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THE OPERA HOUSE INCIDENT**

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 8, 1926.  
The Mail,  
City.

Dear Sirs:—

In view of the fact that Mr. Clark and other members of the Opposition Ticket have circulated the report that they have been refused the use of the Opera House by myself, and as this is only a half truth, the circulation of which may deceive the public, I wish to publish copies of correspondence exchanged between Mr. Clark and myself on Wednesday last.

I may further state that Mr. Clark's request was delivered at my office about 11 a. m. that day and that my reply was delivered to him about 2 p. m. the same day although I had to use the dinner hour and consult with several of the Aldermen from my house in order to get an answer to Mr. Clark as early as possible so that he would have time to announce his meeting in Wednesday evening's papers if desired.

Thanking you Mr. Editor for this space, I am,

Yours truly,

R. L. PHILLIPS.

Mr. Clark's Letter.

Fredericton, N. B.,

January 6, 1926.

R. L. Phillips,  
Mayor, City of Fredericton

Dear Sir:—

Referring to the Citizens' meeting called by you as Mayor for

Friday night, I ask on behalf of the candidates for the City Council not mentioned in your notice, that they have the privilege of taking part in the discussion of Civic affairs.

An early answer is requested.

Yours truly,

(Sgd.) W. G. CLARK.

The Mayor's Reply.

January 6, 1926.

Mr. W. G. Clark,

Dear Sir:—

I have your favor of even date, requesting the privilege of taking part in the Meeting advertised for Friday Night by the Mayor and Aldermen.

Permit me to call your attention to the fact that at the request of certain Clergymen of Fredericton, the chair will not be taken until 8.15 and it is not expected that our Meeting will get under way before 8.30.

Naturally the Mayor and Aldermen will have considerable to say and under these conditions and to open at a later hour than usual, I do not feel that it will be satisfactory to either party to divide the time and must decline your request.

I am, however, anxious that your ticket should have every opportunity of addressing the public and have given directions to the Manager of the Opera House to allow you to use it on Thursday Evening of this week without charge, if you so desire.

Yours truly,

(Signed) R. L. PHILLIPS.

**BIBLE SOCIETY ANNUAL  
MEETING LAST NIGHT,  
REV. J. S. BONNELL SPOKE**

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butted for the year as there are a few sums which have not yet been received. The total collections last year amounted to \$680, and from the present outlook we anticipate similar figures for 1925.

Officers and Committee are as follows:—

President, J. W. Spurden.  
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Life members are, J. S. Armstrong, W. G. Clark, H. G. Kitchen, R. L. Phillips, James M. Lemont, Mrs. W. T. Whitehead, Chas. A. Sampson, L. A. W. Joubert, Miss Josephine A. Joubert.

Address on Tyndale.

The splendid address on the life and work of William Tyndale, the author of the original translation of the Holy Bible was delivered by Rev. J. S. Bonnell, pastor of St. Andrew's Church, St. John, was greatly enjoyed. At the conclusion of the address Rev. F. H. Holmes of the Wilnot Church, was warm in his appreciation of the scholarly address just listened to and moved a resolution of thanks, seconded by W. M. Burns, to Rev. Mr. Bonnell.

This was presented by Rev. G. C. Warren and heartily approved by the standing vote of the large audience.

Collections.

Collections for 1925 were as follows:—

Wellington Ward—St. Paul's Church—Collected by Miss Everett, \$10.80; Mrs. N. C. Dougherty, \$5.05; Mrs. C. E. McLean, \$13.00; Mrs. E. G. Dryden, \$10.31; Mrs. Grace Smith, \$4.75; Mrs. Milford Brodie, \$3.25; Mrs. Chas. D. Ross, \$5.44—Total, \$52.60.

Wellington Ward, No. 2, St. Andrew's Church—Mrs. J. S. Scott, \$6.00; Mrs. O. B. Brewer, \$18.00; Miss Jean Hodge, \$7.40. Total \$31.40. Total for Ward, \$84.00.

St. Ann's Ward—Brunswick Street Baptist Church—Mrs. R. P. Allen, \$8.85; Mrs. Tennant, \$5.95; Mrs. Dunphy, \$2.80; ————— \$2.75; Miss Haines, \$10.00; Mrs. Sutherland, \$3.70; Miss Cooper, \$3.25; Mrs. S. Kitchen, \$12.00; Mrs. Robinson, \$7.38; Mrs. A. R. Fraser, \$11.75; Mrs. A. E. Mackay, \$5.25; Mrs. G. L. Haviland, \$10.80; Mrs. D. H. Ferguson, \$8.00; Mrs. Geo. DeLong, \$12.05; Mrs. McDougall, \$3.25; Mrs. A. C. Porter, \$3.30. Total, \$111.08.

Carleton Ward—George Street Baptist Church—Mrs. S. A. Pugh, \$23.08; Mrs. Hornecastle, \$7.40; Mrs. C. McCutcheon, \$5.70; Mrs. C. E. Boone, \$15.06; Mrs. Fred. Saunders, \$1.90; Mrs. Bishop, \$4.60—Total, \$57.74.

