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LOTS OF BEEF.

A very large amount of beef was exhibited in the country market today. It is stated that more animals were killed in the slaughter houses yesterday for today's market than for any similar day for years. The price of beef, too, is low. Fowl, on the other hand, are commanding high prices. They range in the vicinity of seventy-five cents a pair, while at this time last year chickens could be obtained for thirty and forty cents. Pork is coming into market a little more freely than for some time past. The lateness of the harvest is given as an explanation of the scarcity of pork and fowl. The farmers have been waiting until after harvesting was concluded to obtain food to fatten these for the market.

BURIED TODAY.

This morning at half-past nine o'clock the funeral of the late John Duffy took place from the Mater Misericordiae home. Service was conducted by the Rev. J. J. Coughlan and the body was interred in the New Catholic cemetery. The funeral of the late John R. Vincent was held at half-past two o'clock this afternoon from his late residence 9 Germain street. Service was conducted at the house by Rev. Alexander White and Rev. T. P. Fotheringham. Interment was made in Cedar Hill.

FOOTBALL.

The St. John A. A. football team will have a practice on the Victoria grounds, at 4 o'clock, tomorrow afternoon, at the close of the base ball game.

The high school and St. Jude's teams will meet on the Shamrock grounds tomorrow afternoon.

The prospects for football this season are excellent.

THE SUGAR MARKET.

What's the matter with the sugar market? It was reported here yesterday that raw beet had further advanced and refined was very firm. Today a New York despatch to the Star says: "The American Sugar Refining Co. today reduced the prices of all refined grades five points."

COUNTERFEIT MONEY.

(Monoton Transcript.)

The manager of the Bank of Montreal here has received telegraphic instructions from the general manager of the bank to be on the lookout for counterfeit five dollar bills of the Bank of Montreal; as also counterfeit five dollar bills of other banks.

TO ADVERTISERS.

Copy for change of advertisements in the Star should be in the office not later than 10 a. m. to ensure insertion the same day.

To cure Headache in ten minutes use KUMFORT Headache Powders.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS!

Copy for Saturday's issue of the STAR must be sent in by Three-Thirty O'clock Friday Afternoon, otherwise it is absolutely impossible to ensure a change for that issue, as the paper goes to press earlier on Saturdays than on other days of the week.

LOCAL NEWS.

The late C. C. Hamilton of Shediac left an estate valued at \$38,000.

Hugh Nealls has purchased the De Long property on St. James street, West End.

The Halifax gas consumers have been notified that the price of gas will be advanced twenty-five per cent.

Hon. Samuel Adams, of New York, recently presented the Roman Catholic church in Douglastown, Miramichi, his native place, with a check for \$1,000.

Great sale of ladies' print wrappers all day Saturday. See ad. on page 4 of this paper tonight—at F. R. Patterson's, corner Duke and Charlotte streets.

Rev. Mr. Coffin, assisted by a number of others, will give a musical and literary entertainment in City Hall, Carleton, on the 16th.

The West End dramatic class has begun work for the season, under the instruction of Miss Rogers. The members of this class propose giving one of their delightful entertainments in City Hall, during next month.

The injuries of Stewart McLeod, who was hurt in the I. C. R. yard Wednesday night, are not as serious as was first thought. He is recovering at the hospital.

Some of the wholesale dealers are complaining of a lack of cars on the I. C. R. to bring flour to the city. One concern has been delayed for a week, waiting to obtain a shipment of five carloads, and the prospects for immediate delivery are not very bright.

AN INCORRECT REPORT.

Mrs. Robert Earle, corner of Pond and George streets, desires the Star to state that the report on the police records that she interfered with officers in the discharge of their duty is not correct. A boy that the police were chasing ran into her house through one door and out through another. The officers entered the house and declared that the boy was there. She assured them he was not, and they then asked that they be allowed to search the house. Mrs. Earle, who at the time had a sick baby in her arms, and another child sick in bed, objected to this and said they went away. There was no intention on her part to interfere with them, for the simple reason that the boy was not in her house.

