

TONIGHT'S ATTRACTIONS.

Uncle Tom's Cabin at the Opera House. Hyde vaudeville company at York Theatre. Temple of Honor organization in Orange Hall. Carleton open air skating rink opens for the season. Fancy sale and tea in Jewish synagogue Carleton street.

Local News.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

If THE TIMES is not regularly delivered to you kindly advise the office, so that the trouble may be overcome.

Vespers will be celebrated tomorrow evening at the Cathedral.

The county court will open on the fourth Tuesday in February next.

The annual meeting of the P. F. Dunn Packing Co., Ltd., is being held this afternoon.

Bridge Inspector Haines, of Fredericton, passed through today to Sussex where he will inspect repairs to some government bridges.

At a special meeting of the painters union held last evening it was decided to attend in a body the funeral of J. Johnson on Thursday afternoon.

The last will and testament of Hannah Raymond, was admitted to probate today, and letters testamentary were granted to George Raymond, the executor named in the will.

Michael Horgan, who was injured on the Marsh road some weeks ago, and it will be remembered, did not recover consciousness for many days, is now improving rapidly and is able to sit up.

A meeting of the Knights of Columbus, St. John council, will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in Berryman's hall. General business will be transacted. District Deputy J. D. Anderson, of Eastport, will be present.

A man who lives on Brussels street wanted some panacea a few days ago and took carbolic acid by mistake. A doctor was summoned, and no serious results followed the dose of acid, although the man was confined to the house several days.

The case of Peters vs. Nugent was finished in the county court yesterday. The jury disagreed, being three to two in favor of the defendant. Daniel Mullin, K. C., was counsel for the defendant; Hamington, Teed & Hamington for the plaintiff.

In the Charlotte St., Salvation Army barracks on Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, there will be a grand musical meeting, conducted by Capt. Colonel and Mrs. Sharp, assisted by all the provincial staff. The programme will consist of string band selections, vocal duets and mandolin and guitar solos.

ONE OF THE BEST.

The Fisherman's Daughter, as the name implies requires all the effect and scenery along the Atlantic Coast and the Eyrtle-Harder Company carry every act complete, using nothing of the house scenery but the drop curtain.

The story tells of a poor fisherman's daughter, left a penniless orphan, whom the fishermen have brought up and protected. As she grows to womanhood she has, through relatives, been bequeathed wealthy estates, which two lawyers try to get possession of.

The story is a beautiful one and permits good comedy and strong dramatic situations not over drawn, but realistic and true to life.

THE DAILEY COMPANY.

Thursday evening at the Opera House the Dailey Company are to present Mark Swan's very laughable comedy "A Runaway Match" with musical specialties by the entire company. The play is one of those complicated farce comedies that keep an audience in a state of merriment, during the entire performance. Mr. Homer Mullaney the funny-man of the Dailey Company will be seen as Solomon Short a country bumpkin. All members of the company will be happily cast, and seats can be secured in advance at the Opera House box office.

Y. M. C. A. ATHLETICS.

The concluding events scheduled in the intermediate team athletic contest were run off yesterday afternoon, the teams have until next Tuesday to fill in any events missed by any of their men during the past week, the standing of the teams are:

Table with 4 columns: Points (previous), Blues, Reds, Yellow. Rows show points for 100 yds run, 142, 144, 72 and Total 2845, 2009, 1484.

TO TIMES READERS.

IF YOU ARE NOT ALREADY A REGULAR SUBSCRIBER TO THE EVENING TIMES, LOOK OVER THE PAGES OF THIS ISSUE AND CONSIDER IF SUCH A VISITOR DELIVERED DAILY AT YOUR HOUSE FOR 25 CENTS PER MONTH IS NOT WELL WORTH RECEIVING. IF SO, SUBSCRIBE TODAY.

The 2 Barkers, Princess street, have issued circulars which are now being distributed showing prices of Christmas groceries and the price of raisins is put down on these circulars as 11 cents per pound. This is a typographical error. The price should read 9 cents per pound, 13 pounds for 25c.

Meerschmum and Briar pipes from 50c. up. Fancy boxes of cigars in tens and twenty-fives at Louis Green's, King street.

IN TELEGRAPHIC AND GENERAL NEWS HEADINGS.

AFTER THE FIRE.

J. & A. McMillan in New Quarters...Some of the Goods Destroyed.

Among the valuable papers and books destroyed in the McMillan fire, were some sheets of supreme court law reports.

