

TONIGHT'S ATTRACTIONS.

Dalley stock company at the Opera House in "The New Dominion." Hyde vaudeville company at York Theatre. Smoking concert in the Neptune Rowing club rooms.

Local News. TO SUBSCRIBERS.

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

Steamer Sellasia sailed from Cebu for Colombia, New York and Boston today.

Canadian Pacific Steamship Tartar, arrived at Vancouver last Sunday from the Orient.

A crew of men are employed on the steamer Pokanoket, making several changes in the saloon.

Thos. E. Powers of the High School teaching staff is confined to the house with illness.

The Congregational church Sunday School will give an entertainment and social on Dec. 1st.

Steamer Evangeline arrived at London yesterday at 9 p. m. from St. John via Halifax.

I. C. R. Brakeman A. Cameron, who runs on the northern division of the I. C. R. is in the city.

On Saturday last the river was black with men and boys enjoying their first skate of the season.

The ladies' committee will meet at the Protestant Orphan Asylum, on Thursday, Dec. 1st, at 3 o'clock.

The recent cold snap has caused the St. John river to freeze sufficiently to allow skating at Gagetown and Sheffield.

Steamer Platea arrived at Louisbourg yesterday, from Hamburg and took on board bunker coal. She sailed today for Norfolk.

Will those holding fancy work for the Hiraiva sale, kindly send it to No. 40 Orange street, not later than Saturday, December 3rd.

No. 1 company boys' brigade will meet tonight in their drill room, Carmarthen St., at 7.15 sharp. All members are requested to attend in uniform.

There will be a harvest supper and concert at St. Mary's church on Thursday evening. An excellent programme is promised, and all who attend will have a most enjoyable time.

Active work is going on at Letete Copper mines near St. George. H.H. McLean is in charge and is pushing the work along. A large body of ore is in sight and good returns are expected.

Wm. Forest, a Scotchman, employed by D. C. Clark, at the new city wharf, tripped over a log this morning while at work, and sustained a sprained ankle. He was removed to the hospital in the ambulance.

Ex-Ald. Baxter will speak on municipal lighting before the Fabian League in Berryman's Hall, on Thursday evening. Ald. Maxwell will address the League on the evening of Dec. 15th. Others who have studied civic problems will be heard at later meetings.

Skating is reported on Lily lake. Yesterday a number of young men and boys were out and found the ice about two inches thick. Last night's frost doubtless added considerably to this thickness and with favorable weather the ice should be in first class condition by the last of the week.

It is reported that Shediac Bay was frozen over last Sunday night, there being about 2 1/2 inches of ice on it. The steamer Northumberland is still running from Point du Chene to the Island, but it is expected that she will have to lay up for the winter in a few days. When this happens, the iceboat service will commence from Cape Tormentine.

The St. John Primary Union for Sunday School Teachers will meet Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the parlor of Centenary church. Mrs. C. H. Dearborn will teach the lesson for the following Sunday, Subject—"Hezekiah reopens the Temple." Suggestions will be given for Christmas, by Miss Burditt, and discussed by other teachers. All primary and junior teachers are invited to be present.

Belcher's Farmer's Almanac, for the maritime provinces, for the year 1905, has been received at this office. As usual this book is replete with useful information, and will be found to be of inestimable value to farmers, professional, Nautical, and business men. The McAlpine Publishing Co. of St. John, and Halifax are to be congratulated on the appearance and general make up of the volume.

An Ottawa despatch says:—Hon. H. R. Emmerson will leave for Moncton today, where he will hear, on Wednesday, the application of the Dominion Express Company for the same facilities as the Canadian Express Company now enjoy. The officials of the Intercolonial are strongly opposed to it because it would divert business to the Canadian Pacific, the competitor of the I. C. R., and involve additional expense.

IN TELEGRAPHIC AND GENERAL NEWS AND TIMES LEADS.

STREET PAVING. A Proposition to go Before the Board of Works This Afternoon.

Robert S. Low, district superintendent for the Maritime provinces for Warrens Bituminous Paving Company of Ontario, arrived in the city last night and is at the Victoria.

