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VOTES ARE POURING IN

Times Voting Contest Continues to be Hot Fight

INTENSE INTEREST NOW

One Organization Polled 1000 Votes Today--Other Contestants Make Big Gains--St. Mary's Band Still Leads--New Aspirants Enter List.

No cessation of interest is apparent in the Times voting contest. While St. Mary's Band still holds the lead, other organizations are making a tremendous effort to capture last honors.

The contest editor is pleased to welcome the Hibernal (Cade), a newly organized body, which enters the arena with 29 votes.

THE SCOTCH WOMAN WHO IS INTERESTED IN THE CONTEST. A friend of the contest editor fourteen votes for that order and the following letter: Contest Editor, Evening Times.

HEAVY WEATHER ON THE RIVER. Blinding Sleet and Rain Made it Difficult for River Steamers Yesterday.

GOVERNMENT AFTER STANDARD OIL CO. NEW YORK, Nov. 13--In a long dispatch from Washington to the Journal.

ARMED BANDITS HOLD UP TRAIN. BENO, Nov. 13--Armed bandits held up the Southern Pacific overland limited, westbound, at Carlin, Nevada.

A LONG SESSION. LONDON, Nov. 13--The house of commons, after sitting all night, discussing the 15th clause bill, the object of which is to amend the constitution of the tenant farmers in England and Scotland.

HIS YOUTH SAVED HIM

Charlie Dingee Barely Escapes Term In Reformatory

JUDGE SENDS HIM HOME

Eight-Year-Old Boy Charged with Burglary Warned to be Good in Future--Several Other Cases Disposed of at Police Court.

Little Charlie Dingee, the youthful north end burglar is at large on a suspended sentence, only his youth having saved him from a four years' term in the reformatory.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Dingee, the lad's parents, were in court and Judge Ritchie informed them that he had intended to send the boy to the reformatory for four years; but only refrained from doing so on account of his tender years.

WILL BE A RACE FOR CUP IN 1908. Sir Thomas Lipton Will Challenge Again With a Cutter to be Designed by Fife, Designer of Two Shamrocks

NEW YORK, Nov. 13--The Herald today announced that Sir Thomas Lipton, the British yachtman, has accepted a challenge for a race in 1908 for the America's cup under the new rules of measurement.

WHY ALL THIS DELAY? Although the investigation into the charges made against Captain John H. Pratt of the Dominion cruiser Carlew was finished some time ago, yet no advice as to the decision arrived at have been received from the marine and fisheries department.

FUNERALS. The funeral of the late William V. Wetmore was held today at the depot from his late residence 40 Esmouth street.

HIRAM SEEKS INFORMATION. Mr. Hiram Horneback came to town today for the express purpose of informing himself on the subject of west side dredging and wharf-building.

A BOULDER. The north and police were on Wun Lung, and was much surprised to learn that though the Laddow had been off the route some weeks no effort had yet been expended on her before she goes on to the route again--unless Wun Lung should break down before the port of the Cunard.

THE MAYOR IS A FORMER ST. JOHN MAN. Friends in St. John will be glad to learn that D. A. Speight, a native of the north end, who has been living in the states for some years, has been elected Mayor of Maywood, N. J., by a very large majority.

PENNSYLVANIA SEEMS TO BE ENVELOPED IN A MANTLE OF CRIME

Robbed by a negro at the point of a gun, while at Butler, S. T. Ledbetter, a laborer was assaulted and robbed and his supposed lifeless body was thrown into a vacant lot.

NEWS FROM FREDERICTON

FUNERALS OF WELL-KNOWN RESIDENTS HELD THIS AFTERNOON--DEATH OF MRS. MILES McMULLIN. FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 13--(Special)--The case of Stevens vs. Tompkins the last on the docket, was disposed of in the supreme court this morning.

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PLAYED CARDS ON THE SABBATH. It's a Sure Thing that These Boys Do Not Attend Sunday School. That a certain party of small boys preferred Sabbath card games in a hay-mow to the atmosphere of the Sunday school.