The last number of Volume 36 was about complete, and the proofs had been sent to Geo. W. Allen, for revision. These reports were about ready for the binder, and the type, copy and sheets were all destroyed.

Some civic reports which were in the bindery were also destroyed. The firm were getting out a very handsome calendar of their own and it would have been distributed to their customers in a few days. These were also ruined as well as a lot of fancy calendars and cards for the Christmas trade.

At this time of year a large number of firms are in the habit of ordering their new blank books, and a great many of these books were in course of construction in the printing office and building. Their loss will be a great inconvenience to the business houses that ordered them.

Messrs. McMillan have rented the Horn building on Water St., until May 1st. The insurance companies have allowed the firm to move the stock and a number of men were engaged this morning in taking the goods from the cellar. The stock in the cellar consists mainly of inks which are frozen and broken to a considerable extent, as well as being soaked with water.

The appraisers, W. A. Munroe and C. H. Worden, commenced this morning to appraise the loss on the building.

The loss on the stock and plant has not yet been appraised. The plant will probably be a total loss and the loss on stock will also be very heavy. The firm carried \$36,000 insurance. Of this amount \$8,000 was on the building, of which the Liverpool and London and Globe (W. M. Jarvis, agent) holds \$4,000, and the Northern, \$4,000.

There is \$13,000 on the stock and \$15,000 on machinery, which is divided as follows: L. & G. \$2,500; Queen \$4,500; Anglo-American \$3,000; Caledonia, \$2,000; Phoenix of Hartford \$2,000; Ins. of N. America \$2,000; Western \$1,000; Com. Union \$1,000; Mer \$1,000; Com. Union \$1,000; Phoenix \$1,000; Keystone \$1,000; Quebec \$1,000; Royal \$1,000; Connecticut, 2,000 S. U. & National \$1,000; Sun \$1,000.

E. Allan Schofield, of Schofield Bros. has been appointed by J. & A. McMillan to appraise the loss of their stock. The insurance companies have not as yet named a man to act for them.

TEA AND SALE.

Will be Held by the Daughters of Israel Society.

The Daughters of Israel Society, will hold a tea and sale in the school room of the Synagogue today and tomorrow.

The principal object of the sale is to help needy immigrants. The committee of ladies in charge of the sale are: Mrs. Louis Green, president; Miss Rae Hart, 1st vice-president; and Mrs. Lisle Isaacs, secretary. A competent staff of young ladies will wait on the tables. On entering the room, the booth which contains refreshing drinks, will be seen to the right. At the left of the entrance, the fancy table is situated, which is beautifully decorated with palms and flowers. The centre post of the room is festooned with red, white and blue tissue paper. Around the ceilings, numerous incandescent lights are installed.

The prizes for the lotteries are, sofa cushions, carving set and pipe. The prize for the guessing contest is a handsome rocking chair. The sale will open at 4 o'clock. This evening, Rabbi Rabinowitz will deliver the opening address.

BOYS' BRIGADE CONCERT.

The following is the programme of the Boys' Brigade concert in Fairville tomorrow evening:

- Dialogue.....Messrs Carr and Reed
Recitation, The Dying Soldier.....
Dialogue.....Pt. Herbert Carr
Dialogue.....Squad from Co. 2
Solo.....Lieut. Brown, Sergt. Legget
Solo.....Mr. Lord
Solo.....Squad from Co. 2
Recitation "Home Attraction".....Sergt. Reed
Quartette.....The Fairville Favorites
Dialogue "Handy Andy".....
Solo.....Lieut. Brown, Pt. Dibble
Reading.....Mrs. G. Young
Solo.....Mrs. L. M. Curren
Reading.....E. R. W. Ingraham Gramophone.
Piccolo solo.....J. H. Ross
Solo.....Selected.....H. Campbell
Drill.....The Fairville Company
Chorus "Salve Rex," .. Boys' Brigade.

AT THE YORK THEATRE.

There was a good attendance last night, and a pleasing programme. Verin and Turenne, are an excellent team. Their work with Roman Textes called forth loud applause. Miss Mario is an excellent violinist and made a distinct hit. Miss Linden sang some catchy songs, and was repeatedly recalled. The Clever Little Artist, Master Lavender Richardson, presented "Trudy's Boy" in a pleasing way, and was ably supported by his father and mother. The acts of Harris and Nelson, John Walsh, and Sheridan and Forest, are good.

TIMES ADS. PAY.

A small advertisement appeared in the Times, last night, telling of the loss of a watch, and telling where the finder should deliver it. Early this morning the watch was returned to its owner. The finder had seen the advertisement.

