shops.

The fire ran through every section and the building is almost a complete wreck.

By pouring a flood of water on the flames the firemen prevented the burning embers being carried across the street on to the Record Foundry & Machine Co's buildings a few yards distant.

The machinery and tools in the building to the value of \$7,000 or \$8,000, and all were more or less damaged.

The building, machinery and tools worth about \$10,000, and it is said to be partially insured.

The shops were first built some thirty years ago, by the late Jonathan Weir, and at the latter's death the business was carried on by his son, J. F. Weir.

At the evening service in St. Andrew's church, Rev. Dr. Herdridge spoke of a Christian's position with regard to worldly affairs.

Dr. Herdridge said that the scriptures did not teach the Christian to be indifferent to the affairs of this world.

Self-maintenance was not so simple a matter as it was in earlier ages.

The necessities of life were also becoming more and more numerous.

There was a great inclination to seek wealth by speculations rather than persistent effort.

In some quarters if a man has no money he is considered of no consequence at all.

He continued that some maintained that as there was so much sin in the world the only way to live pure lives was by withdrawing entirely from it.

Such a course, however, would be to neglect the duties which should be developed.

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CHRISTIANS AND WORLDLY AFFAIRS

No Good Reason for Commercial Dishonesty or Social Insincerity.

CHINESE NEW YEAR

St. John's Chinese Residents Celebrating New Year's Day Today.

The Chinese residents of this city are today celebrating their New Year. Owing to the fact that nearly all the laundries are rushed with work, the occasion was not marked by any special gatherings.

The celestials visited each other and exchanged sweetmeats and wished each other all good things during the next year.

During the first week in March the Chinese members of the Brussels St. church school, will give an entertainment in aid of the talent fund of the church.

WALL STREET AND JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—John D. Rockefeller's gift of \$20,000,000 for education interested Wall Street vastly. The gift, it was noted, is in the form of interest bearing securities.

Now what Wall Street wants to know is what are those securities? The deduction is also drawn that Mr. Rockefeller has misread the stock market in recent months, otherwise, it is argued, he would have handed them over several months ago, when their market value would have been (presumably) many millions higher and the gift would thus have looked bigger.

He has borne the shrinkage in value instead of leaving the authorities to bear the brunt.

The question is asked cynical Wall Street, What effect will this donation to the country have on the government?

If Standard Oil stocks figure prominently in the little bundle the authorities will be in a sense prosecuting themselves, for Mr. Rockefeller has virtually made the authorities partners in Standard Oil.

MONTREAL STOCKS

MONTREAL, Feb. 12.—(Special)—Exchange was practically listless today so small was the volume of business offering.

The only issues which figured in the early dealings were Dominion Iron 22 3/4; Nova Scotia Steel, 72 1/4. Both of which showed marked strength and MacKay pd. 69 7/8 and Rio Bonds 78 3/8.

The executive of the Canadian Club lunched at White's today, the guests of Dr. T. D. Walker. A list of names of new members was approved.

Dr. Walker was appointed a speaker for the first club luncheon. Dr. Parker will speak at a later meeting. Rt. Hon. James Bryce will also be asked to address the club.

Trouble is threatened at Highbury and other New South Wales Collieries unless the non-unionists there join the Miners' Federation.

MANY SUNK WITH SHIP

Jay Line Steamer Collided with Schr. Harry Knowlton and Sunk--Estimated 20 Lives Lost.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Feb. 12.—The schr. Harry Knowlton, coal barge, Capt. Halsey, South Amboy for Boston, was run down off Watch Hill, early today by an unknown passenger steamer bound west. The schooner was sunk, but it is understood that all hands were saved. It is said that the steamer proceeded on its way without stopping after the collision.

BLOCK ISLAND, R. I., Feb. 12.—The steamer Larchmont, of the Jay Line, with many passengers on board, bound from Boston for New York, sunk off the northwest side of Block Island early today, after having collided with the three masted schooner Harry Knowlton. Passengers and crew of the steamer took to the boats.

The schooner's bow was cut away, and her captain ran her ashore to prevent her sinking. The crew of seven men, including Captain Halsey, reached shore safely in their own boats.

The cause of the collision is not known. It was intensely cold throughout the night, the thermometer hovering about the zero mark early today. When the first boats came ashore from the steamer it was found that some of their occupants were dead. In the first confusion it was not known whether they had been drowned or whether they were frozen to death.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 12.—A private message received here from Block Island stated that fourteen bodies had been washed ashore. The official passenger list of the steamer was carried by Capt. McVey, to be delivered by him upon his arrival in New York. The Joy line officials estimated that there were about 150 passengers on board, and the crew numbered about 30.

BLOCK ISLAND, Feb. 12.—Capt. Charles Mitchell, of the North End life saving station, of which point the Larchmont is sunk, estimates that between 15 and 20 bodies have already come ashore from the steamer. Up to 10:30 o'clock several boats had landed and others were making slow progress from the wreck toward shore.

The agent of the Harry Knowlton in this city is J. A. Gregory. She was built in the year 1890 at Drottville, N. Y. and was 279 tons net. She was here recently and cleared from this port for New York on Jan. 8. The following are the members of the crew who were on board the schooner at the time of the accident: Frank T. Haley, master; Frank Govan, mate; Robert Waycote, steward; H. van Look, Carl Johnson, E. Nicholson, and F. Borgensen, able seamen.

Captain Haley is a native of this city, all the others of the crew are foreigners.

ENOUGH TO MAKE HIM WILD. "How in the world did you get the public to believe you had a genuine wild man?" asked the museum manager. "I billed a 'wild man,' but no one would believe he was really wild."

"Oh, it was dead easy with my 'wild man,'" chuckled the manager of the show. "I added on the bills that he had 200 wives, and no one could doubt that he was wild."—Chicago News.

COLLINS CASE UP TOMORROW

Argument in Appeal Has Been Postponed—Farmers and Dairymen Meet.

FREDERICTON, Feb. 12.—(Special)—Argument in the Collins murder case has been postponed until tomorrow. The case is being argued by Mr. J. D. Driscoll for the defendant and Mr. J. D. Driscoll for the plaintiff.

Six rinks of St. Andrew's curlers arrived from St. John this morning to play a return match with the Fredericton club.

The annual convention of the Farmers' and Dairymen's Association was opened this afternoon. Donald Innes delivered a brief address on sheep raising. Hon. L. P. Harris dealt with the crops of the past year. In potatoes there was a falling off of 168,000 bushels, but other crops showed an increase.