HOW MUCH DID HE LOSE. On Saturday evening a man went into Charles Long's grocery store on Chapel street and asked for two bags of tobacco.

THE WORK ON WEST SIDE. City Employees Started Today on Widening of Union Street. Director Cushing started a gang of men at work today (ending down the end of the Street & Quinn building on Union street).

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HOT FROM THE WRES

Today's News of Canada as Told By "Specials."

BURNED TO DEATH

Cornwall, Ont., Woman Meets an Awful Fate--Roman Catholics Banned from Joining Y. M. C. A.--Severe Gales in Gulf of St. Lawrence.

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SAY MATRON IS NEEDED

Such an Official Wanted in the Police Department

A WOMAN SPEAKS

And Does Not Agree With Safety Board Committee Which Decided Against the Appointment--Some Things a Matron Could do.

Considerable comment was heard today about the action of the sub-committee of the safety board which was appointed to consider the advisability of appointing a jail matron.

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November 13th, 1906

Overcoat Talk

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Advertisement for 'COUNTERSTROKE' by Ambrose Pratt, author of 'Vigorous Deant, Billionaire'.

Main body of the 'Overcoat Talk' article, discussing trade and prices in the clothing industry.

Advertisement for 'Is Life Worth Living?' featuring 'EAT BAHAMA FRUIT FRUIT' and 'JONES & SCHOFIELD'.

and this a fatal one. First, a sharp report like the firing of a cannon close at hand...

A WOMAN'S BACK WAS NOT MADE TO ACHE

Advertisement for 'Doan's Kidney Pills' describing its benefits for back pain and kidney issues.

A Daily Fashion Hint for Times Readers



STREET HAT FOR YOUNG GIRL. The drawing shows a hat of black felt, trimmed with Alice blue velvet and wings...

SUPREME COURT AT FREDERICTON

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 12.—The following court appeals were taken up in the supreme court this afternoon...

DIAMOND DYES WILL COLOR ANYTHING ANY COLOR

The most wonderful helpers in the home to economical dressing are the DIAMOND DYES. They are so easy to use that even a child can dye a rich and perfect color with them.

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A collection of cartoon illustrations and short jokes, including 'THERE ARE OTHERS', 'NOWADAYS', 'THE WAY THEY DO', 'POOR MAN', 'SURE', and 'ONE THING NEARLY'.

Advertisement for 'Dizziness!' and 'Means Kidney Trouble' featuring 'Gin Pills will Cure you'.

Advertisement for 'Laing's Canned Meats' with the slogan 'MEATS THAT SATISFY!' and 'When the Cook does not come everything goes right if the pantry is stocked with'.

Advertisement for 'The Shoe of Satisfaction' featuring 'The "Traveller" Shoe for Men'.

Advertisement for 'Gray's Syrup of Red Spruce Gum' which 'Cures Coughs'.

Advertisement for 'Hewson Bannockburns' suits, stating 'See that your Tweed Suits are Hewson Bannockburns'.

Advertisement for 'EVIDENCE IN THE BANK INQUIRY' and 'LOCAL NEWS'.

Advertisement for 'A COUGH SYRUP' and 'Dr. White's Honey Balm'.

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IT IS SHAMEFUL. A number of philanthropic gentlemen who perhaps think that the best society can do for an erring woman is to punish her, and not regard her with consideration or make any effort to reform her, have decided that a jail matron is not needed in St. John. In their view it is quite proper in the so-called Christian city of St. John for a drunken woman to lie all night on a cell floor, without covering, and without the kindly ministrations of one of her own sex.

MORE PUBLICITY NEEDED. The Canadian Life Insurance Association recommends greater publicity of each company's business as an effective check on fraud, extravagance and unwise investment. Unquestionably the time has arrived when the public should demand greater publicity concerning the affairs of all great corporations.

