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STAIR OILCLOTH, 9c. yard up.
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WINTER PORT STATEMENT

Eighty-nine winter port steamships have filed outward cargo papers at the Customs House up to date, showing a valuation as follows:—

Canadian Goods .. ..$ 9,855,104
United States Goods.. . 5,021,915

Total $14,877,019

One hundred and two steamers have arrived in port, during the winter port season todate, with a tonnage of 400,079 tons.

The following is the number of arrivals of each line up to date:

Allan Line.. 18
Donaldson Line.. 21
C. P. R. Line.. 36
Manchester Line.. 7
Furness Line 11
Head Line 5
South African Line. 4

Total 102

The amount of grain sent forward in these steamers is close to four million bushels.

The number of cattle sent forward has nearly reached the twenty thousand mark.

THIS EVENING

The Every Day Club meets as usual.
Cinegraph Moving Pictures at the Opera House.
Vaudeville at Keith's Theatre.
Queen's Rollaway.

THE WEATHER

Forecast:—Strong north to northwest winds fair and cold. Sunday, fine and cold.

LATE LOCALS

Murray and Gregory's mill will start for the season on Monday morning.

The members of the Painters' Union are requested to meet in their hall tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock to attend the funeral of the late Samuel Johnson.

The Seamen's Institute thankfully acknowledges the following contributions for general fund: T. H. Bullock, $10.00; James Flemming & Co., $10; A. F. C. Ross, $10; E. F. Hebbin, $10; H. & A. Allan, office, $10; G. E. Fairweather, $5; C. F. Ward, $5.

Pioneer Lodge of Oddfellows, last night began a series of weekly meetings to discuss the duties of boards of health in preventing tuberculosis. The speakers were Hon. C. N. Skinner, Chas. Fowler, Dr. A. D. Smith, H. E. Codner and Dr. James Christie.

Nine burial permits were issued by the Board of Health authorities this week. They were from the following causes:—Heart disease, four; consumption, two; senility, lobar pneumonia, cerebral hemorrhage, one each.

G. Earle Logan, who left a short titme ago for Saskatoon, to go into the real estate office of Ross & Leonard, has formed a partnership in the real estate business with a man named Bates, under the firm name of Bates & Logan.

The West India steamer Oruro, Captain Seeley, arrived off Partridge Island at 11.30 o'clock this morning, from Bermuda, Windward Islands and Demerara. She will come up to her berth this afternoon. She has on board passengers and general cargo, including a large lot of molasses to land here.

The Head line steamship Bengore Head, Captain Campbell, arrived in port this morning from Belfast, Ireland, via Port Talbot, in ballast. The captain reports a very boisterous passage, with strong westerly winds.

The outward cargo papers of the C. P. R. steamship Lake Manitoba, were filed at the Customs House today. Her cargo for Liverpool is valued as follows:—Canadian goods, $92,588; foreign goods, $215,185. Total, $307,773. She has on board 923 bales cotton and 16,928 bushels of wheat.

The twelfth anniversary of Johnston Lodge, Ladies' Benevolent Orange Association was celebrated last evening in the Orange Hall, Germain street, Mrs. McLeod, mistress of the lodge, presiding. Officers from other lodges were present and an enjoyable programme was carried out.

Mrs. John Boyle, of Carleton, who, with a Dutchman, figured in public print recently, as having left her husband and gone to the States in company with the Dutchman, was, like her new love, turned back at the border, and is again in the city. The Dutchman has also returned to St. John.

Steamer Aberdeen which has been undergoing repairs and alterations during the winter, will be taken on Tuesday next from Indiantown to Hilyard's blocks, where some necessary additions will be made, after which her new furniture will be installed and she will then be ready for work as soon as navigation opens.

Band and races at the Queen's Rollaway tonight. After the last band all the fast ones will take part in a novel race. When the gun is fired none of the starters will know how far they have to skate. The number of laps has been put in an envelope, and the judges will open this after the start and they will then know how many laps the skaters have to go, but the latter will not know until the gong is rung, after which there will be just one more lap to skate. This race will test the judgment and speed of all the skaters.

Sunday, April 21st, will be observed in most of the Episcopal churches in the city, as Missionary Sunday. Special preachers will fill the various pulpits, including Bishop Richardson, Dr. Norman Tucker, Canons Cowie, Newnham and Montgomery, and probably the Rev. Mr. Armstrong, the new rector of Trinity. The sum apportioned to the St. John churches for home, Canadian and foreign missions amounts to more than $5.000, and it is expected that a large part of this amount will be raised on the Missionary Sunday.

Archdeacon Lloyd, the founder of the Rothesay Boys College, and former rector of Rothesay, is returning from England with a staff of about thirty clergymen and catechists, who will work in the Canadian northwest. The archdeacon's tour in Ireland awakened great interest, and even enthusiasm, as he told of the wonderful development of western Canada. He obtained many donations for his work, including the sum of £1,400 sterling from a lady in Ireland.