Queen's Ward—Wilnot, United Church—Mrs. J. M. Lemont, \$22.50; Mrs. T. H. Colter, \$22.00; Mrs. H. C. Jewett, \$6.00; Misses Gertrude Barker and Mary Boyd, \$14.00; Mrs. A. T.

Murchie and Miss Miriam Colter, \$18.55; Misses Helen Welsh and Mae Rowney, \$2.80; Miss Lyla Young, \$5.05—Total, \$90.90.

King's Ward—Anglican Church—Mr. J. S. Armstrong, \$10.00; Miss F. L. Gilbert, \$30.15; Miss Mary L. Gregory, \$21.10—Total \$61.25.

Factories—Rev. Dr. R. W. Weddall, \$46.00.

Business houses and offices—Mr. A. C. Porter and Mr. W. M. Clark, \$162.25; Mr. H. T. Brewer and Mr. W. M. Burns, \$36.00; Mr. J. S. Armstrong and Mr. R. B. Wallace, returns not all in.

**FATHER SAVAGE  
TO TAKE GREAT  
AFRICAN CRUISE**

Moncton, Jan. 6.—Father Savage, pastor of St. Bernard's church, and H. F. Hamilton, retired chief accountant of the controller's department of the C. N. R., here, have secured membership in the "Great African Cruise" under the joint management of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company and the American Express Company and will sail from New York on Jan. 19 on the steamer Orca. They will visit the West Indies, South America, and then cross the Atlantic to Cape Town, rounding the Cape of Good Hope. The cruise will continue to East African ports, then through the Red Sea to Port Sudan, where a special train will be taken for a visit to Cairo, the Tombs of the Kings, the Nile region, and thence overland to Alexandria.

**A PRISONER  
GOT FRESH  
WITH JUDGE**

Montreal, Jan. 7.—"Who in the Hell do you think you are?" roared William Southin, aged 26, at Recorder Morrison, before whom he was brought today on the charge of aggravated assault.

"Talk to me like that any more and I'll knock your block off. Come over here and I'll do it anyway."

The irate prisoner was about to jump the dock railings and make for the magistrate when he was pounced upon by two officers and dragged away to the cells. His outburst followed a reminder from the bench that "this court is a place for serious things." Recorder Morrison had so rebuked Southin for laughing and waving at an acquaintance among the spectators.

J. Redfern of Saint John, officiating for the Compensation Board is a guest at the Barker House.

**WOMEN TO  
BE THE NAME**

London, Jan. 8.—"Ladies" still play golf in England, but on the tennis courts feminine players in future are to be known as "women." By decree of the British Lawn Tennis Association the ruling authority "women" players, a term long taboo, has been restored and the word "ladies" takes its place among discarded expressions.

The word "charlady" is taken quite too seriously in some quarters the tennis officials believed and the decision to restore "women" as players, was taken with the view of starting a move for the return of a word which had nearly disappeared in connection with amateur sports in England.

**Alarm of Fire.**

An alarm from box 31 called the firemen out this afternoon for a burning chimney at the Barker House. There was no damage.

Dr. G. J. Wherrett of Moncton is at the Queen.

H. S. Roadhouse of Toronto is among the commercial men in the city today.

**NEW SPATS  
FOR THE MEN  
DESIGNED**

London, Jan. 8.—Arbiters of men's fashion, spurred by the popularity of Russian boots for women, have designed new spats for men. These are made of rubber in varying shades and besides being easy to clean, are claimed to be made close fitting to the ankles and shoes than the present cloth spats.

**The Capitol.**

"Zander the Great" is the photo play at the Capitol for the last half of the week featuring Marion Davies.

The simple, human story deals with the love of a girl for a little boy who is left in her care and her extraordinary efforts to find his father. Her quest takes her to the American desert, close to the Mexican border, where she and the boy fall in with a gang of rum-runners occupying a lonely hut. The outcome of this makes for unexpected happening, naturally many laughs and some excitement; all ending happily.

There is also another chapter of the serial *Sunken Silver*.

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MEN'S FELT BOOTS, rubber sole, 6 inch leg ..... \$3.75  
MEN'S GUM RUBBERS ..... \$2.59 to \$3.25  
BOYS' GUM RUBBERS ..... \$1.99  
BOYS' FELT BOOTS, rubber sole ..... \$2.99  
MEN'S SIX INCH SHOEPACKS ..... \$2.69  
BOYS' SIX INCH SHOEPACKS ..... \$1.99  
YOUTHS' SIX INCH SHOEPACKS ..... \$1.44  
LITTLE GEMS SHOEPACKS ..... \$1.19  
MEN'S DRAW STRING SHOEPACKS 6 to 16 inch ..... \$4.25 to \$8.25  
LADIES' SHOES ..... 98 cents to \$4.99 a pair.  
LADIES OVERSHOES, 2 buckle, 3 strap, Jersey cloth, regular ..... \$5.50. Sale price ..... \$4.49  
LADIES OVERSHOES, 2 buckle 3 strap, cashmerette. Regular ..... \$4.50. Sale price ..... \$3.89  
LADIES RUBBERS, 90 cents. MISSES' RUBBERS 80 cents.  
MISSES' OVERSHOES, 2 buckle at ..... \$1.75

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