A SOUTH AFRICAN HERO.

Trooper George Pyle, of the 2nd C. M. Rifles, has returned to this city from South Africa via England, where he has been in Netley hospital. This is the young soldier who was wounded and captured by the Boers and returned to his regiment by the Boer General De La Rey, after suffering great hardships on the veldt. He has served twice in the war, during 1901 in the Prince Alfred Guards, under Gen. French. He will be tendered a reception on Saturday evening, at 9 o'clock at the Sons of England hall by the Sons of England, of which he is a member. All Sons of England are invited to be present.

BEAN CROP DAMAGED.

The Montreal Herald has received the following from J. B. Springer & Co., of Chatham, Ont.: "Our bean crop very strong in consequence of immense damage reported to the new crop, due to continued wet weather. The crop is mostly pulled and has been lying in the fields two weeks and longer, no chance offering to get them dry, and are now said to be in the mud, rotting, sprouting and bursting the pods. The few of the old crop cannot be bought today from the farmers. Dealers in stocks about gone, nominal price for prime, \$1.50 f.o.b."

CROWN LAND SALES.

At the crown lands office, Fredericton, on Wednesday the following timber berths were sold at auction: West branch Northwest brook and head of east branch Serpentine river, six miles, to J. H. Barry, for a client, at \$52 per mile.

Head of the east branch and left hand branch of Serpentine river, six miles, to J. H. Barry, at \$31 mile.

East of Serpentine river, nine miles, to J. H. Barry, at \$26 a mile.

Two berths of three miles each on Cain's river were sold to Wm. Richards Company at the upset price of \$8 a mile.

RECENT WEDDINGS.

Gilmore Love, of Pokok, and Miss Juliette Way, of Meductic, were married by the Rev. P. C. Hartley at the residence of Joseph Lini, Fredericton, on Wednesday morning.

John W. Charters, of Fredericton, and Miss Gladys Hovey, of Ludlow, York county, were married at the home of the groom's mother on Wednesday by Rev. P. C. Hartley.

GOES TO CAMPBELLTON.

R. H. Anderson, of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Chatham, has been transferred from Chatham to Campbellton, and will assume the management of the bank there in a few days. A house will be built for him in Campbellton by the bank.

OTTAWA, Oct. 2.—The city council decided tonight to memorialize the government to temporarily remove under the audit act the duty on coal in view of the present coal famine. Municipalities throughout Canada will be asked to take similar action.

A RECORD BREAKER.

The Programme of the Carnival of Sport Is Now Ready.

The programme for the carnival week is out. It gives indications that from the eighth to the fourteenth this city will be the scene of the biggest sporting event ever held in the province. The events are first class, and the entries are the best. The programme is:

Wednesday, Oct. 8th—Single fare excursions from all points on the I. C. R., C. P. R. and D. A. R., good to return on the 14th inst.

1 p. m.—Yacht races on the harbor course from Reed's Point to buoy off Red Head; thence to the whistling buoy and back to the starting point.

Thursday, Oct. 9th—Excursions from all points.

2 p. m.—Racing at Moosepath, 221 trot and pace, 225 and free for all.

Friday, Oct. 10th.—More excursions.

2 p. m.—Baseball, Haverhill v. All St. John. Yapp and Dunleavy are expected to pitch for St. John.

Saturday, Oct. 11th.—Special cheap excursions from points in the three provinces; tickets good until the 14th.

2 p. m.—Baseball on the Athletic grounds.

7.30 p. m.—Illuminated harbor parade.

Monday, Oct. 13th.—10 a. m.—Regatta on the harbor, four-oared, double and single scull races. Halifax and other oarsmen will be present.

2 p. m.—Final baseball game on the Athletic grounds.

8 p. m.—Jessie MacLachlan and McCaskey concert.

Tuesday, Oct. 14th.—2 p. m.—Grand athletic sports, sprints and jumps, big handicap races, professional and amateur. Piper Donovan, T. Keene and Hobbs have entered.