Crop returns were as follows: Wheat, 408,580 bushels, average 19.5; oats, 8,065,850, average 22; barley, 30,335, average 23.2; buckwheat, 1,179,998, average 20.94; turnips, 2,280,022, average 49.7; potatoes, 5,392,972, average 133.1. The output of butter factories increased \$8,100 over last year. The cheese output was 1,200,838 pounds. Total cash value of factory made cheese and butter was \$737,963.

FUNERALS The body of Arthur Isaacs was interred in Fernhill cemetery this afternoon. Funeral services were held at his late residence, Sewell street, by Rabbi Rabinovitch.

The funeral of George W. Thompson was held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, from his late residence, 72 High street. Rev. N. McLaughlin conducted the services and interment was made in Fernhill cemetery. The members of Court O'Connell, I. O. F., attended in a body, members of the order acting as pall-bearers.

The funeral of Mrs. Jane Irvine was held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her son's residence, Main street, Fairville, Rev. A. M. Hill conducted the services and interment was made in Cedar Hill cemetery. The immediate relatives acted as pall-bearers.

THE MAYOR'S MISTAKE It was the intention of Mayor Sears to take the visiting municipal delegates for a walk around town this afternoon, to get an appetite for the banquet; but it will be necessary to take sleighs. It appears that most of the delegates went out on their own account, and after they had negotiated a few sidewalks, were not in fit condition to do any more walking. On a man was quite indignant, and declared that the mayor should have included them in his letter of invitation to bring their skates. This gentleman slipped and fell fourteen times in five minutes, and carried one arm in a sling.

A man who was seen in the morning sand on one of the sidewalks was scolding and hotly pursued, got away.

HIRAM'S INSPIRATION. Mr. Hiram Hornbeam is in town today, to attend the convention of municipal delegates. Hiram has aspirations, and may be himself a candidate at the next municipal campaign in his county. But when he met the Times newspaper reporter he was cogitating over quite a different matter. It appears that there had been some difficulty between Hiram and his next neighbor, about the line between their farms, through the woodlot on the rear, and Hiram had cut some trees on what he claimed was his property, but which a subsequent survey proved to be that of his neighbor. Hiram has been reading the papers lately, with the result that he has outlined a line of defence which he believes will influence the jury in the suit against him for damages.

"My grandfather," said Hiram to the reporter, "according to the neighbors, was crazy half the time. My father had queer spells, and I've heard mother call him an old fool, many a time. My wife says the same thing to me every now and then. Now if I kin git a good lawyer, what's the matter with provin' that I was insane when I cut them logs?"

The newspaper admitted that it was only a question of money, and Hiram said he guessed he'd see a few lawyers before he went home.

O'GARRA'S SIDE OF THE CASE

Negro Will Sue J. D. Driscoll for False Imprisonment.

Michael S. O'Garra, the negro who in December last was arrested at the instance of J. D. Driscoll, prosecutor in the case against him, charged him with brutal assault, is determined to fight his case in court. The prosecution's inability to produce any evidence in support of their charges, and his detention in jail for 30 days without a hearing, has retained L. D. Driscoll as legal adviser and the case will be heard at the next sitting of the supreme court. O'Garra says that on the night of December 10, 1906, about twenty men, most of them prominent citizens, were drinking in the bar of the hotel above referred to and about two hours before the disturbance, he let them out at the office and ladies' entrance by Mr. Driscoll's orders. One man, in particular, was half drunk and after the others referred to had departed Driscoll told him to put the man out, that he was "no good."

O'Garra objected saying to Driscoll, "If this man goes out now, he will likely be put behind the prison bars."

Driscoll replied, "He's no good, prison is the best place for him, and I will see that it is so."

Driscoll became angry and said he would put him out himself, and that he did, and then he and Chas. Wilkins, the night bartender, assaulted and kicked O'Garra, and called the police, who were arrested on Driscoll's orders. O'Garra adds to this statement that the police urged him to cause no arrest, and accuses Inspector Jones of neglecting his duty.

POLICE COURT In the police court this morning John Armstrong, a pedlar, was fined \$8 or two months for wandering about Mill street and being unable to give a satisfactory account of himself to the police.

John McGuire was fined \$8 or twenty days for drunkenness, and John Campbell was fined \$4 or ten days on a similar charge.

The Miller liquor case stands over till Friday morning.

Governor Hoch, of Kansas, is using his influence to prevent the threatened strike of firemen on the Harriman railroads.

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A POINT IN MARKET LAW

Judge Ritchie Had An Important Base Before Him This Morning.

What Judge Ritchie regards as the most important market case that has come before him in the said city market, with intent to sell the same again, unless the same shall have been exposed for sale in the said market for at least three hours between sunrise and sunset on the market day, under the penalty of twenty dollars for each and every such act.

"No shopkeeper, bucker or other person shall purchase, bargain for, or agree to purchase within the said city, any eggs, butter or other provisions or articles usually sold in the said city market, with intent to sell the same again, unless the same shall have been exposed for sale in the said market for at least three hours between sunrise and sunset on the market day, under the penalty of twenty dollars for each and every such act."

WEDDINGS McManus-McCollough

A quiet wedding will take place this afternoon at four o'clock in the Cathedral, when Rev. A. W. Meahan will officiate in marriage Miss Kathleen McCollough, daughter of the late Henry McCollough, to B. McManus, of Memramcook.

The bride will be attended in a pale blue broadcloth suit with black hat and will wear white fox fur.

The groom will be supported by his brother, Harry McManus, of Memramcook.

After the ceremony a wedding repast will be served at the residence of the bride's brother, 288 Douglas avenue.

This evening the couple will leave for Memramcook, where they will reside.

Owing to the late illness of the bride and to the recent death of the groom's sister the wedding will be of a quiet nature.

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BY L. G. MOBERLY.

(Continued.)

"I hear the girl no ill will," she said, with her sweetest smile; "it all happened nearly two years ago, and no doubt Lady Connell has forgotten all about it, if indeed she ever knew. I hear Miranda no grudge; I did my best for her, and she was disappointed; but after all what can one expect of a person of that class? The disdain which the speaker contrived to put into the four last words might have withered the object of them had she been in the least conscious of their utterance. But she was not even aware of Mrs. Bedsworth's presence in the room, but was giving her whole attention and interest, as was her wont, to those who were immediately engaging her in conversation, when a sudden movement amongst those assembled opened a passage way between her and the group of which Mrs. Bedsworth was the centre. Mrs. Grey's eyes were upon her charge, and Mrs. Grey was fully aware of the precise moment at which Molly became conscious of the proximity of the woman from whom she had fled two years ago in fear of her life.