GETTING BETTER IRON. The remarkable activity in the iron and steel trade in the United States is illustrated by the large importations of pig iron from Great Britain. Official returns show that for the quarter ending Sept. 30th, from the Liverpool district alone, pig iron to the value of \$1,182,004 was exported to America, compared with \$832,317 in the like period last year, while the June quarter this year showed a value of \$1,162,292. A Liverpool letter of Nov. 1st adds: "It has been stated that the Americans have obtained control of over 230,000 tons, principally of Cleveland iron."

THE COMING SESSION. The Toronto Globe very properly observes that the coming session of parliament should be a business session, and urges the government to have the measures, especially the tariff proposals, ready to submit when the house meets. The Globe hopes to see the time when long and useless speeches by members who do not take the trouble to inform themselves will be prevented by party discipline. It is evident that no other method will produce the desired result. Another suggestion made by the Globe is in the public interest, and should be heeded by the house.

mands, but it is not reasonable to expect satisfactory reports in morning papers of speeches made an hour or two after midnight. With the programme of speeches arranged by the whips, this is easily avoidable. If this is not done the newspapers will be under no obligation to the speakers. The hours after midnight should be reserved for the chronic time-killers, whose speeches in any case call for little newspaper space.

There is really no reason for late sessions of the house, and if certain speakers seek to turn night into day the practice should be discouraged. The present year has been marked by an unusual number of disasters in the world at large. Aside from earthquakes, and terrible wrecks at sea, there have been more railroad accidents with great loss of life than perhaps any previous year has recorded. One can appreciate the pathos of that scene in Chicago yesterday, when exiles from Russia waited to greet their loved ones, and received the awful intelligence that many of them had only escaped the tyranny of Russia to meet death on the train that was bearing them to new homes of hope and promise.

Readers of the Times will note with due appreciation the fact that this paper has secured exclusively for this city a special illustrated service, for use daily, and especially on Saturdays, which will be found of much interest. Arrangements have been made that will enable the Times to produce each day features superior to those found in other afternoon papers.

The trouble between the Dominion Coal and Steel Companies has reached an acute stage, and the affair is complicated by an evident quarrel among the directors of the Coal Company themselves. The interests at stake are too large to permit of a prolonged disagreement. Something or somebody must soon give way.

If the steamship companies are forced to take the mails to Halifax when they are prepared to demonstrate that the St. John route is a quicker and better one, how is such a course to be justified? Why not let the companies test the St. John route? Who is afraid?

The citizens of Moncton are not disposed to accept with humility whatever is offered by a telephone or any other company is pleased to hand out to them. They entertain the perhaps unusual view that the public as well as the corporations have some rights in these matters.

Minor St. Clair Francis, the colored desperado, who has again secured his liberty, is evidently under the spur of his romantic name. A man with such a name would necessarily want to live up to it, in true dime-novel fashion.

The New York Herald observes: "The spectacle of Cuban patriots parading the streets of Havana shouting 'give us liberty or government jobs!' will convince even the sceptical that human nature is about the same the whole world over."

With the servants working much later than usual, all the factories very busy, and the assurance of a very large winter port trade, the outlook in St. John for working people at the opening of the winter season is very satisfactory.

As the enquiry into the affairs of the Ontario Bank proceeds it is apparently discovered that the manager was not the only man who knew of peculiar transactions.

The recent action of the Halifax board of trade suggests to St. John people that vigilance is the price of winter port development.

COMPARISON PROVES OUR Clothing Prices Lowest. Our attention has been called many times lately to the difference between our prices and the prices of similar goods at the other stores. We mention three cases here where identical cloths from the same mills have been compared. A suit which cost \$17.00 at another city store, sold by us for \$12.00; a suit which cost \$12.00 elsewhere, sold for \$7.00 by us; an overcoat which we sell for \$10.00, sold elsewhere for \$12.50. The differences in price are as good to you as to the merchant.

J. N. HARVEY, CLOTHING and FURNISHING Opera House Block. Men's Suits at \$3.95, \$5, \$6, \$7.50, \$8.75, \$10 to \$20. Men's Overcoats at \$3, \$6, \$7.50, \$8.75, \$10 to \$24. Our "M. R. C." Rubbers will give Satisfaction Call in and have them fitted to your shoes. Or Telephone No. 560.

