

BACK OF THE DISAPPEARANCE OF SUBSIDIARY COUNTY FARMERS

The Agricultural Commission resumed its sittings on Tuesday with a meeting at the Court House, where there was an interested audience...

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BODY OF GEO. COOKE FOUND IN ST. JOHN MARKETS

After three days and three nights of unavailing search, the body of George Cooke was found Wednesday at McAlpine's landing about two miles below where he was shown on Sunday last, from the yacht Myrtle. The body was located on the bottom of the river by Albert Cook, brother-in-law of the deceased, and Mr. Chase, who was with him.

Mr. Herbert Edwards, the young man who made such a brave attempt at rescue, returned to St. John, and tells the following story: When the boom swung around it struck young Cooke a hard blow and evidently stunned him. As soon as it was seen was disabled, Edwards, who is a much smaller man, jumped in to save his friend. The drowning man caught him tightly about the shoulders, holding his arms in a close embrace. The two struggled for some time and Cooke, becoming exhausted, took Edwards to the bottom of the river.

Going down Cooke released his hold, in his dying moments evidently thinking of the safety of his friend and relieving him of a heavy burden. Edwards rose rapidly to the surface. He expected to see Cooke reappear as he would naturally happen, but the stinging effect of the water from the boom was too great, and he was seen no more. Edwards was too far gone to attempt to dive and he was just able to reach the shore.

St. Stephen News. St. John, July 15.—Prof. W. F. Vroom, of the Teachers' College, New York, is spending his vacation here with his mother, Mrs. Francis Vroom.

Mrs. Joseph Sullivan and son, of Framingham (Mass.), are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sullivan, Union street.

The members of the Golf Club intend punning an excursion by steamer Henry E. Eaton, to St. Andrews on Monday, July 20.

On Saturday 25th inst. Mrs. Kate McAllister and Miss George McAllister will sail from Montreal by the steamer Lake Champlain for London, England.

This afternoon the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson, Pleasant street, St. John, N. B., was the scene of a very pretty wedding, when their daughter, Annie, was united in marriage to Mr. Harwood, pastor of the Congregational church, Milltown. After the ceremony, refreshments were served and about 10 o'clock the bride changed her bridal robes for a costume of blue pique cloth with Alice blue hat. The happy couple drove to the C.P.R. station and went to Bangor where they will spend a few days. On their return they will reside in Thomas Hardy's house on Macks street.

WEDDINGS

A pretty wedding occurred at 6 o'clock Wednesday morning in St. Peter's church, when Miss Annie M. McKenzie, daughter of Bennett McKenzie, was united in marriage to J. Leo Congole, city traveler, for Thomas Goan.

Nuptial mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Scully, assisted by Fathers Hornan and Holland as deacon and sub-deacon respectively. The bride, who was given away by her father, was attired in a white vogue costume with Gainsborough hat to match. She was attended by Miss Annie Congole, a sister of the groom, who wore a costume of cream matting and black picture hat. Clement Murphy was best man.

The happy couple took the Point du Chene express for Moncton on a honeymoon visit to Montreal and Quebec, and on their return will reside at 211 Chesley street.

The Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception was the scene of an interesting event at 5:45 o'clock Wednesday morning when Rev. A. W. Meahan united in marriage Michael Donovan and Miss Margaret McCarty. The groom was attended by Arthur F. Murphy and Miss Nellie A. Driscoll was bridesmaid. The bride was given away by her brother, Florence McCarty, who wore a tailor-made costume of navy blue and the bridesmaid wore a cream suit.

After the ceremony the bridal party drove to the home of the bride, where a dainty breakfast was partaken of. Many beautiful and costly wedding gifts were received, including a silver service, which the young couple are held. Mr. and Mrs. Donovan left on the steamer for Boston at 8 o'clock and on their return will reside in this city.

Malley-Holmes. Newcastle, July 14.—At St. Patrick's church, Nelson, yesterday morning, Rev. Father Power officiating, William Malley, St. John, was married to Mrs. Henry Jane Malley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Malley, St. John. The bride was given away by her father, Wm. Malley, and Miss Minnie Hachee acted as bridesmaid. The bride was becomingly attired in white silk, and the bridesmaid in pink. Mr. and Mrs. Malley will reside in Nelson.

