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Strong Committees That Are in Charge at St. Andrew's Rink.

Strong committees that have been active in arranging the fair in St. Andrew's Rink for the Protestant orphans will begin to see the results of their labors tonight, for the official opening by Lieut. Governor Todd will take place at 8 o'clock. The St. Mary's Band will play from the head of King street to the rink. The committees are captioned as follows: James E. Arthurs, chairman. Wm. V. McKinley, secretary. Wm. W. Donohoe, treasurer. Wm. M. Campbell, chairman of building committee. John W. Fillmore, chairman of games committee. John M. McKay, chairman of advertising committee. Walter H. Golding, chairman of special committee. Arthur B. Harvey, chairman of ticket committee. H. C. Roley, chairman of soliciting committee. J. E. Arthurs, W. W. Donohoe and W. V. McKinley, purchasing committee. Isaac Mercer, chairman of refreshment committee. Frank A. Kennick, chairman of music committee. Loyalist and Nonconformist of the Pythian Sisters, in charge of Home Cooking. The city and Fairville lodges, L. O. B. A., in charge of the Country Store. Monday Evening Club, Mrs. T. A. Graham, convener, in charge of baby booth. Mrs. John Silliphant, convener of apron and fancy goods. Newfoundland Ladies' Auxiliary, ice cream and hot drinks. Mrs. L. Silliphant, convener of Fish Pond. D. Duffy, in charge of Booth No. 1. P. Gibbons, Booth No. 2. Wm. V. McKinley, Booth No. 3. Avar Duffy, Booth No. 4. Directors of Orphan House, in charge of Brickyard, Wm. M. Campbell, convener. Shooting Gallery, tea, pins, bagatelle, Bean Toss, Devil among the Tailors and other games are in charge of members of the games committee. On entering the rink a very attractively arranged booth first meets the eye. This represents a furnished room displaying a handsome three piece Chesterfield suite which is to be awarded to the holder of the lucky number of the series tickets.

POTATO STORY FROM FAIRVILLE

Samples of potatoes grown from potato peelings and taken from the garden of Arthur Appleby of Church avenue, Fairville, were brought to the Times office today. Potato peelings had been thrown out on the manure heap and when the fertilizer was used for the drills in which carrot seed was planted, the peelings also were embedded. It was noticed that potatoes as well as carrots sprang up in the soil. The carrots were used during the summer, and on Saturday Mr. Appleby thought he would see if there were any potatoes on the thirty long stalks, and to his surprise dug up large potatoes. He kept on digging until a 100 lb. bag was filled. Twelve of these potatoes weighed 12 1/2 lbs., equal to one peck, thus 48 would make a bushel. Mr. Appleby has a small garden 40 by 60 ft., which has yielded a plentiful supply of beans, peas, turnips, carrots, radishes, etc. One lb. of peas yielded one and a half bushels, which is considered good for this part of New Brunswick. He has been gardener to the late C. P. Baker for a number of years, and is a competent agriculturist, but at present is engaged at other employment.

UNDERGOES SERIOUS OPERATION

The many trials of Robert A. McLean, managing clerk for Hon. William Fugatey, will regret to learn that he is confined to a hospital in Malden, Mass., where he has undergone a serious operation. The operation was successful and he is progressing as well as can be expected.

THIS TELEPHONE LINES

The New Brunswick Telephone Company report that some slight trouble, which had been occasioned during the recent heavy storm near St. George's, has been located and repairs have been completed. The trouble on the Halifax line is now being attended to and it was not known here today just what progress is being made towards restoring the service.

NOW ABOVE \$1,800

The Red Cross Japanese relief fund here has grown to more than \$1,800. Contributions in addition to those before reported are—St. Mary's church, \$18; Charlotte street United Baptist, \$14.11; St. Rose's R. C. Milford, \$40; Private subscriptions, \$41; Church of the Assumption, \$31.45; Lower St. Mary's W. L. \$15; Queenstown W. L. \$12; Lower Kings W. L. \$8.60; Riverside and County Red Cross, \$73.75; McAdam Red Cross, \$60.90; Centreville Red Cross, \$25; St. Luke's Church \$96.22.

FOR BRIDE-TO-BE

In view of an approaching event, in which she will be one of the principals, friends of Miss Annie M. Daley gathered at the home of her aunt, Mrs. F. W. Daley, 77 High St., on Tuesday evening and tendered her a novel party. Tiny beads, white streamers and cut flowers helped make a pretty scene, while a miniature bride groom, mounted on a large head, held the satin ribbons which led to a gaily decorated basket containing the large number of gifts. Music and dancing were enjoyed and refreshments served, after which the gathering dispersed, wishing the bride-to-be much happiness.

MR. DOOLEY COMING TO ST. JOHN

Mr. Dooley, the famous Irish philosopher, whose unsurpassed wit and humor has endeared him to newspaper readers all over the country, is coming to St. John. His observations on various topics of interest will appear in The Montreal Standard commencing Saturday, Oct. 6th. If you want to have a good laugh read these pungent weekly articles by Peter Dunne.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Douglas H. McAllister, was held from his parents' residence, 408 Union street this afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. Hugh Miller and interment was in Fernhill. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful.

REMEMBER WHEN

The Temple Quartette of Boston was at the Academy of Music, St. John, on Wednesday, January 23, 1874.

The Germain Street Baptist Church was destroyed by fire early on Thursday morning, January 29, 1874. The church had been cleared of indebtedness only about one month previous. Rev. G. M. W. Carey was the pastor.

A company was being formed with St. John stockholders to build stamers for the coal trade on the opening of the Springhill Mines in January, 1874. SEND 'EM IN.

LOCAL NEWS

TO ST. MARTIN'S WOODS Mrs. and Miss Kirkpatrick, Miss Stella Kirkpatrick, and W. J. Poole, left for a hunting trip to St. Martin on Tuesday.