The little widow lost the thread of the conversation—in quick she was herself taking part, so intently did she watch the girl's expressive face. For an instant a change crept over her, the smile by which it had been lighted died slowly away; the well cut lips closed into a line that was almost hard; the brown eyes, that she drew before had been dancing with amusement, hardened like the lips. Then she drew herself up ever so slightly, though even that slight movement had the effect of increasing her height and staidness to quite a curious extent, and without glancing to right or left, moved down the passage way that had opened amongst the crowd of people.

"How do you do, Mrs. Bedsworth," she said, holding out her hand to that lady, who, for perhaps the only time in her life, looked surprised and taken aback; "I have only just realized that you were here."

Miss Stophor, whose pale eyes were taking in every detail of the heiress' beautiful clothes, whilst her mental faculties were divided between amazement at the effrontery of persons of that class, and eager hope that she might be introduced to this newest sensation, edged herself a trifle nearer to the two speakers, in order that she might miss no word said by either of them. But if she had hoped for something melodramatic in their brief parleying, she must have been deeply disappointed. Mrs. Bedsworth's first surprise, erroneously attributed by Miss Stophor to disgust at Miss Hume's presuming to speak to her, was quickly subdued, and her ready hand met Molly's.

"My dear child," she exclaimed in her most soothing accents, "how delightful it is to meet you. I had no idea you would be here. Is this to be the beginning of a second debut?"

The edge to the words was either lost upon Molly, or she skillfully ignored it.

"We have only just come back from abroad," she said; "we have been traveling for nearly two years, and it is delightful to be at home again. Why—surely—that is Stella," she exclaimed, breaking off her sentences abruptly, as her glance fell upon a figure standing a little

Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers.



STREET COSTUME OF BROAD CLOTH
Light bluish gray broadcloth was used for the model of the costume illustrated, the coat of which was a little double-breasted Eton. Flat silk braid in self-tone was used as trimming, along with narrow soutache to match. The little in-

"Oh! I thought, of course, you knew all her story," came the rather sharp retort. Mrs. Bedsworth's partner was wearing a thinner and thinner, as her keen eyes noted the constant throng of men and women who surrounded Molly. "She will lose her money if she marries before next year. It was left her on condition that she either married Alan Dayrell within three years, or remained unmarried for that time. If she marries before the three years expires, Mr. Dayrell gets the fortune, which indeed ought to be his in all right and justice."

"Why, Molly," she cried, "why, Molly! Surely it isn't you. I didn't know you one bit. You look quite—quite different, somehow."

Molly's laugh had always been one of her most charming attributes, and she laughed now, low and pleasantly. "It is two years since we met," she answered, "and I have learnt a great many things since then."

"Yes, you have," Stella said dreamily, her eyes wandering from the crown of the other girl's bright hair to the hem of her trailing white gown.

"I never thought—" she went on, then caught herself up with an embarrassed laugh and blush.

"You never thought I should learn to behave properly, did you?" Molly answered meditatively. "I have taken me a long time, and I have given Mrs. Grey an infinity of trouble—but I meant to learn—and I have learned. As she speaks, her lips closed again in that line that gave such strength to her face, and Sir Ralph, whose eyes constantly returned to their puzzled scrutiny of his new guest, looked on at her with a certain air of interest before her. I know the very way her mouth sets itself in that masterful line, and the turn of her head is equally familiar to me; yet I am sure I have never seen her before."

"She has a very remarkable personality," Mrs. Granley answered, looking earnestly at Molly through her pince nez; "whatever her origin, it might safely be prophesied that a girl with a chin and mouth like hers would rise in the world."

The legacy was only an incident in her career. That girl must have come to the surface, fortune or no fortune, making whom she had a slight acquaintance, and of remarkable powers of observation, and throughout the dinner and the evening that followed, she saw enough of Molly Hume's bearing and manners to feel that she was justified in her opinion of the new heiress. It so chanced that later in the evening she found herself in close proximity to Mrs. Bedsworth, with whom she had a slight acquaintance, and vaguely connecting that lady in her mind with the girl of whom her thoughts were full, she said with a smile—

"Miss Hume is the centre of attraction tonight. I cannot help thinking that she will create a considerable sensation in town." Having spoken the kindly lady was disposed to regret having said the words, for her quick glance caught the gleam of something unfriendly in her companion's eyes, and saw the acidity in the smile that was intended to express nothing but sweetness.

"Perhaps she will make a sensation this time," Mrs. Bedsworth said with some acerbity; "she failed at her first experiment; but of course, she was terribly crude two years ago. Still—with her money she ought to carry everything before her."

"It isn't so much her money that will carry things before her; it is she herself," Mrs. Granley said, almost brusquely. "As I was saying before dinner to Sir Ralph, a girl with that face and character is capable of doing and being practically anything she chooses."

"I wonder that no one has wanted to marry her," replied the other lady, the acid quality of her accents becoming more apparent. The general admiration expressed for Molly, and the attention the girl had attracted during the whole evening, had at last succeeded in wearing down the very thin surface veneer of pleasantness that covered Mrs. Bedsworth's venomous little soul. "I quite thought she would have come back engaged after her long absence abroad, though she will naturally not wish to be married until next year."

"Why should she wish to wait till next year?" Mrs. Granley questioned, looking puzzled and interested.

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No wonder it makes weak people strong and puny children robust. The Orange Meat Company will give \$3000 to the person sending in the largest number of coupons taken from the 15c packages in addition to the valuable premiums. The coupons must be mailed or delivered on or before March 30th, 1907. Letters must reach the office of Orange Meat Co., Kingston, before April 9th, when the prize will be awarded.

A very enjoyable time was spent in St. Rose's hall, Fairville, last evening, when Branch 184, C. M. B. A., gave a dance and entertainment. The entertainment consisted of the presentation of the drama, Cast up by the Sea, by the St. Rose's L. A. D. Club.

Dr. White's Honey Balm

HAS NO EQUAL FOR CURING COUGHS AND COLDS.

