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LOCAL PLAYERS IN ANOTHER SUCCESS

"Peg O' My Heart" Presented Last Friday. Enthusiastically Received By Large Audience.

Another theatrical success, which was well received by the audience, was the presentation of "Peg O' My Heart" at the Campbellton Theatre last Friday evening. The play, produced under the personal direction of Miss Katharine McNeil of Montreal, was an outstanding success and Miss McNeil is being warmly congratulated upon the result of her efforts.

The occasion was marked by a large and appreciative audience. The play was enthusiastically enjoyed by even the most fastidious critics and the splendid success of the play also proved that the local players are well equipped for the success of the entertainment.

As Mrs. Ferguson discharged her responsibilities in a most pleasing way, Mrs. Ferguson has made numerous appearances before the public here and it was the opinion of many that her work is improving with each performance. In the part of Montgomery Hawks, a solicitor of advancing age and dignified bearing, George Wallace was well cast. He was careful to maintain the proper spirit required by his part and although the chief difficulty of his role lay in his limitations he regarded these restrictions with good judgment.

Horace Jardine as the villain of the story, interpreted his part in a most satisfactory manner. As the unhappy husband seeking love outside his own home, he had opportunity for effective work and gave a life-like portrayal of the role. As Jarvis, Lindsay Sullivan was the eminently proper English butler and took his part in a way that completely satisfied the audience. As the maid, Geneva Rogers proved herself worthy of a more important part.

In the role of Jerry, a youthful knight, Harold Bury added to his former laurels. His part was a prominent one and he did full justice with a naturalness that added much to its interest.

The entire production was well handled and surpassed in its entertaining quality the average amateur theatrical effort. The scene during the electrical storm was particularly well done. Both lightning and thunder were remarkably realistic.

N. B. NURSES CONVENTION HERE

23 Delegates Present From Various Sections of the Province.

The annual convention of the New Brunswick Association of Registered Nurses was held in Campbellton this week. The convention opened at the Town Hall on Monday morning at 10 o'clock with the singing of the province's national hymn. His Worship Mayor McKee addressed the gathering and extended a hearty welcome to all.

The president's address, reports of the secretary, treasurer and registrar were heard during the morning session and after the appointment of committees for the public health and nursing education was given by Dr. H. Lunan. Following the report of the committee on registration and non-payment of dues the convention adjourned until Wednesday morning.

The first address at yesterday morning's session was "The Place of Mental Nursing in the Curriculum of the Nurses' School," and was given by Miss Anne K. McGillivray of St. John's Hospital, Fredericton, N. B.

A report of the International Congress of Nurses in Halifax was read in the afternoon and the minutes of officers followed.

The delegates were entertained at a banquet at the Town Hall on Friday evening. The banquet was given by the ladies of the St. John's Hospital, Fredericton, N. B.

The convention closed on Saturday morning with a social gathering at the Town Hall. The ladies of the St. John's Hospital, Fredericton, N. B., were the hosts for the occasion.

PREMIER KING PASSES THROUGH

Prime Minister Accompanied By Minister of Defence And Senator Beland On Maritime Tour.

Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister of Canada, and party passed through Campbellton on Tuesday morning's limited. Travelling with him for the speaking tour of the Maritime Provinces were Hon. E. M. MacDonald, Minister of National Defence and Hon. Dr. Beland, lately appointed to the Senate. As has been the custom of Liberal Premiers Mr. King declined to be interviewed, stating that what he had to say would be said from the public platforms in the three provinces. The Prime Minister appeared remarkably fresh and vigorous.

Those accompanying him started that Mr. King had spent a busy week in Ontario where he opened his campaign. One day in and around Toronto he made no fewer than three addresses. Every day of his tour in the east is filled up and it was said he does not intend to spare himself in his effort to explain Liberal policies to the electors of the east.

While the Prime Minister has only a limited amount of time at his disposal it was stated that he intends making a personal study of local conditions in the Maritime Provinces in so far as is possible. He has necessarily to spend a good many hours in preparation for his speeches because on his tour so far Mr. King has not repeated any set speech but has given detailed arguments on many phases of Government policy. Those aboard the Prime Minister's car said he had been working exceptionally hard since leaving Ottawa. At different stopping places numerous telegrams greeted him and Government business has been constantly transacted on the train.

The final in each class will be played at the Golf Club commencing Saturday of this week. The competitors are: "A" Division. A. H. Russell vs. E. B. MacLachly. "B" Division. L. H. Robinson vs. C. McLennan. Consolation. L. A. Gilbert vs. E. P. Mowat.