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RUBBERS AND UMBRELLAS Big Rush at WETMORE'S, Garden Street. MEN'S RUBBERS, WOMEN'S RUBBERS, BOYS' RUBBERS, GIRLS' RUBBERS.

SONNET. (By H. L. Spencer.) Soft falls the snow in the City of Sleep, And a white from the Bay a tender hush; Alas! in the tree tops, cold and high, While clouds obscure the stars that vibrate deep, In yonder vault, so distant and so deep, Can be my rest, heart once by passion ceased? Calm be thy rest, oh heart that once aspired! To do great deeds! And ye whose paths were by the sun, and moon, and stars, Regret is here unknown; here nothing is desired.

IN LIGHTER VEIN. Davey—"So he has at last led her to altar?" "Yes, Mike, but how do you manage to tell those twins of yours apart?" Pat—"Shure, 'tis easy enough, Mike, I stick me finger in Dan's mouth, and if he bites I know it's Patrick!"

VERY SIMPLE. Mike—"Fah! Fah, how do you manage to tell those twins of yours apart?" Pat—"Shure, 'tis easy enough, Mike, I stick me finger in Dan's mouth, and if he bites I know it's Patrick!"

WHAT LOVE DID. Willy—"Say, ammie, what did Uncle Bob marry you for?" Aunt—"Why, for love of course." Willy (meditatively)—"Huh! Love will make a man do almost anything, won't it, ammie?"

OF COURSE HE WAS. Pat—"Oh, Mike, how do you ever strike by lightning?" Mike—"Manny's 'th' toime, me b'y." Pat—"Yes, don't you mean, Mike, 'Shure an' O! do. Haven't O! been married thine thine years?"

QUITE USED TO IT. Lady—"By the way, I should mention that we are total abstainers. Perhaps you won't mind?" New Servant—"Oh, no ma'am, I don't mind; my last master and mistress were both reformed drunkards!"

EXAGGERATION. He—"I don't like your friend, Miss Knox. She told an acquaintance of mine that I was a perfect idiot." She—"Oh, I'm sure she didn't mean it. She knows as well as anyone else that no human being is absolutely perfect."

UP TO DATE MOTION. "I say, mamma," asked little Tommy, "do fairy tales always begin with 'Once upon a time'?" "No dear, not always," replied Mrs. Wainwright. "They sometimes begin with 'My love, I have been detained at the office tonight.'"

HE HAD A LONG WAIT. In an Atlanta cemetery one tomb bears at the top: "Helen Vance, wife of Harold Vance, 1854." I saw her, I saw her, I saw her, she was afterwards discovered that some valuable securities, which had been in his keeping, had also disappeared.

SAVED FATHER'S HONOR. (Scottish American) A number of years ago a sensation was caused in a small town in the north of Scotland by the disappearance of a well-known citizen, a young lawyer, the only son of the much-respected parish minister. "There was great consternation when it was afterwards discovered that some valuable securities, which had been in his keeping, had also disappeared."

THEY WILL STAND OUT FIRST and foremost for a Cape Breton association, but in no case will they submit to the jurisdiction of the M. P. A. A.

Sydney, Nov. 12—(Special)—McNeil and McSweeney, the two crack athletes and former students of St. Francis Xavier College and charged with professionalism in connection with base ball in Cape Breton, have positively refused to sign the M. P. A. A. affidavit, and have signified their intention to lead, if it needs be, the revolt against further authority on the part of that association in sporting matters in this province.

Coal Hods. Plain Black, 15c, 25c, 35c. Black with Gold Border, 25c, 35c, 45c. Galvanized Coal Hods, 25c, 35c, 45c. Fire Shovels, 5c, 10c, 15c, each. SPECIAL. Men's Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, 45c. each. ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE 23-25 Charlotte Street. Tel. 178.