It cures by going to the bottom of the trouble and when the cause is removed the cough is gone. It greatly relieves Whooping Cough, and is a general favorite in families where there are children. Price 25 cents.

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That is what the baker is doing who buys "FIVE ROSES" or "HARVEST QUEEN" FLOUR, even if he has to pay a little more for it than for an ordinary flour. The extra price paid is one of the best investments he can make.

"FIVE ROSES" and "HARVEST QUEEN" are milled from selected Manitoba Hard Wheat, by the best processes known and therefore excel in uniformity, strength and nutritive value.

By reason of their uniformity, baking with them is quick and easy, and the results are uniformly the best. Working expenses are cut down, and there is no spoiled bread.

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General storekeepers and dry goods merchants cannot afford to ignore the value of a simplified system of book-keeping. No untold man should attempt to run his business without what has come to be known as the loose leaf or continuous ledger system. The man who has not yet introduced this system into his business should do it today.

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By order of
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Valentine Verse

Oh, Emeline,
With eyes that shine—
My Valentine.
Your most benign
He can't resign
His Valentine.
'Twould be cunning
Should you decline
His Valentine.
Say you'll incline
To soon be mine—
My Valentine.
For thee I pine
Whilst I recline,
My Valentine.
Dost thou repine
Of my design,
Oh, Valentine?
At thy dear shrine
I drink and dine—
Oh, Valentine.
Some day we'll pine
'Twill be so fine,
—JOE KERR.



My name I sign
Your Valentine.
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IMPERIAL UNION

The discussion in the house of commons yesterday on Col. Hughes' motion in favor of a "full partnership union among Great Britain and the colonies" developed the fact that neither the leader of the government nor the leader of the opposition favors any present attempt to bring about such union by special legislation.

The representatives of the various municipalities in this province are cordially welcomed to St. John. Their deliberations should serve a useful purpose, and benefit the province as a whole.

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MR. PRESTON ONCE MORE

The extraordinary course of Mr. W. T. R. Preston, in booming South Africa as a field for agriculturists from the old country, should be made the subject of enquiry by the Canadian government.

AFTER IDLE WEALTH

A review of the French government's new taxation measure shows that its aim is to transfer more of the burden of taxation upon the shoulders of the idle rich.

President Roosevelt did not waver the big stick when the newspapers were publishing reports of masculinity perpetrated by corporation officials and the exponents of high finance.

Quebec wants half a million from the federal treasury to aid its tercentenary celebration. This is a modest request from a city that wants millions spent to develop its shipping facilities.

There is to be a political stir in Carleton county. An opposition convention on the 23rd inst. will bring together the orators of the party at Woodstock.

The Chatham board of trade wants the town to advertise free sites and bonuses to new industries. The bonus is an inducement of doubtful value, in the long run, but is favored in a number of Ontario towns as well as in Chatham, N. B.

The Times devotes much space today to an enumeration of the tariff changes, which is a matter of universal interest

and importance. The changes are not radical, but there are many of them.

The delegation from this city to Ottawa should be the most influential possible, as the issues involved are of the very greatest importance to the future of this port.

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Telephone girls in Toronto testified yesterday that they were ordered to listen to conversations between subscribers. Telephone girls, like walls, have ears—in Toronto.

The gentlemen who are directing the campaign against a return to the ward system in civic elections should issue from cover and permit the citizens to look them over.

That 10,000,000 feet of lumber is to be shipped west from Chatham is an interesting announcement in connection with the lumber industry of the province.

It is good news that further aids to navigation in the Bay of Fundy have already been decided on by the marine department.

BELIEVED C. P. R. GET RUNNING POWER

Company Must Not Take Traffic From Government Road Between St. John and Halifax.

While nothing was definitely settled as the result of the conference that took place between Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and the minister of railways at Ottawa, the belief prevails among well-informed railway men that an understanding was arrived at by which the Canadian Pacific will be able to exercise full running rights for all its trains over the inter-colonial between St. John and Halifax.

OBITUARY

After an illness of a few days Arthur Bennett Isaacs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Isaacs, of 67 Sewell street, died Monday morning.

Mrs. Elizabeth S. Jenkins

Kara, Kings Co., Feb. 9.—Died at Kara, Kings county, on Feb. 6, of heart trouble and complications resulting therefrom, Mrs. Elizabeth S. Jenkins, in the 81st year of her age, relict of Edward Jenkins, who died several years ago. She had been very ill for something over two months and at times suffered very much, which she bore with Christian fortitude and resignation.

Mrs. Julia Legh

From Hamble, Hants (Eng.), comes news of the death of Mrs. Julia Legh, wife of Lieut.-Col. Edmund Cornwall Legh, C. B., formerly of the 9th regiment. Mrs. Legh was eighty years of age and was the daughter of the late Hon. Neville Parker, master of the rolls in New Brunswick.

NEW LIGHTHOUSES

F. J. Harding, local agent of the marine department, arrived home yesterday from Ottawa, where he has been attending a conference of the officials of that department.

Mr. Harding says that in New Brunswick \$150,000 will be spent in the improvement of lights, and aids to navigation. Most of the changes will be made in the Bay of Fundy, but Chaleur Bay will also be made safer. New lights are to be installed at Cape Spencer and Green Head. A fog alarm will likely be built at Cape Spencer and a new gas buoy placed off Partridge Island. These, with other improvements, along the same lines in other parts of the bay, will make navigation much safer. Little time will be lost in carrying out the changes planned and a few months may see the new lights in operation.

Chief Justice Tuck and Judges Landry, Hanington and McLeod went to Fredericton last evening to attend a meeting of the supreme court.

Order Your Spring Suits Now.

Very many men are now taking advantage of our special offer, and ordering their new spring suits now. Our regular prices are from \$3.00 to \$5.00 lower on made-to-order suits than the same class of cloth can be got for elsewhere, and 10 per cent off this is worth considering.

MEN'S SUITS-TO-MEASURE, \$15.00 to \$28.00
MEN'S PANTS-TO-MEASURE, 3.50 to 7.50

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ANNUAL SALE.

MEN who like to wear good quality shoes, can now purchase them at remarkably low prices. Among the styles shown on our Bargain counter are: MEN'S BOX CALF BALS.—Price \$1.60. Sizes: 8, 8 1/2, 9 and 9 1/2.

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BARGAINS In Our Tailoring Department.