It pays to advertise in a paper that is read. Grand opening of Carleton Open Air Rink, tonight. The well known Kingsclear cornet band in attendance every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday evenings, weather permitting. Admission 10c, band night 15c.

Have you seen the large 8x10 photo given away with every doz. photos from \$3.00 up at Isaac Erb & Son's. Photographers 13 Charlotte street.

HE DRANK AMMONIA.

Timely Arrival of Mother Averted Fatality in North End Home.

Guy Northrup, the 4 year old son of M. J. Northrup, coachman, drank a quantity of ammonia yesterday, and had Mrs. Northrup not appeared when she did, the dose would have proved fatal.

He had climbed up on the kitchen table, and seeing the bottle of ammonia, took it down from the shelf and drank some of it. His screams brought his mother to the scene and she at once sent for a doctor. The little fellow is badly burned around the mouth, but no serious results are anticipated.

IMPORTANT OBSERVANCE.

Roman Catholics Celebrating the Triduum... Special Services.

In accordance with the wish of Pope Pius X, Roman Catholics throughout the world are observing the Triduum or three days devotion preparatory to the festival of the Immaculate Conception, which falls on Thursday next, and it will be the occasion of religious service of a high order.

Special significance is given to the feast this year, owing to the fact that it is the fiftieth anniversary of the promulgation of the dogma of the Immaculate Conception, in the Vatican Council, by Pope Pius IX, in 1854.

Tridua, consisting of prayer and instruction were held at St. Peter's North End, last week. The services at the Cathedral on the feast of the Immaculate conception will be as follows: Low Masses at 7 and 9 a. m. High Mass with deacon and sub-deacon at 11 a. m. preacher Rev. J. W. Holland Vespers at 7.30 p. m.

AT BEERSVILLE.

The Railway Completed and the Mine Producing Well.

John C. Brown of Harcourt, Kent Co., is at the Victoria. In conversation with a Times reporter this morning he referred incidentally to the Beersville railway, from Adamsville to Beersville.

The extension of this road to Geddis mine was recently completed, the distance being two miles and a half. It has been perfectly ballasted, said Mr. Brown, and the ballast had to be conveyed from Chatham Jct., as a suitable quality could not be procured in the locality.

The road from Adamsville to Beersville is in first class condition. Sometime ago a subsidy was granted by the provincial government, part of which was paid, and recently the Dominion government engineer passed over and inspected the road, which was found to be in excellent condition.

The Beersville mine is in a most encouraging condition. The coal supply is first class grade and the daily output is from forty to fifty tons. This will be generally increased as the property is developed.

The Dominion subsidy for the Beersville railway is expected at an early date.

The Weather.

Forecasts - Increasing southwesterly winds, snow tonight, Thursday northwesterly winds and light snow. Synopsis - A disturbance of considerable energy is moving eastward across the St. Lawrence Valley. Winds are fresh southwest along the American coast. The weather has become mild again in the Northwest territories.

Local Weather Report at Noon. Dec. 7, 1904.

Table with 2 columns: Highest temperature during past 24 hours, Lowest temperature during past 24 hours, Temperature at noon, Humidity at noon, Barometer readings at noon, Wind at noon, Direction S., Velocity 18 miles per hour.

Mechanics, Farmers, Sportsmen!

To heal and soften the skin and remove grease, oil and rust stains, paint and earth, etc. use The "Master Mechanic's" Tar Soap. Albert Toilet Soap Co., Mrs.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Ald Edgett of Moncton, was in the city yesterday and returned home last night.

Judge Barker and Dr. Colter returned to the city last night by the Boston express.

Mrs. L. J. Tweedie, Mrs. Bruce and Mrs. E. Hutchinson, of Chatham, are in the city on a visit. They are at the Royal Hotel.

Rev. J. A. Robertson writes that his health is very good since he went to Boston. Rev. G. Swin's general health is steadily improving - Religious Intelligence.

Col. H. H. McLean left for Montreal last evening.

J. J. Wallace, I. C. R. general freight agent, Moncton, was here yesterday.

F. H. Lingley, jewelry traveller, returned today from Boston, accompanied by Mrs. Lingley and family, who have been spending some weeks at the "Hub."

SUGAR PRICES STILL SOARING.

The Speculative Market Continues to Grow Stronger.

Sugar has again advanced. According to telegrams received last night by one of the largest dealers in that commodity, the London market for beet sugar for December delivery had advanced to 14 shillings and 3 pence. The speculative element on market is evidently growing stronger. A sale of Java Sugar is reported to Liverpool at a figure equal to 4 1/2 cents in New York, which is an eighth of a cent higher than New York has yet paid.