THE CARPENTERS

Reports this morning indicate no new developments in the disagreement between the carpenters' union and the contractors. All the men who quit work are now back, save those working for Clark & Adams and Contractor Dodge. It is understood that Contractor Dodge will accept the union's terms, but has no contracts on hand on which to employ the men.

Clark & Adams are willing to pay the union figure of $2.50 per day, provided the men are worth it. The contractors are opposed to the union in the matter of the closed shop.

The union will meet again Wednesday night unless something occurs to justify a special meeting being held in the meantime.

POLICE COURT

Two Drunks Disposed of Today--Raphael Brasseur Sent to South Africa.

Two prisoners occupied the bench at this morning's sitting of the police court.

Hugh Cox, arrested for drunkenness, pleaded guilty and was fined $8 or thirty days in jail.

Cox was arrested March 22, on a similar charge, and had been out of jail but a short time. He promised to reform if given a chance, but his honor could not see the matter in that light.

Julia Clayhorn also charged with drunkenness was sentenced to two months in jail in default of payment of an $8 fine.

Raphael Brasseur, who on February 7 was sent to jail for two months on a charge of drunkenness and subsequently sentenced in the county court by Judge Forbes to three months, from February 26, for stealing, was yesterday shipped as cook on a steamer bound from this port to South Africa, a provision having been made in the sentence that he be deported should an opportunity occur.

FUNERALS

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary F. Foley was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of her husband, 68 Gilbert's lane, to the Cathedal, where Rev. J. W. Holland read the burial service. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

The Funeral of the late John D. Kelly was held this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his late residence, corner of Main street and Milford road, Fairville, to St. Rose's church, where Rev. Father Collins read the funeral service. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of the late George E. Frost, who died in Hampton, was held today from the depot on the arrival of the Montreal express at 2 o'clock. Interment was made in Fernhill.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret Burns, which was to have taken place this morning at 8.30 o'clock, was postponed until Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, owing to the non-arrival yesterday of two sisters of the deceased, from Boston.

The funeral of Mrs. Anastasia Walsh will be held Monday at 8.30 a. m., from Sheriff street. Interment will be made in the new Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of James Tyzick was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from Chamberlain's undertaking rooms. Rev. Neil McLaughlin and Rev. Dr. Mathers read the funeral service, and intrment was made in Fernhill.

SOWING BEGUN IN MANITOBA

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, Man., Apr 5—The first seeding of the year has been reported from Portage Plains. A farmer from that place was in the city yesterday, and stated that a small quantity of grain was planted on the farm of John Galbraith. Nearly all the fields of the country are bare, and as soon as the frost leaves the ground seeding will become general. Two days of good, warm weather will be sufficient to allow many of the farmers to get to work. A successful seeding season is anticipated.

Farm lands near here have recently been transferred at prices as high as fifty dollars an acre.

PERSONALS

Miss May Burnes, who has been in Ottawa for the past three months, visiting her sister, Mrs. Arthur Weekes, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. George McArthur and Mrs James McKinney have arrived home from a visit to Quebec.

Miss Cora Wesley, of Toronto, is in the city visiting her brother, F. C. Wesley.

Miss Helena McLean, of Peters street left last evening for Ossining, N. Y. to resume her nursing duties which were interrupted about a year ago by illness.

Rev. Dr. Watson, who supplies Queen Square church Sunday evening, is the guest of Alderman Bullock, Germain St.

THE EVERY DAY CLUB

Mrs. Worden, Mr. Titus, Mr. Cairns and others will sing at the meeting in the Every Day Club rooms tomorrow evening at 8.30 o'clock. The musical programme will be the feature of the evening, and will take up most of the hour.

There will be a temperance meeting as usual at four o'clock on Sunday afternoon. Ladies are welcomed at these Sunday meetings.

CIVIL COURTS

The case of Sleeth, Quinlan & Co. vs. The City of St. John was continued in the Supreme Court before Mr. Justice McLeod, and further testimony was taken.

The case of Tooke, et al, vs. Brock & Paterson and E. W. Paterson, was resumed in the Equity court this morning, before Mr. Justice Barker, when the evidence of J. King Kelley was taken.

AUCTIONS

The Patrick McCarthy wooden building, situated on Brussels street, was offered at auction today at Chubb's corner, and was withdrawn at $1185.

The property of John G. Williams, situated on Main street, was withdrawn at $1,600.

BIG STORM AT CHATHAM

CHATHAM, N. B., April 6 (Special)—One of the wildest storms of the season is raging here. A strong north wind is blowing the snow into drifts, many of which are three feet deep.

S. Hartt Green, who graduated from the St. John Law School last fall, and who is now associated with a firm in Winnipeg, has won his first case. Mr. Green brought action against a man for procuring $195 from his client under false pretences. The defendant was found guilty, and was about to be sentenced to two years in the penitentiary, when his wife offered Mr. Green $170 in settlement. Mr. Green then asked for suspended sentence, which the presiding judge granted.

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