The object of Mr. Low's visit is to see the Mayor and members of the common council, and also to meet several of St. John's prominent citizens in connection with the company which he represents, and explain to them the work advertised by them to be done.

Interviewed by a Times reporter this morning, Mr. Low referred to the work done by his company recently at Glace Bay.

That town, he said, had been spending about \$10,000 a year in repairing the streets. There was little or no satisfaction given. Recognizing this fact, the council decided to capitalize that amount and put in permanent streets. A committee representative of the Glace Bay Council visited the principal cities in Canada and the United States, and came back, having decided that Warren's Patent Bitulithic pavement is the best suited for this climate as it is not affected by frost, neither is it slippery. It has been endorsed by the Road Drivers Association of New York.

Mr. Low informed the Times that on last Monday morning his company started preparing Granville St., Halifax, for paving with this material.

Mr. Low is here to invite a committee of the common council to go to Glace Bay at his company's expense and inspect the work. This paving town has already spent \$150,000 on its streets and has now three and a half miles of the best roadway on the continent.

The board of works meets this afternoon when the matter will probably be brought up.

IT COST \$8 TO HOLD HER HAND

Mrs. Addison Made a Mistake When She Grasped Miss Taylor's Fingers.

A number of dusky ladies adorned the side benches of the police court this morning. The dispute was about a little affair which took place at St. Phillips church last Sunday. Mrs. Lane and Mrs. Addison accused Miss Dolly Taylor of wearing a stolen bracelet and several words passed. Miss Taylor was indignant and brought a complaint. She was represented by Dr. A. B. Walker, B. A. L. L. D. The magistrate informed her that his court was not the proper place for such a complaint. But it further came out that Mrs. Addison seized Miss Taylor's hand to show up the bracelet. For this offence she was fined \$8 or thirty days.

Y. M. C. A. CIRCUS.

Great Attraction for December 16th and 15th in the Gymnasium.

Dec. 15 and 16 are the dates to remember, as that is when "3-Paws Burlesque Circus", is billed to show at St. John.

This show is no relation to 4-Paws Circus, but is a burlesque entertainment being put on in the Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium, for which the members have been training hard for some time past.

The programme will consist of the regular circus acts and will include with numerous other things, a most wonderful collection of trained animals, of which more will be announced later. Prof. Santo Anto Mexicus; the champion rifle shot; the Ringling Bros., daring parallel bar workers; the fascinating L. Roy family, torch sivergers; the tumbling turbinians, marvelous acrobats; Foe Foo, Japanese juggler; M. Marcellais, champion strong man; the lilliputian kids, pyramid builders; Prof. Slim Slender Silver, the grotesque tau man; five, famous, fascinating, funny, clowns, (count them), and the world's celebrated, the greatly renowned warm-water guards band.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of Bryon Craft, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Craft, of Carleton, who died of congestion of the lungs, took place this afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock, from his residence, Queen street. Interment was at Cedar Hill cemetery. Rev. G. S. Scotl, conducted the services at the house and grave. James Craft of the Windsor Hotel, staff, St. Stephen, arrived last night, accompanied by his sister to attend their brother's funeral.

The funeral of William Edwards, took place this afternoon, from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Tilley, 16 Hanover street, at 2.30 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. C. W. Hamilton, and Dr. Wilson. Interment was at Fernhill cemetery. There were no pall bearers.

POLICE REPORTS.

The police report the door, of the Royal Bank of Canada, at the corner of Princess and Prince William streets, open last night. Officers Thorne and McCollum secured it by a ring and lock.

A horse belonging to Walter Campbell of Leinster street was caught by the police on Union street yesterday afternoon.

TO TIMES READERS.

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GOOD BYE TO MISS BOOTH.

Salvation Army Commissioner Was Heartily Farewelled in Toronto.