Just-Fanjoy. Amherst, July 14.—The citizens of Amherst were shocked yesterday to learn of the sudden death of C. Harold Main, son of the late Wm. Main, collector of customs for Amherst. He was taken ill three days ago but his trouble was not deemed serious. He was a friend of his friends know of his illness. Deceased was about 28 years of age. He was survived by his mother and four brothers and three sisters. The brothers are Gordon and Geoffrey in the west, Clarence in Amherst, and Gilbert, in Sydney. The sisters are Mrs. John Chisholm, Sydney; Misses M. M. McColl, New Glasgow, and Miss Gwendoline McColl, in Amherst branch of the Halifax Banking Company and worked in the office there for a number of years. He was transferred to St. John after the amalgamation of the Halifax Banking Company with the Canadian Bank of Commerce and labored there for some years resigning to return to Amherst to assist in closing up the estate of his father.

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Charlottetown's grand old man, died this morning, aged 92. Fifty years ago he started private banking and afterwards was in the dry goods business with his son, the late Benjamin Hertz, formerly president of the Merchants' Bank of Charlottetown, P.E.I. For many years he was a conspicuous figure in mercantile circles, where he won success, becoming one of the wealthiest men in the province. For seventeen years he was city councillor, and occupied other important positions. He was trustee of the Methodist church for half a century. He leaves a widow, one son, Rev. Dr. Hertz, president of the Methodist Conference of Nova Scotia, and two daughters, Mrs. W. W. Perkins and Mrs. Taylor. He was a man of great physique and died of old age.

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The Late Captain Buchanan. The funeral of Capt. Wallace Buchanan took place last Thursday from his home, Grand Place (N.S.). The services were conducted by Rev. David Wright, of Wolfville. The funeral cortege was large. Interment was in the old Presbyterian church burial ground at Grand Place, St. John. Captain Buchanan was a former member of the late G. E. Rouse, third daughter of the late G. E. Rouse, brother of St. John; his mother, six brothers and two sisters. His brothers are John, of Santiago (Cal.); David, James and Everett, of Boston and vicinity; Arthur and William, at home in Amherst. White, at Boston, and Mrs. Florence Hennessy, of Wolfville.

FELL HEAD IN STREET. Life of Robert Greenwood of Campbellton Ended Here on His Way Home from Vancouver. Reuben W. Greenwood, of Head Harbor, Wilton's Beach, Campbellton Island, dropped dead at a few minutes past noon Thursday from heart disease at the corner of St. James and Prince William streets. The deceased arrived from Vancouver, B. C., on the Montreal express a little before noon and started to walk to Leonard's wholesale fish establishment in Britain street, where Kenneth Cunningham, an old friend of the family, is employed. He was seen to walk down Prince William street and drop suddenly at McCormick's corner. Two bystanders rushed to his aid and endeavored to revive him. But their efforts were fruitless. A coroner's jury was summoned and pronounced it a case of heart disease. The body was then taken to Chamberlain's undertaking rooms, where it will be made ready for burial. The deceased was about twenty-eight years old, weighing approximately 155 lbs. He is 5 ft. 11 inches tall and was attired in a tweed suit and canvas shoes. His father's name was Charles Henry Greenwood, of Campbellton. The deceased and four other young men from Campbellton departed last November for Vancouver, where he remained until recently. It is not known whether he intended to visit his home or to remain there permanently. Mr. Outhouse, who belongs to Head Harbor, has known the deceased from his youth and said to a reporter that he was an exceptionally young man. On the deceased were \$7.05, several memo books, post cards and diminutive photos of himself and two friends. He carried a suitcase marked Reuben W. Greenwood, St. John, N. B. Several letters were found in his apartment at 1111 Prince William street. He also intended visiting Burpee Bites, an employe of the Canadian Fairbanks Company in this city.