Every evening during the carnival week band concerts will be held.

PERSONAL.

Senator King of Chipman, is in town. Harry Jones, formerly of this city, now of North Britain, Conn., is visiting friends here.

F. H. Hall, M. P., was in the city today.

S. L. Peters of Queenstown came to the city this morning.

Mrs. Thos. O'Reilly and Miss O'Reilly of Lancaster, left by the N. B. Southern Railway yesterday to visit friends in St. George.

Miss Lisle Carleton of Boston, who has been visiting relatives in West End has returned home.

Mr. E. T. Wetmore, of the West End, is confined to his home in Lancaster by illness.

Conductor Bailey, of the C. P. R., who has been seriously ill at his home in Lancaster for some weeks, is able to be out again.

Thomas Rippey, the well known West End grocer, has returned from a trip to P. E. Island.

F. Bond of the Bank of B. N. A. of St. John, is in Fredericton to relieve Mr. A. McLellan, while the latter enjoys a holiday.

Miss Daisy McAdam, of Fredericton, is confined to her home, threatened with fever.

Robert McAdoo, of the customs service, St. John, accompanied by Mrs. McAdoo is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. VanBuskirk, Fredericton.

Wednesday evening Miss Anna Vanwart, daughter of Aid. Vanwart, of Fredericton, entertained a number of young friends in honor of her guest, Miss Della Vanwart of St. John.

Miss May Van Buren left Caribou, N. B., Wednesday for St. John, where she will remain about three weeks when she will go to Halifax, to enter the Sacred Heart convent.

POLICE REPORTS.

Duncan Pollock and Fred Ring are reported by Sgt. Ross for shouting on Ludlow street on Wednesday night.

A horse with carriage attached was found wandering about on Brussels street at an early hour this morning and was taken to Weatherhead's stable.

A bag containing a hand saw and spirit level was found in a yard off Sydney street and taken to the central station.

Henry Dolan is reported for leaving a pile of lumber without a light on Waterloo street last night.

Inspector Green reports the following men for driving coaches or slovens for hire without licenses: A. W. Golding, Harry Golding, Fred Ward, Harry Duncan, W. A. Read, William Dowdell, Charles Mullen, Thomas Reed, John Dryden, James Calvin, John Day, Jr., John Day, Jr., Edward Spragg, Jacob H. Colwell, Harry Hayes, John Hayes, Dominic Hayes, Thomas Dibblee and John Moran.

At a meeting of the Halifax merchants on Wednesday, I. C. Stewart called the attention of the meeting to the act passed at the last session of the legislature whereby special concessions are offered to induce manufacturers to establish business in Halifax. He said that some effort should be made to make this matter known, and proposed a resolution directing the board to advertise the advantages of Halifax as a suitable location for new manufactures. The resolution was referred to the council for action.

POLICE COURT.

In the police court this morning Lisle Wetmore, who shocked Sheld street society by using naughty words last evening, was fined eight dollars.

Martin Lannon, of Chesley street, north end, was reported for selling intoxicating liquor. He holds a beer license, but two bottles of hop beer produced in evidence contained five per cent. of alcohol. He was fined \$20 and costs.

REV OSCAR GRONLUND.

Rev. Oscar Gronlund, whose wife is a daughter of the late Rev. Job Shenton, is residing at Calgary, and is in the real estate business. Throat trouble prevented further church work by Mr. Gronlund, and as he had to go west for his health he took up real estate and insurance as a business.

HAMILTON, Oct. 2.—The congregation of Knox Presbyterian church has decided to call Rev. E. A. Henry of Brandon, Man., to the pastorate of the church, salary \$2,300 a year.

HOSPITAL STORIES.

Two Little Boys Who Show Unusual Courage.