WATER RATES It was announced this morning at City Hall that the payment of water rates so far is about up to normal. As the last date for discount will be on next Wednesday, it is expected that there will be somewhat of a rush between now and then.

RALLY OPENS SEASON Members of the Women's Bible Class at St. Luke's church held a rally last evening to reorganize for the season. A large number of members thoroughly enjoyed the evening programme. Refreshments were served.

FAREWELL GIFT Friends and relatives of William Day gathered last evening at the home of Mrs. Ernest Stirling, 128 Victoria street, and presented to him a ring in view of his departure soon from the city. He has been here about a month visiting relatives, and will leave soon to return to Los Angeles.

TO HIS NEW CHARGE Rev. S. Oram left this morning for Riverside, Albert County, where he will succeed Rev. F. F. Walker as pastor. Father Walker coming to East St. John. Before leaving, Father Oram received from friends many gifts towards the furnishing of his house.

HANDBALL LEAGUE So much interest is being manifested in handball competition at the Y. M. C. that Ernest Stirling, the physical instructor, has decided to form a league. It is expected that a meeting with this view will be held in the near future, when teams will be chosen and a schedule of games arranged.

HELD FOR MONTREAL POLICE Albert E. Suter was arrested last night by the local police and is being held pending the arrival of an official from Montreal. There is said to be a warrant out for him on a charge of non-support. A message was received by Sergeant Detective Power last night asking that he be taken in custody.

FAIR AT MOOSEPATH The Moosepath Agricultural Society annual fair is being held today at Moosepath Park. The exhibits were on hand this morning and prizes were to be awarded this afternoon. From early indications it was expected that a large number of people would be in attendance.

NEW WATER MAIN Crews of men from the water and sewerage department started yesterday to lay pipe in the new water main extending from Barnhill's corner as far as Ludlow street, West St. John. The pipe is to be laid in a trench 20-inch from the West Side reservoir and 20-inch from there down Prince street to Ludlow.

LIVE WIRE ON STREET AT CITY ROAD AND WALL M. A. Pooler, manager of the New Brunswick Power Company, said this morning that one of their primary circuits, at the corner of City Road and Wall street, was out of order. He was in contact with one of the hydro poles and burning off. The wire, he said, dropped to the ground, but fortunately no one came in contact with it. He said repairs had been completed today.

THIS DOLLAR BILL OF MUCH INTEREST Jewett and Pitcher Note of 1873 with St. John Signatures.

An interesting relic of bygone days has come to the attention of The Times. Philip R. Richford has in his possession a bank note for one dollar, issued by Jewett & Pitcher, bankers, Boston, and dated "St. John, N. B., Dec. 1, 1873." It is signed by H. J. Olive and C. S. Jewett.

George S. Cushing, when asked about this, said that the firm of Jewett & Pitcher was a very large one, with extensive lumbering interests extending through New Brunswick, Boston and the West. He thought it probable that the firm was permitted to issue bank notes by virtue of the extent of its business, probably carrying on a private banking business. H. J. Olive, mentioned, was a clerk in the St. John office, and C. S. Jewett was a new member of the firm. He also was a clerk in the St. John office. The document is very interesting from an historical point of view, recalling to many older residents of the city names familiar years ago.

As Hiram Sees It "I'm fer church union," said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam to The Times reporter. "Get out of my sight," said the reporter. "Blah!" said Hiram. "You are a son of Belial," said the reporter. "I smell sulphur," said Hiram. "They that run after false gods shall perish," said the reporter. "I had the edification to say in polite words what I'm thinkin' about now," said Hiram. "I'd want about two hours—an time to get my second wind—an then two hours more." "You are a blithering idiot," said the reporter. "You're a pestiferous galeot," said Hiram. "Let's hev a prayer meetin'." "With all my heart," said the reporter—"but church union is a snare of the devil." "It's no sich thing," said Hiram. "An' I want to say right now they's some folks the devil wouldn't think with snarin'. Now shet up an' go on with the prayer meetin'."

E. A. SCHOFIELD TO HALIFAX MEETING

Away Today to Discuss Colonization Plan for Maritime Provinces.

E. A. Schofield left today for Halifax to attend a conference on colonization for the Maritime Provinces. Following an announcement made by W. D. Robb, Vice-President of the C. N. R. on Transportation Day at the Canadian National Exhibition, regarding the colonization campaign proposed for the Maritime Provinces, the conference was called at Halifax for Friday, October 5. It will be attended by representatives of the Dominion and Provincial Governments, the railways and prominent citizens of the Maritime Provinces. Among those to attend will be W. D. Robb, Vice-President, C. N. R.; W. J. Black, former Deputy Minister, Department of Immigration and Colonization; Colonel J. S. Dennis, Chief Commissioner, C. P. R.; E. A. Schofield, St. John, N. B.; Angus McLean, Bathurst, N. B.; R. K. Smith, Mayor of Amherst, N. S.; E. F. Higgs and A. A. Pomeroy, Charlottetown, P. E. I., and C. Price-Green, Commissioner, Department of Colonization and Development, Canadian National Railway.

A Montreal despatch says that the C. N. R. has under way a survey of the Maritime Provinces and completion of lands and farms, with an eye also to industrial opportunities.

Mr. Schofield said to the Times-Star that he had been appointed by the Maritime Board of Trade, while he was in New York, as a member of a committee to consider colonization, and had on his return consented to sit in at the preliminary meeting. He had no idea as yet regarding what was to be proposed and before endorsing any scheme would want to be assured that he would not be bringing in people to lose them again in a few years. He had very definite ideas of his own regarding some things and might be able to do a good prospect of success, but did not care to discuss the matter at length until the preliminary conference had been held.

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