We will make to your order any of our Fancy Tweed and Worsted Suits at the following Reduced Prices:

Table with 4 columns: Suit Type, Price 1, Price 2, Price 3. Includes items like \$17.00 Suits to Order, \$18.50 Suits to Order, etc.

20 Per Cent. Off Winter Overcoats Made-to-Order. Terms Cash During Sale.

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LACE CURTAINS cleaned and dyed up to 75% TO NEW. Carpets cleaned and beaten. Dyeing and scouring.

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WETMORE'S, Garden Street. GLOBE LAUNDRY.

SCHOOL BOARD

Janitors Who Live in School Buildings Must Move Elsewhere.

At a meeting of the school board last night Mr. Lockhart moved the reconsideration of the resolution passed that the janitors, who reside in the buildings be compelled to vacate by May 1. It was finally decided to allow all janitors except Mr. Oldford, of the Victoria school, to remain this year.

A communication from John Akerley, janitor of the Albert school, stating the expense that he would be put to if he had to move from the building, was ordered to be on the table.

Harry Napier, C. P. R. freight conductor, while about to jump upon a freight Saturday night at Harvey Station, slipped on the ice and, holding on to the rail about the steps of the van, was dragged some distance before being heard by a brakeman. He was slightly out about the

CANADIAN HUNTER'S SONG

"The Northern Lights are flashing; On the rapid restless flow; But over the wild waves crashing, Swift darts the light canoe. What cheer? What cheer? We've slain the deer! Hurrah! You're welcome home. The blithesome horn is sounding; And the Woodman's load hallo; And joyous steps are bounding To the woods ring out. Hurrah! the hunters come, To the woods ring out. To their noisy shout, As they tramp the deer home." Susanna Strickland Moodie.

IN LIGHTER VEIN HE WAS THE FIFTH.

"One sees a lot of suspicious looking characters on the street nowadays." "That's so. I'd seen four already today before I met you."—Cleveland Leader.

THE REAL QUESTION.

"How high did he climb?" "Dat ain't de question. How far he fell is what he can't make out. He has time for to measure de distance comin' down!"—Atlanta Constitution.

QUANTITY OR QUALITY?

"One important thing about these cigars," said Stingman, after handing a weed to his visitor, "is that they last so long."

FULLY EXPLAINED.

Important Lady (who had been subjecting the M. F. H. to a running fire of questions)—"Is the skin of the fox any use?" M. F. H.—"Yes." Lady—"What for?" M. F. H.—"For keeping the fox warm, of course."—Punch.

SADLY BUT STRICTLY TRUE.

"Speaking of success in life," remarked Hojox, "there goes yest' man who has left hundreds of people behind despite their strenuous efforts to overtake him."

TOOK HIM AT HIS WORD.

Stockton—"One day last week old man Getox bought a lot of those 'Do it now' signs and hung 'em around the office."

HE'S "ON THE SHELF."

"A Discouraged Author"—he writes us over that signature—who says he has been turned down by all "the literary fellows," states his case as follows: "I can write a novel with six heroes in it—all performing at the same time—and I can't sell it for sixpence!"

MORE MONEY FOR POLICE

Safety Board Refers Increases to Salaries Committee.

At a meeting of the safety board yesterday the petition of the substitute firemen for increase of pay was referred to the chairman, director and Chief Kerr to report. The committee on the petition to give increased pay to the police force recommended that sergeants and patrolmen receive 25 cents more a day and the deputy chief 50 cents a day increase.

Office Fixtures For Sale

Second hand doors and sashes in oak, pine and white wood. All in good condition, and will be sold at a bargain.

Chas. Heans 4 Millidge Street

Valentines

COMM VALENTINES, 8 for 1c, 1c, 2c, 3c, 4c, 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 11c, 12c, 13c, 14c, 15c, 16c, 17c, 18c, 19c, 20c, 21c, 22c, 23c, 24c, 25c, 26c, 27c, 28c, 29c, 30c, 31c, 32c, 33c, 34c, 35c, 36c, 37c, 38c, 39c, 40c, 41c, 42c, 43c, 44c, 45c, 46c, 47c, 48c, 49c, 50c.

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We make a specialty in the above work, and all orders called for and delivered.

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Two Cars of Ontario White Oats Landing Today. N. S. SPRINGER, 125-129 MILL STREET, Wholesale Groceries and Grain, Telephone 1252.

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Wood's Phosphoric Acid is a powerful tonic and invigorant. It is a blood purifier and a general restorative. It is a powerful tonic and invigorant. It is a blood purifier and a general restorative.

Children Thrive on Healt's Hygienic Milk Bread.

Because the large amount of milk in it makes it nourishing and digestible. TRY A LOAF. It tastes better and keeps fresh longer than any other.

PUMPS.

Standard Duplex Pumps, Outside Packed Plunger Pumps, Automatic Feed Pumps and Sewer, Indirect Jet Condensers and Air Pumps, Bide Section, Belt Driven Centrifugal Pumps, Boilers and all accessories.

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CAULIFLOWER, SWEET POTATOES, TOMATOES, CUCUMBERS, CAPS, COD CRANBERRIES, SQUASH AND CABBAGE, LETTUCE, RADISH, PARSLEY FRESH EVERY DAY. FRESH DAIRY BUTTER, NATIVE CELERY.

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All our 5c., 6c. and 7c. Paper for 3c. and 4c.; Border to match. All our 3c. and 4c. Wall Paper next week, 2c. roll. Also a few Odd Lots very cheap.

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MINK! MINK!

We will sell the balance of our MINK TIES and STOLIES at liberal discounts. Prices range from \$20.00 up.

F. S. THOMAS, Dufferin Block, 539 Main Street, N. E.

Grand Mark-Down Sale

FURS, CAPS, TOQUES, GLOVES AND TAMS, to continue only during the month of January.

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Good Music Drives Away the Blues

The long evenings sometimes grow monotonous, unless one has unlimited energy, or an endless number of friends—even then—

Victor-Berliner Gramophone

—which brings the best in music and vaudeville right to your home?

A child can reproduce, from a Victor-Berliner, the best music in the world, both vocal and instrumental.

For Sale by JOHN FRODSHAM, Royal Hotel Billiard Parlors.

Indispensable in Winter. There's a need in every home for GRAY'S SYRUP OF RED SPRUCE GUM

A few doses, at the first sign of a cold, will allay all throat irritation—take away hoarseness—check the inflammation—strengthen the lungs—ward off the cough.