There is in the General Public Hospital a little chap whose conduct through a most painful operation and trying convalescence is worthy of much praise. He is Cyril Kane and lives on the Strait Shore road. Cyril is not yet four years old and can scarcely talk plainly, but during the five or six weeks he has been in the hospital every word he has uttered has been cheerful. He was taken there over a month ago suffering from empyema, an inflammation of the pleura. Shortly after his admission a severe operation was performed, sections of several ribs being cut out, and a sterilized rubber tube inserted for the purpose of drawing off the accumulated pus. Every day since that operation was performed the rubber tube has been taken out, the still open wound dressed and another tube inserted. In all this Cyril has never spoken one word of complaint, has never cried, and is always cheerful with those who are attending him. He is quite weak and unable to do more than sit up in bed, and in a little cot in the female ward he plays contentedly with a doll. The daily dressing of the wound will be continued for a long time, as the disease is one which takes months, perhaps years to cure, and Cyril is being strengthened with tonics to enable him to stand the strain on his vitality.

Last evening there arrived at the old G. P. another young man who promises to outdo Cyril Kane in courage. He is Edward Wood, eleven years old, from Wood Point, near Sackville, and he is suffering from appendicitis.

On Wednesday the hospital authorities received a request from a Sackville physician that immediate treatment be given a patient he wished to send down, and asking instructions. Word was returned to him to send the patient, and on the 5.45 train last evening Edward Wood arrived. He was carefully and tenderly conveyed from the depot to the hospital and upon reaching that institution jumped out of the conveyance, ran up the steps and presented his letter of introduction. Between the movements of his jaws on a piece of gum which he was chewing he demanded a private room and ordered pen, ink and paper with which to write home. The next request was that the operation should be performed at once, as he wished to get back home as soon as possible. Edward was given the private room, the pen, ink and paper, but the operation was postponed for a day or two until he is in a fit condition for it.

PAIRTRIDGE ISLAND WATER.

A Correspondent Writes to the Moncton Transcript About It.

Editor Moncton Transcript:—Moncton is not the only place with a water problem in hand. While you had Mr. Kent there seeking water for the I. C. R., which did not materialize, he was more fortunate at St. John, in boring for the Partridge Island well, for the Marine Dept., where it is said he did get water at about 200 feet. But we see something stronger than water, and because of it some unknown reason, the supply was passed by and we got through to somewhere near China, judging from the cost, which exceeded \$4,000. Now the government wants the city of St. John to furnish the drinks, which in all probability will cost, it is said, about \$30,000. This is but a drop in the bucket. Would it not be well to know what was expected when Mr. Kent has started, and know what he did get before another reckless expenditure is made.

THE SIREN.

Partridge Island, St. John, Oct. 1.

OFF FOR QUEBEC.

The annual convention and banquet tendered by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company to its agents takes place in Quebec tomorrow. In the afternoon a meeting will be held at which vice-president Haley Fluke and other members of the executive from New York, as well as provincial superintendents will speak. In the evening a banquet will be held in the Chateau Frontenac, and the visiting agents will return to their homes on Monday.

From the St. John district twenty-four men are going. Those from St. John city are Superintendent E. S. Watson, assistant superintendents Jean McDermid, E. Seeley, H. Kinnear, Wm. McIsaac and J. V. Richards and agents R. A. McLaughlin, N. P. McLeod, T. S. Hill, James Tufts, Alexander McLean, Fred L. Tufts, Charles Card, Arthur Wilkms, John Magee and Newton C. Wetmore.

They leave by the 6 p. m. train this evening.

A SUBSTANTIAL CHECK.

Officer S. D. Hamm has received a letter from his son, Frank N. Hamm, who is now near Heidelberg with the South African Constabulary. Enclosed in the letter was a cheque for four hundred and fifty dollars, representing Trooper Hamm's savings from his pay since he went to Africa. Frank is enjoying life on the veldt, and says that the declaration of peace the work has been quite easy. The men are now doing patrol duty and sometimes spend two or three days in the saddle on long runs. They are having a good time, and none of the men are talking of coming home until their time expires in 1904.

Accompanying the letter was a photo of Frank, taken with Fred Cronk of Adelaide road.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE SCHOOL.