Richard Hertz. Charlottetown, P. E. I., July 15.—Richard Hertz, generally known as "Dick Hertz," died this morning, aged 92. He was a prominent figure in the mercantile circles of Charlottetown for many years. He was a member of the Board of Trade and served as president of the Chamber of Commerce. He was also a member of the St. John's church and the St. Peter's church. He leaves a widow and several children. His funeral will be held on Monday at 11 o'clock at St. Peter's church.

FRUITS, ETC.

Table listing various fruits and their prices, including Apples, Peaches, Plums, and other produce.

GROCERIES

Table listing various grocery items and their prices, including Flour, Sugar, and other staples.

CANNED GOODS

Table listing various canned goods and their prices, including Beans, Tomatoes, and other preserved foods.

GRAIN, ETC.

Table listing various grain and other agricultural products and their prices.

MARRIAGES

LEDINGHAM-LAVERIE.—On Wednesday, July 15, 1908, at St. Andrew's church, Lewis, N.S., by Rev. J. L. Laverie, B.A., assisted by Rev. J. McFarlane, M.A., John Allan Ledingham, eldest son of Robert Ledingham, second daughter of Mr. James Laverie of Lunenburg, N.S.

DEATHS

COOKE.—Suddenly, at Fox's wharf, Lower Gasqueton, in the 21st year of his age, George Cooke, leaving his mother, two brothers and one sister to mourn.

On Saturday 12th inst. Robert M. L. Oliver, aged 15 years, only son of Katherine Oliver and the late A. C. Oliver. (Patience papers please copy.)

On Saturday 12th inst. Sarah, widow of Patrick Love, aged 72 years, died at her residence in the 1st East, St. John, N.B.

LOCAL NEWS

Miss Gussie White, of Winnipeg, is visiting Mrs. F. Red Powers, Princess street.

J. A. Harding Price, of Boston, son of George Price, Esq., of H.M. Customs, is on a visit to his parents in this city. His brother, George Price, Jr., of New York, is here also.

Miss Alice G. Jardine, who has for more than a year been with her brother, the French Jardine, manager of the east end branch of the Royal Bank of Canada in Vancouver (B. C.), is spending a few days with friends in the city before returning to her home in Rexton, Kent County.

The Westfold Outing Association's new tennis court at Lingley, on the grounds set aside by R. M. Magee for this purpose is about completed. James H. Doody has presided 825 to the association, and a similar gift was received from W. S. Fisher, and \$15 from Mrs. Arthur and the Misses Arthur, of Detroit.

Shipments through St. John to the United States during the quarter ended June 30, were \$633,318, a decrease of \$12,280.06, as compared with the corresponding period of 1907. For the year ended June 30, the figures were \$2,407,834.04, a decrease of \$347,492.97, as compared with the year ending June 30, 1907.

R. E. Finn, M.P.P., of Halifax, was appointed to represent the I. C. R. in the general election in the riding of St. John's, to be held in the fall of 1909. He is a member of the board of directors of the I. C. R. and is a general increase in their salaries granted. The third member of the board is yet to be named.

St. John Lodge, No. 29, K. of P., gave a social on Wednesday evening, July 15, at the home of Mrs. J. H. Mitchell. Representatives to Grand Lodge were Mr. W. McInnis and Joseph Irvine, Alternates.

Nervous, Sleepless and Weak

Not sick enough to lay up, but you are out of sorts, blood is weak, nerves unstrung, kidneys overworked, vitality low. You should take a course of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They will purify the blood, invigorate the paralyzed nerves, and increase your energy, vitality and power. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold by all druggists, or N. C. Folkes & Co., Kingston, Ont.

Hopewell Hill Notes.

Newell Hill, July 15.—Mrs. Allan Hopewell is spending a week with friends in Moncton.

Miss Martha E. Bay, who has been teaching at Point Wolfe, is spending the holidays at her home here.

SPECIAL HONOR FOR JUDGE HANINGTON

Word has been received here that it was with pleasure of Royalty that His Honor Judge Hanington so half an hour before the time appointed by the general invitation to the members of the "Fruit-a-tives" was honored with a special presentation to the king, queen and princess, by the Archbishop of Canterbury.

The Seamen's Mission Society appointed the kindness of H. M. McAlpine in remembering the Seamen's Institute by sending them a copy of the city directory.