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OATS! Two Cars of Ontario White Oats Landing Today. N. S. SPRINGER, 125-129 MILL STREET. Wholesale Groceries and Grain. Telephone 108.

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THE HYGIENIC BAKERY. WHEN YOU NEED AMOUNT AMMAD, buy the best mother's milk. Will keep months in jars. Sold by all grocers. HYGIENIC BAKERY, 124 to 128 Mill St. Phone 112. Branch 23 Front Street.

PUMPS. Standard Duplex Pumps, Outside Flange Pumps, Automatic Feed Pumps and Reciprocating Pumps, 1/2 to 100 H.P. and Air Pumps, Side Suction, Belt Driven Centrifugal Pumps, Steam and Oil Separators. E. S. STEPHENSON & CO., 21-23 Nelson Street, St. John, N. B.

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Lots of Goods All Kinds of Goods. Coal Scuttles, Shovels, Snow Shovels. Look at our window full of Lamps. All sizes and prices. Wall Papers as low as 2 cents Roll; Window Blinds, 15 cents up. Lots of Cheap Books. Every line of Game you want at WATSON & CO., Corner Charlotte and Union Street.

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 Twenty-seven inches long, 34 to 42 bust sizes, nice curls, well lined and well made. We bought these at a low figure and have determined to give our customers the advantage of close buying.
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 Good material and careful workmanship produce reliable Furs.

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 5 Grain Lithia Tablets.
 If you are troubled with rheumatism or Slow Digestion, try a bottle of Lithia Tablets, as it is a great blood Alkali.
 35c. a Bottle.

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PLAYS AND PLAYERS

HARKINS NEXT WEEK.
 Miss Sus Van Dusen, who is again the leading lady of the W. S. Harkins company, will wear some beautiful dresses in "The Crisis" that is to be played at the Opera House, Monday evening, Nov. 19th. The action of the play takes place in '01, before and during the late civil war and all the characters are dressed in the style of that period. The Crisis, is a dramatization of Winston Churchill's popular novel and is a highly interesting play with a strong love story throughout. Some beautiful singing will be introduced by Miss Powers and Miss Griffin.

UNUSUAL INTEREST IN MODJESKA.
 No one who admires the best in drama and who recognizes artistic worth will be absent from the Opera House next Friday evening, Nov. 16th, when Mme. Helena Modjeska, appearing in either "Macbeth" or "The Merchant of Venice," "Mary Stuart" will play here for the last time. The visits of this renowned actress in the past have among the brightest and most memorable events of past theatrical years. Her coming has always been looked forward to with unusual anticipation, and never was the waiting in vain. Modjeska's productions always satisfied the most exacting, because they were carried out in accordance with classic ideals and were directed by the actress' splendid intellect. This year Modjeska's admirers will be no less pleased than in the past because, this being her final tour of America, she has taken special pains that the impression that she has always created shall be no less favorable than when she had other profitable seasons in respect. She is surrounded by one of the strongest companies that ever supported her and, from a scenic standpoint, her productions are as complete and handsome as any ever given the great plays of Shakespeare and Schiller. In this city, as in all others where Modjeska has appeared, there is uncontrolled sorrow that she is to retire to private life. In order to show the depth of this regret and the height of the esteem in which she is held, the playgoers will see that this performance is a testimonial of the warmest and most personal kind. There is much interest in the selection of the play, that being left to the purchasers of tickets, each one having a vote. Whatever the choice, all may rest assured that they will see Modjeska in one of the roles with which her name is most closely associated.

MISS ELISTON WELL AGAIN.
 NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Miss Grace Eliston, creator of the role of Shirley Ross in "The Lion and the Mouse," has recovered from a severe attack of illness and returned to the cast at the Lyceum Theatre last night.

A BRILLIANT PIANIST.
 NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—Last Thursday evening at Mendelssohn Hall Miss Augusta Cottlow appeared in her single New York recital this season. Miss Cottlow is a pianist, who has been appearing in American cities other than New York for several years.