A later report says that, owing to the recent advance in raw sugar in Europe, the price is reported firmer in New York, and further large sales of "raw" have been made in New York. The Federal Refining Company have announced a further advance of 10 cents on all grades of "refined."

It is stated that Cuba has up to the present, sold for delivery during December, January and February 250,000 tons, which is probably equal to 25 per cent. of their whole crop. The meaning of this is taken to be that New York buyers must come up in their prices, which means a general advance all round.

It may be explained that the world's entire sugar crop is roughly estimated at 10,000,000 tons, of this amount the United States takes about 2,000,000 tons and Canada about 190,000 tons.

Local dealers are very well supplied at present.

LOST BROTHER AND TICKETS.

Young Greek in Trouble at the Union Depot... May Be Deserter.

Anthony Panaito, a young Greek, who came here from the states yesterday morning, is at the Union depot in a rather uncomfortable fix.

He was accompanied here by his elder brother. They left last night for Montreal, but on the train the younger brother lost his companion who had the two tickets. The train was searched but the missing man could not be found. The conductor sent Panaito back to St. John. He is without a cent and it is not yet known what will be done with him. His brother may have fallen from the train, but it is thought that he has deserted his younger brother, by boarding another train.

POLICE COURT.

There were five prisoners before the magistrate at the police court this morning.

George Forbes drunk on Pond St. was fined \$4 or ten days hard labor.

John Curran charged with drunkenness was remanded. His honor reminded Curran that he had been arrested three times during the month of November, and now he was commencing in December. His friends had paid his fines amounting in all to \$24 last month. This said the Magistrate, could not be forgotten. He also told Curran that he was liable to be sent in for six months without fine. If he continued to get drunk he must be saved from himself.

Charles Macaulay charged with committing a nuisance and improper conduct in Union alley was fined \$8 or two months hard labor.

Rodger Kennedy, charged with drunkenness and profanity was fined \$4 or ten days for the first charge, and \$8, or thirty days for the second.

POLICE REPORTS.

The police found open, and secured the elevator door of Oak Hall last night.

The door of John O'Regan's wholesale liquor store was found open last night by the police who secured it.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

At the New Victoria - Geo. Grindrod, Antigua, and Wilkinson, New York; Chas. Brindly, Portland.

The members of the Sunday school of Main street Baptist church, will meet this evening to practice for the cantata, which is to be held in the church about Christmas.

Teacher - How many quarts are there in a gallon? Pupil - Five. Teacher - Oh, no, there are only four. Pupil - Guess I oughter know, my father is in the liquor business.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

For Christmas!

Men's House Coats, Dressing Gowns and Bath Robes. Men's Neck Ties in the very latest coloring and shapes, 20c., 25, 35, 40, 50, 60 to 90 cents. Men's Pure Silk Handkerchiefs in plain or with initials, 25c., 40c., 50c., 75c., 90c., to \$1.10.

Handsome Black or Fancy Silk Mufflers, Quilted Protector Mufflers.

Mocha, Calf and Kid, Lined Gloves, 85c., \$1.00, to \$4.00 per pair. Dents Walking and Driving Gloves, best quality, \$1.25 per pair.

Men's Scotch Knit Gloves.

Boys' Lined Kid and Mocha Leather Gloves,

Boys' Scotch Knit Gloves.

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, put up in half-dozen lots, at great bargain prices. Umbrellas in endless variety - For Men, Boys, Women and Girls. All special purchases made for our Christmas trade.

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This month the balance of our OVERCOAT stock must move out. If you want A Good Coat at a Low Price, you will have to "step lively," for we propose making the Coats "move lively." We must close them out, as we will not carry them over, and it is not good business to do so. Now is the time to buy an Overcoat.

Prices, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00, \$8.00, \$9.00

for Overcoats worth double these prices.

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The styles and materials of the OVERCOATS and SUITS speak for themselves. You may inspect them in a few minutes in our wardrobes. They are the 20th Century brand and cannot be compared with the ordinary ready-made of commerce.

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Buyers of House Coats and Fancy Vests will find a better selection now than ever, naturally the best are chosen first.

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Fine TAILORING and CLOTHING

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Men's Suits and Overcoats, \$3.95, \$5.00, \$6.00 to \$15.00. BOYS' OVERCOATS, \$3.85 to \$10.00. BOYS' SUITS, 75c. to \$7.50.

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