MANLY TARIFF CHANGES WENT INTO EFFECT TODAY

Government Made Several Minor Amendments in the Schedules Covering Almost Every Variety of Goods --- Goods Entered Since Nov. 29 and up to Feb. 12 Are Unaffected

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—The following is a complete list of the tariff changes. There is, as has been said, no change in principle but nevertheless they are of great interest to the community and especially the parties concerned. A new resolution is submitted providing for a bounty on the manufacture of cordage in Canada from Manila fibre. This bounty to be equal to the amount paid as export duty in the Philippines on Manila fibre produced on those islands, and used in the manufacture of cordage in Canada. The bounty is to be operative in Canada since Jan. 1 and only for home consumption. It is not to exceed three-eighths of one cent per pound.

Item 192, giving the duties on straw board, mill board and cardboard inserts after the latter word "not paste or glue." Item 201, providing for the free importation of matrix paper adapted for use in printing, inserts after the word "paper" the words "not being tissue paper." Item 257, which gives the duties on celluloid blanks in different shapes as well as celluloid blanks has added to it the words "and comb blanks." All are dutiable at five, seven and a half and ten per cent.

A WOMAN'S BACK WAS NOT MADE TO ACHE

Thousands of Women suffer Untold Misery Every Day with Aching Backs That Really have no Business to Ache. Under ordinary conditions it ought to be strong and ready to bear the burdens of life. It is hard to do housework with an aching back. Backache comes from sick kidneys, and what a lot of trouble sick kidneys cause.

MEN'S

NEW SPRING SUITS

NOW READY

Prices \$6.50 to \$15

WILCOX BROS. Dock St.

Why Be a Dyspeptic?

No matter how serious your case, how long you have suffered or what medicines you have tried, do not give up hope until you have tried

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regulations of minister of customs, free in all tariffs. Item 410—Coil chain, coil chain links, and chain shackles of iron or steel 5-10 of an inch in diameter and over, prof. 5 per cent, as at present; inter, increased from 5 per cent to 7 1/2 per cent; and from 5 per cent to 10 per cent.

Nature's Own Cure

Colds, Coughs, Catarrh, Sniffles.

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TO LET - NEW DOUBLE HOUSE, OVERLOOKING PARADISE ROW. Four bedrooms, electric lighting, hot water, etc. Rent \$12.00. Apply to MRS. G. H. PETERSON, 230 Rockland street. 2-11-07.

TO LET - SHOP, 128 GERMAIN. RENT cheap to May 1st. Apply to premises. 2-11-07.

TO LET - SMALL SELF-CONTAINED house, pleasant, sunny, near school, near garden. Separate water supply. Apply to premises. 2-11-07.

TO LET - TWO FLATS, CORNER DUKE and Charlotte streets. Rent \$10.00. Apply to MRS. G. H. PETERSON, 230 Rockland street. 2-11-07.

TO LET - UPPER FLAT 33 CEDAR ST. Rent \$10.00. Apply to MRS. G. H. PETERSON, 230 Rockland street. 2-11-07.

TO LET - HOUSES NOS. 6 AND 8 UNION STREET. Rent \$10.00. Apply to MRS. G. H. PETERSON, 230 Rockland street. 2-11-07.

TO LET - PLATS, MODERN IMPROVEMENTS, heated or without. Apply 25 1/2 Waterloo street. 2-11-07.

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TO LET - FROM 1ST. MAY - DWELLING, 121 North Street. Rent \$10.00. Apply to MRS. G. H. PETERSON, 230 Rockland street. 2-11-07.

TO LET - PLAT CONTAINING EIGHT rooms and patent closet; also, small shop. Rent \$10.00. Apply to MRS. G. H. PETERSON, 230 Rockland street. 2-11-07.

TO LET - DWELLING NO. 11 BELLOTT Row, at present occupied by Robert Jarvis. Modern improvements. May be seen Tuesday and Friday. Apply to E. T. C. KNOWLES, 25 Prince street. 2-11-07.

TO LET - ROOMS, 117 UNION STREET. Rent \$10.00. Apply to MRS. G. H. PETERSON, 230 Rockland street. 2-11-07.

TO LET - FROM 1ST. MAY - THE HANDY BUILDING, 121 North Street. Rent \$10.00. Apply to MRS. G. H. PETERSON, 230 Rockland street. 2-11-07.

TO LET - LOWER FLAT IN SUBURB. Rent \$10.00. Apply to MRS. G. H. PETERSON, 230 Rockland street. 2-11-07.

TO LET - FROM THE FIRST OF MAY - lower flat No. 12 Peter street, 7 rooms, gas, hot water, heating, etc. Can be seen Tuesday and Friday. Apply to JOHN F. MORRISON, Colburn or Sussex street. 2-11-07.

TO LET - FROM 1ST. MAY NEXT, THAT centrally located, well furnished, comfortable, modern, convenient, and well situated. Rent \$10.00. Apply to MRS. G. H. PETERSON, 230 Rockland street. 2-11-07.

TO LET - LOWER FLAT, 117 QUEEN street, corner Pitt and Broad streets. Rent \$10.00. Apply to MRS. G. H. PETERSON, 230 Rockland street. 2-11-07.

TO LET - FINE SELF-CONTAINED house, corner Pitt and Broad streets. Rent \$10.00. Apply to MRS. G. H. PETERSON, 230 Rockland street. 2-11-07.

TO LET - FROM 1ST. MAY - PREMIERS house, corner Pitt and Broad streets. Rent \$10.00. Apply to MRS. G. H. PETERSON, 230 Rockland street. 2-11-07.

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FOR SALE - DOCTOR'S CLOSED SLEIGH and one open sleigh. Cut Under Wagon and Buggy at a bargain. Apply at once. E. S. PRICE, 127 Germain street. 2-11-07.

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LOST - SATURDAY, BETWEEN KING and Main streets, lady's gold watch with initials "L. F. D." Reward on return to HANOVER STREET. 2-11-07.

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Victoria Rink THURSDAY, 21st.

Policemen's Ice Sports

The only ice sporting event of any prominence this winter will be the Annual Contests in Victoria Rink under the efficient management of the Policemen's Relief Association. Good, well-contested events are being arranged. Particulars later.

Save This Date! Thursday, 21st.

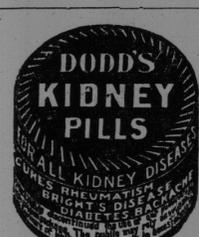
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started without leave of the attorney general nor after six days after the alleged offence was committed.