The school of domestic science opened yesterday morning in the Runciman building on the corner of Charlotte and Duke streets. Six ladies were present to begin the course and a number of others have signified their intention of entering in a few days. Miss Christie, who is in charge, will give the full course as taught in the upper Canadian schools.

DIED IN HOSPITAL.

Nicholas Mellon, aged 54, died at the hospital yesterday afternoon from heart disease. He was admitted to the hospital on August 28th. Mr. Mellon formerly lived at 120 St. Patrick street, where his sister, Mrs. Thomas Devlin, now resides.

F. R. PATTERSON,

A 75c. WRAPPER SALE.

Any print wrapper in this shop will be sold on Saturday for the low price of 75c. Each. This is a Clearance Sale of cotton goods before we open our Flannelette Wrappers. All sizes in this lot.

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Return tickets at SINGLE FARE on the 8th, 9th and 10th OCTOBER, good to return up to and including the 14th. On all stations this side of Edmundston on the C. P. R. and all stations this side of Campbellton on the I. C. R.

On SATURDAY, the 11th October, there will be a special cheap rate from the following points at the rates named, and the tickets will be good to return up to and including the 14th:

THE C. P. RY.	
Fredericton and return.....	\$1.15
Woodstock.....	1.85
St. Stephen.....	1.95
THE I. C. RY.	
Campbellton and return.....	\$3.25
Newcastle.....	2.10
Chatham Junction.....	2.10
Point du Chene.....	1.40
Summerside.....	2.60
Charlottetown.....	3.35
Moncton.....	1.15
Sussex.....	1.15
THE D. A. RY.	
Yarmouth and return.....	\$3.30
Weymouth.....	2.15
Digby.....	1.50
Bear River.....	1.70
Annapolis.....	2.00
Bridgetown.....	2.50

FAST LINE SERVICE.

The council of the board of trade met this morning and discussed the proposed twenty knot fast line service. A committee was appointed to draw up resolutions concerning the matter. These will be laid before the council some time before the general meeting of the board, which is scheduled for next Tuesday evening, is held. This subject will probably be the main topic for discussion on the evening of the general meeting.

HAVE A GRIEVANCE.

Passengers on the Sussex Train Kept Waiting Over an Hour.

The passengers on yesterday evening's Sussex train had a grievance somewhat greater than usual. The down C. P. R. which generally is crossed at or near the Chatelet, was yesterday delayed and the Sussex express proceeded as far as Nauwigewauk. There it was sidetracked and the locomotive removed to aid the C. P. over the grade. About five minutes after the Sussex train arrived No. 1 reached Nauwigewauk from the east. In the meantime the engine from that train to help the C. P. the Sussex engine was kept at work for about an hour and ten minutes, while the passengers on board that train, safely anchored on the siding, had an elegant chance to view the landscape for that period. They did not enjoy the situation a bit, and their remarks concerning the affair were distinctly to the point.

THE TRANSCRIPT'S POSITION.

Stating its position with reference to the provincial government the Moncton Transcript says:

"This journal's position is clear enough. It is opposed to coalitions whether government or opposition; and it is opposed to a liberal ticket supporting a coalition government or coalition opposition. It believes that unless the local government appeals to the electors as a liberal government and accepts only liberal candidates, liberals should withhold their support. The running of a liberal ticket in Westmorland county and a coalition ticket in another constituency will not meet liberal views as they are understood."

SUDDEN DEATHS.

While attending Port Elgin exhibition yesterday, Mrs. Silas Allen died of heart disease while sitting in the carriage with her husband.

Mrs. Boggs, wife of Herbert Boggs, of the Halifax Postal Department, was found dead in bed Thursday morning.

COMING TO MANITOBA.

OTTAWA, Oct. 2.—Two of the religious communities expelled from France by the laws of associations have applied to Archbishop Langevin for permission to locate in Manitoba and the archbishop has consented.

BIG AMERICAN ORDER FOR COAL.

LONDON, Oct. 2.—According to the St. James Gazette a Cardiff firm on Wednesday booked a single American order for 15,000 tons of steam coal.