Toronto, Nov. 29.—(Special)—A huge audience gathered in Massey Hall, last night to bid God-speed to Commissioner Eva Booth, who leaves tomorrow night to assume command of Salvation Army work in the United States. Premier Ross presided at a farewell address on behalf of the directoral staff and officers was read to Miss Booth after which Premier Ross spoke, praising the work which the Salvation Army had carried on under Commissioner Eva Booth. Miss Booth, in her reply spoke for an hour and a half. Speeches were made also by several prominent clergymen and citizens.

SALVATION ARMY.

Great International Congress in Moving Pictures to be Seen Here.

On Thursday Dec. 1st, in the Charlotte St. barracks, at 8 p. m., the Salvation Army will present 3,000 ft. of moving pictures of their great International Congress, recently held in London, England. Staff-Captain McLean will give a descriptive lecture, and music and illustrated songs will be furnished by Captain Thomas Urquhart, of provincial headquarters staff.

The exhibition will include the following: Delegations from all parts of the globe, native dances, military manoeuvres, the army's finest bands, Commissioner Courth's Canada's first International Congress, recently held in London, England. Staff-Captain McLean will give a descriptive lecture, and music and illustrated songs will be furnished by Captain Thomas Urquhart, of provincial headquarters staff.

ST. ANDREW'S BANQUET.

Preparations for the dinner, which is to figure as the annual celebration of the St. Andrew's Society, are rapidly nearing a conclusion and the event tomorrow night promises to be a brilliant affair. About a hundred and thirty guests are expected to be present. They will be seated at six tables in the main dining room of the Royal Hotel.

The president and the principal guests will be at a table at the end of the room, and five other tables will be placed at right angles to this. The rooms are to be profusely decorated.

The dinner provided will be the best the Royal Hotel can turn out, and needless to say the epicure who finds fault with such a feast must be hard to please.

Besides the members of the Society, there are a number of specially invited guests, who will include some leading men of the city, both of Scotch descent and of other nationalities.

A FINE CONCERT.

The following is the programme of the annual concert at St. John's (stone) church, this evening under the direction of D. Arnold Fox:

- FIRST PART. 1. Pianoforte duet "Tarantella." Raff Miss Maud March and Mr. Fox. 2. Song "Habanera." Bizet Mrs. Carter. 3. Song "Alisa Mine." Newton Mr. Banbury. 4. Violin and piano duet, Sonata No. 2, in A. Handel Mr. C. Jordan and Mr. Fox. 5. Song "Ah, Country Guy." G. Cobb Mr. Coster. 6. Song, "The Nut Tree." Schumann Mrs. Carter. 7. Violin solo "Ungracious." Hauser Mr. Jordan. 8. Song, "Ich grolle nicht." Schumann Mr. G. Coster. 9. String quartette, "Allegro Vivace." Mozart (Quartet in G. Major.) 1st violin, Mr. Clare Jordan. Viola, Mr. G. Taylor. 2nd violin Mr. Walker Phaesant. Violinello, Mr. W. Bowden.

SECOND PART.

Liedeslieder Walzer, song cycle for four voices. The words by Daumer, the music by Brahms, will be sung by Soprano, Mrs. Carter, contralto, Mrs. H. B. Schofield; tenor, Mr. Banbury, bass, Mr. Coster. Piano, Miss March and Mr. Fox.

Walter Spence, the young electrician who was injured so badly at Sand Point, on Saturday last, is resting quite easily at the hospital today. A piece of the broken bone in his leg was removed yesterday, and unless a sudden turn for the worse takes place, his complete recovery is expected.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Mrs. Jas. Irvine of Harrison St., has been returning from visiting her brother-in-law in Nelson, B. C.

R. T. Hayes has gone to P. E. Island for a few days.

Fred Jones returned yesterday from Boston.

Prof. W. G. Watson, of Mount Allison, passed through the city yesterday en route to Sackville from Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Crosby have gone on a trip to Boston and New York.

Miss Reynolds and Miss Emma Reynolds are home after visiting their sister, Mrs. P. C. Millett in Buffalo.

James McNavin, of Boston, who has been in Moncton attending the funeral of his brother, Alexander, passed through the city yesterday en route home.

