

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS

To insure prompt change it is desirable that advertisers should have their copy in this office before six o'clock in the evening of the day before.

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Light to moderate winds fair and mild.

OUT ON DEPOSIT.

A solitary drunk was gathered in by the police last night. He made a deposit and was allowed to go.

PARISH SALE TONIGHT.

Don't forget the sale at the Parish House tonight. St. Ann's Band will furnish music.

GOING TO BOSTON

Messrs. Havelock Coy and R. W. McLellan will leave for Boston on legal business shortly.

TWO SCOTT ACT FINES.

Two Scott Act cases were heard by the Police Magistrate this morning. The offense were acknowledged and fines of \$50 and costs were imposed on each offender.

CROWN LAND SALE

At the crown land office this morning 280 acres of crown lands in Westmorland County were sold to Ambrose R. Meyers at the upset price of \$2 per acre.

DELICATE OPERATION.

Miss Catherine Forbes, of Nashwaak Village, a sister of Mr. Charles Forbes, underwent a successful operation for cancer at the Victoria Hospital this morning.

BURIED AT MARYSVILLE

The body of William Taylor, found at the mouth of the Nashwaak yesterday morning, was interred in the Baptist cemetery, Marysville, yesterday afternoon. Rev. Mr. McCann officiated.

WILL PROBATED

The will of the late William J. Crewdson was probated yesterday. The estate is valued at \$8,800. Of that amount \$5,100 is real estate, the balance personal property. Ernest L. Crewdson, son of the deceased is executor and Havelock Coy, proctor.

FOR THE DRIVE

Mr. T. L. Morris sent a crew of fifteen men to Red Rapids this morning to work on Mr. J. D. McLaughlin's drive. Mr. Morris is also getting driving crews together for other operators. Good men are being paid \$2 per day and found.

THE LAYMEN'S BANQUET

The galleries will be open for ladies and gentlemen at 7.30 after the banquet to be held by the Laymen's Missionary Movement in the Assembly Chambers on Wednesday evening of this week. Admission of ten cents will be charged and tickets may be obtained at McMurray's.

GOOD SHOW AT THE BIJOU.

The Bijou is showing today a strong program. "Yachting on the Baltic," with its beautiful ocean scenery, is exceptionally good. "The Garibaldi Boy" is a fine picture with a splendid climax. Illustrious song and good music. Don't forget the daily matinees, 3 to 5 p.m.

PINAFORE SEATS.

Many of our music-loving people will agree with the Marysville correspondent of the Mail who considered Pinafore the best of all the comic operas. Good houses are assured for both nights' performances. The sales of seats for Friday evening opened at McMurray's this morning, and a very large number has been sold up to noon.

TUBERS PLENTIFUL.

Mr. C. K. Howard, superintendent of the Aroostook Valley Railway, who was in the city over Sunday, says that the spring shipment of potatoes from Aroostook County has not yet commenced. He says that there is an enormous supply in the vicinity of Presque Isle, and that fifty cents a barrel is the prevailing price at present.

MRS. ROBINSON'S VISIT.

Mrs. Henry J. Robinson, of Portrush County Antrim, Ireland, who has been spending the past few months with friends here, leaves on Friday for Riverside, Albert County, to visit her sister, Mrs. N. B. Dixon. She has arranged to sail for home on the 29th inst., and will be accompanied by the Misses Murray of St. John, who will visit in the old country. Mrs. Robinson was formerly a Miss Black of this city, and her husband who died some years ago was a captain in the 76th Regiment. It is over twenty years since she last visited Fredericton and naturally her old friends were very much pleased to see her.

MARCH BUSY MONTH
AT VICTORIA HOSPITAL

Additional Room Required—Joint Meeting to Consider Communication from Premier Hazen.

The monthly meeting of the Trustees of Victoria Public Hospital was held yesterday, when Mayor Thomas and Mr. Jas. F. McMurray assumed their duties as Trustees for the first time. The President, Mr. Tennant, and His Honor, Judge Barry, and Mr. Sterling, with the Secretary and Treasurer, were also present.

It was shown by the financial statement of the Secretary that the month of March was a busy one and while the expenditure was large, the receipts were correspondingly large. The building has been taxed to its utmost capacity of late, and no doubt with more rooms at the disposal of the Matron, the work would be increasingly satisfactory. However, from the report of the Matron, it was shown that a goodly number of patients have been satisfactorily discharged. On the 1st day of March there were twenty-six patients under treatment. During the month thirty were admitted, and of these thirteen received medical and seventeen surgical treatment. Thirty-seven were discharged and two died. In March, la grippe was very prevalent in the city and also entered the precincts of the hospital. The matron, several of the nurses and two of the domestics were laid aside at different times and none of them yet feel like claiming to be as well as ever. The Dowling has been continuously open for several weeks until yesterday when a diphtheria patient was discharged. The nursing staff is to receive an additional probationer in the person of Miss Nellie Ross, of Taymouth, whose credentials have been referred to the Secretary Treasurer. The Trustees were evidently cheered by the systematic movement of the ladies in their efforts to secure an enlargement of the hospital. The present structure is a monument to the memory of the untiring labors of Lady Tilley and her associates. Local friends do not forget to minister to the comforts of the inmates of the institution. A few days ago the contents of the larder was improved by the addition of a generous supply of preserves and pickles, in bottles, from Mrs. Jas. D. Fowler.