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BUSINESS TO COME BEFORE PARLIAMENT

The Tariff and Insurance Matters Will Be the Most Important—Comment of a Financial Journal on the Outlook.

(Montreal Shareholders) The second session of the tenth Parliament of the Dominion of Canada was prorogued on the 13th July last, with the understanding that the third session would be called in the fall of the year. Parliament has now been summoned to meet on Thursday, 22nd November instant. The coming session promises to be one of the most important that has been held for many years, in matters of moment to the country will be submitted for discussion which affect the interests of the country at large. It is desirable that these should be dealt with in the fullest possible extent, and that all interests affected by them should be afforded an opportunity to be fully heard in regard to their views.

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THIS EVENING (Canadian Order of Foresters) smoker and entertainment in York Theatre assembly rooms. Rev. D. Hutchinson will deliver his lecture 'From Ocean to Ocean' in Leinster street Baptist church. St. David's Y. P. A. hold their first meeting of the season in the church at 8 o'clock. Ellis Stock Company in the 'Lost Paradise' at the Opera House. Fairwell meeting Rev. D. Long, in Victoria street Baptist church.

THE WEATHER Forecast—Fresh to strong southwest wind, occasional light rain or drizzle today and on Wednesday. Synopsis—The winds have generally diminished and are still incalculable. To the south and American ports, fresh to strong southwest to northwest wind. Sable Island, southwest wind, 10 miles. Point Lepreau, southwest wind, 22 miles at 11 a. m. LOCAL WEATHER REPORT AT NOON. Tuesday, Nov. 13, 1906. Highest temperature during last 24 hours 42. Lowest temperature during last 24 hours 34. Humidity at noon 74. Barometer at 10 a. m. 30.02. Wind at 10 a. m. S.W. 15 miles. Wind at 4 p. m. S.W. 15 miles. Clouds, 60. Lowest 34; cloudy, with rain, turning to snow at night. L. HUTCHINSON, Director.

WASHINGTON WEATHER REPORT. WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Forecast, eastern states and northern New York: partly cloudy tonight, and Wednesday; Tuesday partly cloudy, warmer in west portion, fresh west wind, becoming variable.

NOTICE To Agents and News-dealers.

During the \$200 in Gold Voting Contest, newspapers and agents selling The Times will be required to return all coupons from unsold papers or pay for them. This is necessary in order to protect the different organizations entering the contest. EVERY COUPON in your contest will be from a PAID PAPER.

LATE LOCALS

The St. John Law School will re-open on Monday, 19th inst., and not today as stated. Coal steamship Renwick, Captain Walker, sails this afternoon for Port Headland, Cape Breton, in ballast. Storm signal No. 3 was ordered down from the signal station at 10 o'clock today. Instructions are now for fine weather. Brussels street Baptist church musicale, one week from tonight, Tuesday, November 20th. Already a large number of tickets have been sold. Ernest Humphrey wishes to express his gratitude to his friends and especially Messrs. F. E. & P. B. Holman for their kindness and assistance during the illness and at the death of his sister Mrs. Maude Bollandy.

NEW LODGE ORGANIZED

Members of Knights of Pythias Had a Great Session Last Night. Not for years has there been such a gathering of the members of the order of Knights of Pythias as were present in the Pythian hall on German street last evening when St. John Lodge No. 33 was formally instituted by Grand Chancellor F. A. Murray of Halifax, assisted by prominent knights from various parts of the maritime provinces. The proceedings which included the necessary preliminary work, the explication of the three ranks of knighthood and the election and installation of officers of the new organization, commenced at 8:30 o'clock and did not terminate until well on in the 'evening hours'. The names of the officers elected to the charter members of the new lodge have already been published. Among the visitors present at the ceremonies from outside points in addition to the Grand Chancellor, were: Grand Prelate, A. J. Tingley of Moncton; Grand Trustee, H. C. Macdonald of Millbrook; Past Grand Master, George Holly of St. Stephen and others.