At a recent conference between the attorney general and the New Brunswick branch of the Lord's Day Alliance, Dr. Fugley assured the delegation of his readiness to give his consent at any time to prosecutions on reasonable grounds being shown. With regard to the appointment of a crown prosecutor such as was said to be in contemplation in other provinces the attorney general promised to lay the matter before his colleagues.



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HOW AN OLD ST. JOHN MAN SEES JEROME AND DELMAS

William N. Ritchie "Norman" Writing in the Boston Post Compares the Two Lawyers Who Are Battling for Harry Thaw's Life.

Among the St. John men who are making good in journalism in Boston is William N. Ritchie of the Boston Post. Mr. Ritchie is a son of William Ritchie, the old firm of Stewart & Ritchie, ship builders. Recently he has been writing impressions of the Thaw murder trial and sends to the Post the following comparison of District Attorney Jerome and Delphin M. Delmas, who are battling for Thaw's life.

ROOSEVELT IS AFTER THE PRESS

He Registers an Official Objection Against Publication of Details of Thaw Trial

New York, Feb. 11.—President Roosevelt has followed the example of Dr. Stockton and registered an official kick against the publication of the details of the Thaw trial. The president asked Postmaster General Cortelyou to see if it were not possible to bar from the mails "all disgusting particulars" as he phrased it.

PROVINCIAL OPPOSITION

Woodstock, Feb. 11.—Those opposed to the local government will hold an opposition convention for the nomination of a colleague to go on the ticket with B. F. Smith and J. K. Fleming, M. P. P.'s, in Graham's Opera House, Woodstock, on Saturday afternoon, 23rd inst. Messrs. Hazen, Grimmer, Maxwell and Morrissey, opposition M. P. P.'s will address the convention.

SPORTING PLAYS AND PLAYERS

CURLING AT THE OPERA HOUSE

Thistles and St. Stephen Today. Four rinks of the St. Stephen curlers will play four rinks of Thistles here today. The Thistles rink are: Afternoon, F. J. Libbey, H. M. McAlpine, M. M. McAlpine, A. Malcolm, skip. Evening, A. J. Machum, H. H. Hild, H. C. Olive, A. W. Sharpe, skip.

YARMOUTH AMATEURS AT THE OPERA HOUSE

The Yarmouth amateurs delighted a large audience in the Opera House last night with their clever production of the four act rural comedy drama Uncle Josh Whitcomb. Uncle Josh is more generally known to theatre goers as "The Old Homestead," and under that title was Denman Thompson's greatest success.

A FIRST CLASS SHOW AT KEITH'S NEXT WEEK

Comedy, acrobatic work, dancing and burlesque, juggling and pictures make up the bill for this week at Keith's. The first performance was given yesterday afternoon and was well attended, while the evening presentation also drew a large crowd. The offering for the ensuing days of this week is a very entertaining one and contains many good features.

SKATING

Hilton Duff, of Carleton, says he is willing to meet Duff, for a half mile race any time, preferably this week, at the Victoria rink. Duff has also issued a challenge to Fred Logan.

BASKETBALL

Last night's games settled the standing of the teams in the city basketball league. One game remains to be played, but it cannot change the result. The Portland Y. M. C. A. finish first with a good lead and the Algonquins, Marathons and St. Paul's in the order named. The standing is:

AN ANCIENT HAMLET

On Saturday, Jan. 26, the Ben Grosz Players gave a special performance of "Hamlet" from the full text of the 16th century play at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. The performance occupied five hours, being given with an intermission for supper in the case of "Parade" at Bayreuth.

ELLEN TERRY AND SHAW

The success of Ellen Terry in New York appears to have been more personal than due to any appreciation of the new Shaw play or to any particular attitude of her role in it to her unique abilities. The comprehension of Bernard Shaw in the "other" character of that of the hero, gave a distorted view of Shakespeare's play and its meaning.

BOWLING

F. Campbell won last week's prize in Black's bowling alley by a score of 104. Tonight in the league series the Beavers and Hamblers will clash.

NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

Citizens League Trying to Formulate a Ticket—U. N. B. Conversazione a Success. Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 11.—The conversazione at the University this evening was attended by about 300 ladies and gentlemen and was a grand success.

Watershed Balmoral.

Something for heavy wear without rubbers, good for a man continually on his feet. Brown vic kid lined, perfectly smooth innersole, Heavy viscolized sole, double nailed heel, Blucher cut, selected Box Calf Boot.

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WEDDINGS

Cartier-Bateman. Onel T. Cartier and Miss Ethel Pearl Bateman, youngest daughter of William S. Bateman, of Gould Grant, were married on Wednesday in St. George's church, by Rev. J. H. Goss, officiating.

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MISS JULIA MACLEOD. Made by Miss MacLeod.



MISS AGNES CAIN BROWN IN THE ROLE OF THE ALPHONSEA.

New York, Feb. 11.—Miss Agnes Cain Brown appeared in the first performance of "The Campfire" at the Victoria rink last night.

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THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club meets. Yarmouth Amateur Dramatic Club, in Uncle Josh Whitcombe, at the Opera House. Yerville at Keith's Theatre. Band at Victoria Rink. Adjourned annual meeting of the Seaman's Mission Society in the Chipman House. Royal Arcanum meets at 8 o'clock for installation of officers.

THE WEATHER

Forecast - Strong westerly winds, fair and much colder. Wednesday, westerly winds, fair and cold. Synops - The disturbance which passed the coast on Monday and Tuesday has now moved to the westward and is now likely to rise steadily. The weather is now likely to be steady. The weather is now likely to be steady. The weather is now likely to be steady.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON

Highest temperature during last 24 hours, 32. Lowest temperature during last 24 hours, 22. Humidity at noon, 75. Wind at noon, West, 10 m.p.h. Barometer at noon, 30.1. Direction, N. W.; velocity, 10 m.p.h. Clear. Same date last year, highest temperature, 37; lowest, 16. Cloudy.

LATE LOCALS

The choir of Brussels street Baptist church will hold a concert in the vestry of the church at eight o'clock, in aid of the talent fund.

Company G, of the 22nd regiment held a very enjoyable sleigh drive to Newcomb's last night. About 26 were present and many happy speeches were made.

At last night's meeting M. Coll was appointed chairman of the board of school trustees, during the absence of Judge Truman.