A letter was read from Premier Hazen with enclosure, referring to the treatment of pulmonary tuberculosis. After considering the question it was decided to endeavor to arrange a joint meeting with the medical staff to discuss the matter.

Upon request, permission was extended to a patient to have continuous X-Ray treatment for two or three months for cancer.

Tenders were invited for the supply

MR. RICHARD EVANS
AFTER A FORTUNE

Well Known Millville Man Thinks He Has Strong Claim to Share the Evans Millions.

Mr. Richard Evans a Millville was in the city on Monday on his way home from St. John where he has been looking up family records with a view of making good his claim to a share of the estate of the late Mr. Robert D. Evans, the Boston millionaire who died last summer. Mr. Evans left an estate of ten million dollars one half of which was bequeathed to his widow and the remainder, under the terms of the will is to go to his heirs at law. Mr. Richard Evans claims to be one of the latter as his father was a first cousin of the Boston millionaire. Mr. Evans has one brother, Mr. Thomas Evans of Waltham and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Bain of Waltham and Mrs. Jane Kierstead of St. Croix, who are acting with him and they have jointly engaged a Boston lawyer to look after their interest. Mrs. Margaret Donovan and Mrs. William Keyes cousins of theirs residing at Dorchester, Mass., filed a claim for a portion of the estate, several months ago. Admiral Robley D. Evans, better known as "fighting Bob" is also a claimant and there are several living in St. John of which place the deceased millionaire was a native.

In conversation with a Mail representative, Mr. Richard Evans said that so far as he could learn he and his brother and two sisters, and his cousins, Mrs. Donovan and Mrs. Keyes were the nearest surviving relatives of the Boston millionaire, and he anticipates that they will have no difficulty in establishing their claim to a good share of the fortune.

Mr. Evans is a native of St. John, being a son of the late Robert and Mary Evans of that place. He resided in Vancouver for some time and for the past eleven years has been living at Millville.

DEATH AT ANDOVER.

Mrs. Thomas Emack died at her home at Andover yesterday, after a brief illness. She was a sister of the late Mrs. Abraham Emack, of Gibson, and an aunt of the Messrs. Emack, of Emack Brothers. A husband, three sons and one daughter survive. The body will reach Gibson on the Woodstock train this evening and will be interred at 2.30 tomorrow, with services by Rev. C. P. Wilson.

of seventy-seven tons of coal and offers were received from three of the city merchants. There was very little difference in the figures and the contract was awarded to Ald. Vantwart, whose tender was the lowest.

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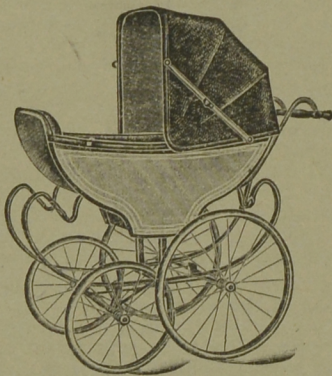
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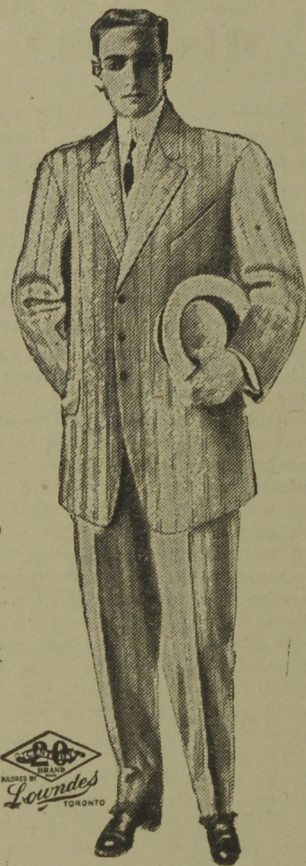
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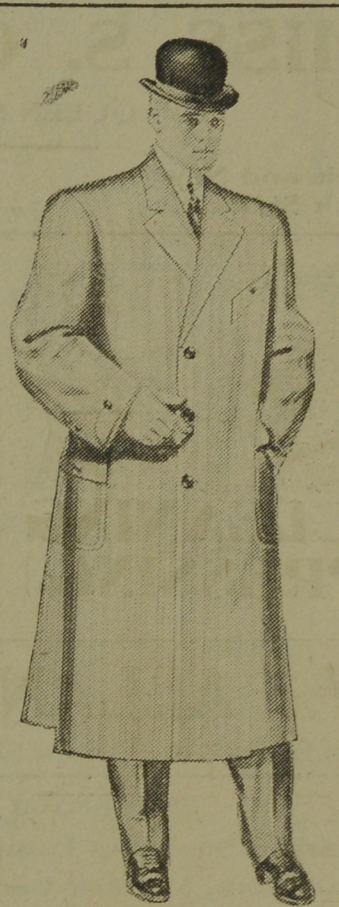


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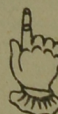
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