A Tophote Competition of eight-hundred yards men will also be held commencing Saturday. This should prove to be very interesting. The result of the match will depend entirely on skill but every member has an even chance to win it.

The work of the evening classes in Vocational Education will be resumed on Tuesday, Oct. 6th. Courses will again be offered in English and Arithmetic or General Education, Conversational French, Typewriting, Motor Mechanics, Millinery and Sewing, which is divided into three classes: Unit 1 or Plain Sewing. Unit 2 or Elementary Dressmaking. Unit 3 or Advanced Dressmaking. Further notice of registration will be given in next week's papers.

AUTO ACCIDENT LAST EVENING

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NORTH SHORE TEAM WILL COMPETE

Restigouche Riflemen To Compete On Saturday

On Saturday, Sept. 19th, a rifle match open to teams of five from any Rifle Association of the Province will be held on the Moncton Ranges for the Moncton Shield put up by the citizens of Moncton for annual competition. Moncton Association already has two wins to its credit. A third win and the Shield becomes the permanent property of that Association. A team has been entered from the North Shore Rifle Association. The following is the personnel of the team: Roy Campbell, A. H. English, Dr. Ellis, P. W. Hamilton, J. A. Jardine.

Another Gloucester Bridge Bathurst, N. B., Sept. 15.—The big Tracadie bridge collapsed yesterday about four o'clock when a local automobile truck belonging to A. and R. Loggie was passing over the bridge. Fortunately the driver of the car was not injured and the motor was not damaged.

This is but another illustration of the ex-Minister of Public Works' neglect in his own constituency, and a glaring case of a waste of public money paid out to desecrate and inefficient bridge officials.

It looks as if the new Minister of Public Works will find it necessary to remove to Gloucester County for a few weeks in order to fix up the roads and bridges.

WEDDINGS. Price—MacDougall. A quiet, but very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan MacDougall in Tide Head, Wednesday the 16th inst. at 9:30 a. m. when their youngest daughter, Leah being christened, became the bride, of Mr. Charles Maynard Price, eldest son of Lt. Colin MacKenzie Official scorer. Some high scores were made, particularly the work of Roy Campbell and A. H. English being worthy of special mention. The team prizes were taken by the teams captained by J. A. Jardine and N. C. McKay. Individual prizes were won by R. Campbell, A. H. English, W. W. McNair, P. W. Hamilton, A. Jamieson, Cadet, Mather and Cadet W. K. McNair. Scores above 50 follow.

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P. Ellis 84
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J. A. Jardine 80
L. Hamilton 80
K. E. Graham 75
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J. Duncan 69
R. B. Barnes 69
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A. Simonson 66
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During the evening Miss McNeil was presented with a basket of flowers by Miss Adelaide Goss of Montreal who was accompanied by Miss Johnston who presented the flowers to Miss McNeil by the members of the Entertainment Committee.

Another treat for local sport fans is scheduled for Friday Sept. 25th, when a boxing match will be staged at the Skating Rink here, under the auspices of the Campbellton Police Department. Ralph McNaughton, featherweight contender for the Canadian title will appear in the ring for the main bout and will have as his opponent Tommy Dixon, colored featherweight of Sydney. Dixon is a hard fighter whom the local promoters of this match have tried several times to get here for a bout. McNaughton who is here preparing for his coming big fight in Toronto is under strenuous training and will be in fine fettle for next week's event.

In addition to this bout which will be one of ten rounds there will be a semi-final match of equal length in which Joseph Villeneuve champion of Quebec will meet Kid Gardner of Three Rivers. Several promising preliminaries are also being arranged for and this event promises to be the biggest sport event of the season. Tickets are now on sale at Duricks and Moores Drug Stores and indications point to a record crowd.

Hon. Mr. Baxter's first public address as Premier of New Brunswick was delivered at the opening of the Fredericton Exhibition on Saturday and he certainly made a most favorable impression upon the large audience which had assembled to listen to him. His observations respecting the great importance of tourist travel to New Brunswick were timely and very much to the point. He made special mention of the St. John River as a great drawing card for tourists, and expressed the hope that the day would come when it would have summer hotels, which would attract many tourists from United States. Hon. Mr. Baxter is of the opinion that the work of encouraging tourist travel to the province should be important enough to warrant volunteer effort on the part of business men and others of the different communities. In this he is exactly right. Pioneer work in promoting tourist travel to New Brunswick was started on by members of the Fredericton Board of Trade nearly thirty years ago, and the first Tourist Association in the province had its birth in this city. For years this organization received a small grant from the Government and it was only by the way of the late government that it was able to continue its work.

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