The ladies of Germain street Baptist church will hold a tea and entertainment tomorrow, Wednesday evening, in the vestry of the church. Tea will be served from 6 to 8, and will be followed by an entertainment for which a very interesting programme has been prepared.

Tomorrow, Wednesday evening, commencing at 8 o'clock, a congregational reception will be held in the vestry of the Charlotte street, west end, United Baptist church to welcome the pastor, Rev. M. E. Fletcher, who assumed the pastorate of the church on January first. An interesting programme has been prepared and refreshments will be served.

The first scheduled race will be concluded on the Millfield track Saturday afternoon. There will be a 240 for pacers only, and a 240 class for trotters only. Entries are now open and application can be made to Arthur Connors, Edward Sprague and George Robinson. The rules for the speedway will be strictly adhered to.

All St. John has been stirred up as far as sporting goes, by the excellent work of New Brunswick in Montreal, Saranac and Charlottetown, and the people are keenly hungry for a good old-fashioned series of ice events, such as the polo games, are going to hold in Victoria Rink next week. Some of our best skaters will participate.

The Temple of Honor opened a new temple last night at Millford, which will be known as the Millford Temple. The hall will be extensively repaired. Those present at the opening last night were George Ewert, G. W. T. Walter Roberts, P. W. C. James Edgewood, Walter Roberts, James Patterson, A. Andrews and J. Green. E. Ferris will be the worthy chief of the new temple.

ANOTHER COLD WAVE

Another rapid change in temperature took place between yesterday afternoon and this morning. Yesterday the thermometer stood at 30 above zero, this morning it was 8 below zero, making a range of 44 degrees in the last 24 hours. At noon today the thermometer registered two below zero. The indications point to continued cold weather. This morning the cold wave was felt in many places. The thermometer registered at Toronto 8 below; Montreal, 14 below; Quebec, 12 below; Chatham 8 below; Boston, 2 above, and at New York, zero.

THE KNOCKER

This is sure a funny town. Here we see by the newspapers that Canada needs men. Every effort is being made to induce immigration and in nearly every article published dealing with immigration to Canada the hope is expressed that some of the immigrants will settle in the maritime provinces. Every encouragement is to be held out to them and the province of New Brunswick is to flourish and grow and become great. Here is the reverse side as painted upon a canvas of facts. A few weeks ago an Englishman came to this country. He was one of the decent sort of Englishmen who did not expect to find gold in the streets of Canadian cities but who was willing to work for what he got and to give a fair day's work for a fair day's pay. In short he wanted nothing for which he could not give a fair equivalent. He left England in search of the broader field, the better chance. Canada attracted him and he came out as an immigrant looking for employment. When he reached here his money was about gone but he was confident and he started to look for the first job that offered. For a few days he had no success and then he appealed to St. George's Society. Col. E. T. Sturdee, the president, sent him to Sand Point armed with a letter to one of the officials there who could give him employment. Arrived at Sand Point he found his man and was promised work just as soon as he complied with a peculiar little provision that is in force of St. John, -i. e.-paid a license fee of \$7.50. From Sand Point he went to the Metropole where by doing odd chores he managed to get a mere living and occasionally earned an honest quarter by cutting wood or other jobs. A few days ago he was sent to the home of a lady in the city to saw some wood. It was a hard job and at the end of the day he had not finished it. The lady of the house came to him to pay him for his day's work but his reply was "No thank

FOR UNION OF MUNICIPALITIES

Opening Meeting Being Held in Court House This Afternoon.

The opening meeting for the organization of a New Brunswick union of municipalities is being held this afternoon commencing at 2:30 o'clock, in the court house.

Delegates arrived this morning from all over the province and there was a good attendance. In addition to the list of delegates published in yesterday's Times, Shediac was represented by James McQueen; Kings county, by S. H. Flowering of Hampton and Moncton by Mayor White and City Clerk Magee. Mayor Sears, as convener of the convention, read an interesting address, outlining the aims and objects of a municipal union. The work of organization will be proceeded with and committees appointed, and another session will be held tomorrow morning.

For the banquet this evening in the Union Club, the guests include Senator Ellis, George Robertson, M. P. P. Robert Maxwell, Edward Lantlum, M. P. P. President J. H. McRobbie and another representative from the board of trade, W. E. Foster, the vice-president, being unable to attend, James Lowell, M. P. P., Hon. C. N. Skinner and representatives of the city press. The four toasts—the King, the Dominion Parliament, the Local Legislature and Our Guests, will be given and the proceedings will be interspersed with songs by G. S. Mayes and S. Matthews, and banjo selections by G. D. Davidson.

THE NEW WHARF

Contractor Clarke Will be Ready to Sink Nos. 4 and 5 Crib in Few Days.

Although but little has been heard lately of the building of the new west side wharf, work has been going on daily and good headway has been made. The extremely cold weather has hindered to a great extent the rapid carrying on of the work, but under the circumstances, the amount of work which has been done is very creditable. In a few days D. C. Clark, the wharf contractor, expects to sink Nos. 4 and 5 cribs, which work has been going on the wharf site for some time past. Considerable work has been done on No. 3 crib, and it is being levelled up, while Nos. 4 and 5 have had some attention also, though lately Mr. Clarke has bent his energies to getting Nos. 4 and 5 completed and No. 3 made level.

A BIG MEETING OF ODDFELLOWS

Provincial Grand Officers Here to Visit Subordinate Lodges.

A big union meeting of the Oddfellows of this city will be held tonight in Golden Rule Lodge room, west end, to welcome the provincial grand officers, who arrive here today on an official visit to the lodges here. The visitors are: Dr. S. L. Walker, Grand Master of the maritime provinces; H. L. Hart, Halifax, grand patriarch of the maritime provinces, and Mrs. Hebb, Truro, president of the Robekah assembly. The meeting will commence at eight o'clock and it is expected that there will be a splendidly large number present. An interesting programme of music has been arranged and in the intervals there will be speeches by Messrs. Walker and Hart, Mrs. Hebb, Hon. C. N. Skinner, D. M. Brown, C. B. Allan and H. E. Codner.

The Bankers and Beavers meet tonight in the city hockey league series and a good game is expected. Play commences at 8 o'clock in the Marathon rink.

Extensive repairs are being made to the steamer Elaine and it is the intention to have her in excellent condition when she goes on the route next season.

The condition of Rev. P. Owen Jones is not improved today.

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