Bishop Kingdon, of Fredericton, arrived here yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Armstrong, of Newcastle, are registered at the Dufferin.

IN THEATRES LAST NIGHT.

The New Dominion at the Opera House—Vaudeville at the York Theatre.

The Dalley Company produced The New Dominion at the Opera House last night. It was a production in every sense of the word—not a performance for the company scored a greater success than in any bill they have yet offered.

In fact The New Dominion must rank among the very best attractions seen at the Opera house for many months. There have been none to surpass it and few to equal it.

As a dramatic construction The New Dominion is a novelty. It presents as a central figure a stage German who is not stagey—and best of all is not an exaggerated type. Formerly the stage German has been found in farce or comedy but The New Dominion is neither, while it holds a strong vein of comedy it tells as well a pretty and a strong story and, considering the slight plot the interest is sustained throughout in a wonderful manner. Much of this desirable quality of the play is due to the sparkling brightness of the lines accorded to the principal characters.

They sparkle with wit and effervescence with clever epigram. In fact the famous "woman" speech (tellingly delivered by Mr. Mullaney) should be included as one of the brightest and best bits in any modern play.

Mr. Mullaney, in the principal role of Baron Von Hohenstauffen made a decided impression. He is one of the best stock actors seen here for a long time. His work is really fine, and last evening he was accorded the heartiest applause yet bestowed on any member of the company. His broken English, introducing many funny remarks, provoked continued laughter, and in other respects his acting was all that could be desired.

Mr. O'Malley as Uncle Poly, the old negro servant, a part created by himself, gave an excellent interpretation, carrying it, consistently through out.

Mr. Barringer as usual was pleasing. His happy manner makes him a general favorite, and the same is true of Mr. Brown, whose work was equal to any. George Robinson was fully equal to the role of Mr. Randolph.

Of the ladies Miss Ray, shared the honors with Mr. Mullaney. She was especially good. Miss Carr played the part of the widow very well. While Miss Blake and Miss Hartley were good in their respective roles. The scenery was splendid, as Mr. O'Malley's creations always are.

The New Dominion will be repeated this and tomorrow evenings and at the matinee tomorrow. For the latter half of the week "Fighting Bob" a strong melo-drama will be the bill.

At the York Theatre.

There was a very large audience at the York Theatre last evening. Every act was well received, and, in some cases, the audience, by its hearty applause, called for numerous encores.

The Brothers Bonette, aerial bar exports, are among the finest seen here. Their act is full of difficult feats, of trapeze work, and is a good clean performance.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lucier, in an act entitled, a Rustic Romeo, in a sketch class, the violin playing of Mr. Lucier was a feature which won great applause. His imitations of a church organ and the bagpipes were much enjoyed.

Prof. Walbert and his horse Dahl, gave a novel and unique performance. The horse, which is pure white, moves in obedience to his master's call.

Nichols and Croix, in a sketch entitled, A Slave of Oium, Mr. Juno, rapid change artist, Crowley and Foley, singing and dancing comedians and Bailey and Barry, refined vaudeville entertainers, complete the performance, and are all fairly good.

For next week the following artists have been engaged:—Signorina Rita Mario, marvelous violinist, the Spisell Brothers, Harris and Nelson, Patchen and Clifton, Dupree and Dupree, and John Walsh.

A LUCKY INFANT.

After the lapse of twenty years the title of Earl Grosvenor was last week by the arrival of a little stranger in the Duke of Westminster's family. The infant Earl Grosvenor is heir to the richest estate in land held by any one in England. The Westminster estate is not large in acreage. The Duke of Sutherland's is a hundredfold that of the Duke of Westminster, but more than a hundredfold less productive. The dual acre of Westminster brings in another an increasing income in fines, premiums, improved ground rents and so on which can fall little short of £1,000 (\$50,000) a day. All the ground upon which the fair and Belgravia stand came to the Duke of Westminster through his ancestor's marrying a farmer's daughter at Ebury. This farmer was named Davis and his cows used to graze in fields which are now Grosvenor square and Belgrave square the locality which has become the ultra fashionable part of London.

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