BORN IN THE PHILIPPINES

A cablegram was received this morning from the Philippines announcing the birth of a son to Mrs. W. J. Hamilton. The message came to George W. Gray, her brother, manager of the Y. N. Russell's hairdressing salon, in which she stated that Mrs. Hamilton had given birth to a son and that both were doing well. Mrs. Hamilton was serving Miss Louisa Gray of the north end. Mr. Hamilton is a native of St. John but has lived in the Philippines for the past fourteen years. He is a son of James Hamilton, spokesman of Paradise Row.

PERSONALS

E. Smith, of Sackville, is in the city. Dr. A. W. Macrae returned from Fredericton today, where he was interested in cases before the supreme court. James Brinkley arrived home this morning. T. Burke, inspector of inland revenues, went east this morning. Dr. Smith went east this morning. Samuel Gregory who has been visiting his mother Mrs. Horace Cole, Elliot Row, returned to Winnipeg on Saturday. Miss Nettie V. Hatfield, arrived home Saturday after an extended trip, visiting friends in Truro and Halifax. The Doorkeeper's Circle of the King's Daughters will hold a 5 o'clock tea and supper at the guild on Chatham Hill tomorrow afternoon from 3:30 to 6 o'clock. Mrs. Thos. Higgins will receive her friends at 38 Galford street, west end, Thursday afternoon and evening and Friday afternoon.

THE CARS WERE COLD

The absence of heat in the electric cars has been the cause of a good deal of grumbling on the part of passengers during the past few days. This was especially noticeable yesterday, when the cars were cold and cheerless. A passenger on a King street car exclaimed indignantly, 'We're paying for comfort in cold weather, and it's up to them to give it to us.' Eye-strain is caused by even a slight defect of vision. Glasses properly fitted makes eye-strain perfect. Consult D. Boyner, optician, 38 Dock street.

THINK IT WAS INCENDIARY

Assertion Made at Last Night's Inquest That Fire in King Building Was Set.

In connection with the death of James W. King, who lost his life in the fire which destroyed his brother's manufactory on Sunday, Nov. 4, the assertion was made at the inquest last night that the King fire was of an incendiary nature. The first witness was Victor Dykeman, pattern maker, who said that he occupied part of a building on Waterloo street, owned by Mrs. Thomas Sweeney. He had sublet part of it to W. E. King, brush manufacturer. On the evening in question he left his shop at 10:30 and locked his door. A partition divided his apartment from that of Mr. King's. Chief Kerr stated that the fire broke out between Ugar's laundry and Myers. Spontaneous combustion of coal might have caused the fire in Myers. The witness swore positively that the King fire was not caused by the Myers fire. Chief Kerr told of the position in which the body was found. George Blake, district engineer of the fire department, stated that he had examined the burned building and he was of the opinion that the fire had started in the cellar directly under the King shop, pretty well to the rear. The fire, he said, did not catch from the outside. He thought it was of incendiary origin. Charles Brown, district engineer, stated that he had not made an examination of the building and was told to do so today. Victor Dykeman, re-called, said that W. E. King had told him that he had put a fire out early in the evening in his (Dykeman's) room. He had not made any negotiations with any company to dispose of his business, but had thought some of moving into the country to escape high taxes. He understood Mr. King had an offer to transfer his business to Halifax. The witness said that a few days before the fire he had added to his stock, and had considerable quantity on hand. Deputy-Chief Jenkins said that he thought that the fire had originated in the basement of the King shop. The juryman is Charles A. Clark (foreman), Henry Gallagher, Charles Damerly, Frederick Melech, William Godson, Albert Peters and James Wilson. Coroner Berryman would like to find the young man who saw the light in the window of the building occupied by W. E. King, and who upon meeting Mr. King on Waterloo street, called his attention to it. They investigated and a small fire was found near the motor on the premises of Victor Dykeman and the man helped Mr. King stamp it out. The inquest will be resumed this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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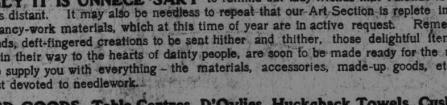
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