

IN AND ABOUT THE CITY.

The Weather.

TORONTO, May 5.—Fresh easterly winds, cloudy in western portion and showery in eastern; Wednesday, easterly winds, unsettled.

Dance To-night.

Mr. Wm. Thorburn will hold another of his popular dances at Masonic Hall this evening.—a.

Result of Mangan Inquest.

The inquest into the death of John Mangan, whose death followed a row on election day at Musquash, was concluded yesterday afternoon. Peter Devine and Mangan were fighting when both went over an embankment. Mangan's neck was broken. The jury found that there had been an assault by Devine and that both rolled over the bank.

Dandy Dick.

The well known Neptune Rowing Club of St. John will produce Arthur W. Finero's laughable comedy, Dandy Dick, on Friday evening and Saturday afternoon. Fredericton people will miss a treat if they fail to see this production. Mr. and Miss Fowler, who are well known in Fredericton, are among the cast. This show made a big hit in St. John.

Funeral To-day.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Parent took place from the residence of Mr. Walter Sentiner on York street, this morning and was largely attended. Services were conducted by Rev. Dr. McLeod, when the remains were taken to the C. P. R. depot for conveyance to Temperance Vale, where they were interred this afternoon. Undertaker Geo. W. Adams had charge of arrangements.

Prompt Work.

Mr. Frank I. Morrison, representative of the Atlas Insurance Company, to-day received from Montreal a check for \$600 in favor of Mr. Elias E. Peterson, of Maryville, that being the amount of insurance held by Mr. Peterson on his buildings destroyed by fire last week. Considering that the fire only occurred on Thursday night last this is remarkably prompt work on the part of the Insurance Company.

A Critic's Opinion.

Mr. A. E. Massie, in speaking of the Bostonian Sextette, which is coming here in June, said he had heard them on eight different occasions and was always delighted with their performance. The variety and freshness of the programme will appeal to you. Have you ever heard a vocal solo with orchestral accompaniment and clarinet obligato? If not a treat is in store for you. Miss Somerville is charming.

Devil's Auction.

Fredericton has seen the Devil's Auction before but not on such a grand scale as was shown here last night. New costumes, new scenery, new songs and new dances made the whole performance most pleasing. The Japanese gymnasts and pole stars, Dawitt and Burns, gave a fine acrobatic specialty, while the dancing of the Misses DeLisle and Miss Kitty Hoxley was exceedingly good.

Side Track.

The story of Side Tracked, the attraction billed to appear at the opera house on Friday, May 15th, is intensely amusing as well as interesting, and the special scenic equipment is all that is necessary for the production of a railroad company. The principal character, a tramp, from the moment of his entrance from a passing freight car, is involved in a series of quick moving events that has no let up until he succeeds in fastening a mysterious crime upon the guilty one.

Important Communication.

The Board of Trade is in receipt of a communication from S. D. Chown, general secretary of Methodist Church Department of Temperance and Moral Reform suggesting that the Board of Trade take some action in the way of passing a resolution to have the Government take some steps to alleviate the present state of political corruption in Canada. They suggest that the English practice which has proved very effective in the old country be put into force here which provides for a commission of investigation with its expenses paid by Government. This commission is invested with all authority of the Crown to summon and examine witnesses. The matter will be considered at a meeting of the Board.

EQUITY COURT.

Cases Which Come Up Before May Sitting Now in Session.

Judge Barker is holding the May sitting of the York Equity Court to-day. A hearing is being had in the suit of Wm. E. True vs. Howard E. Burt, in which plaintiff is asking for a decree to compel defendant to discharge a mortgage given by plaintiff to defendant in 1892 for one thousand dollars, alleging that same has been fully paid. Defendant denies payment, notwithstanding that plaintiff produces receipts and cheques bearing his signature. J. R. Murphy, C. C. and F. B. Carvell for plaintiff; A. B. Connell, K. C. for defendant.

In the case of John B. Hawthorne vs. Alex. A. Sterling, B. W. McLellan this morning moved that a day be fixed for hearing. Judge Barker said he would deal with the application before the adjournment of sitting. This is a suit brought by Mr. Hawthorne, deputy sheriff of York, against his principal, Sheriff Sterling, for an account of fees collected by defendant as Sheriff, of which plaintiff claims he is entitled to one-half under the agreement entered into some eighteen or nineteen years ago when he became deputy sheriff. Dr. Fugleby appears for the defendant and Hon. L. J. Tweedie and Mr. R. W. McLellan for plaintiff.

Optimists get more fun in hoping than pessimists do in having.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of Fredericton Tennis Club—Affairs in Prosperous Condition.

A meeting of the Fredericton Tennis Club was held last evening at the office of J. A. Winslow. Among those present were T. Carleton Allen, R. P. Foster, C. J. Bodkin, W. H. Norton-Taylor, K. R. Chestnut, H. R. Babbitt, F. Wayland Porter, D. B. Winslow, W. H. Norton-Taylor, Misses M. Winslow, G. Winslow, E. Hatt, Helen Babbitt. The following business was transacted. The limit of membership was cancelled. The initiation fee for bank clerks was abolished. Boys and girls under 17 will only be admitted as partial members to play in the mornings. The Treasurer's report showed the Club to be in a good financial condition.

Officers elected for year: President, E. Byron Winslow. Vice-President, T. Carleton Allen. Secretary-Treasurer, C. M. Manning. Executive Committee—H. R. Babbitt, W. H. Norton-Taylor, R. W. Porter, J. A. Winslow, H. C. Chestnut, C. A. Allen.

Ladies' Tea Committee—Mrs. R. P. Foster, Mrs. W. C. Crockett, Mrs. Manning, Mrs. R. F. Randolph, Misses Jean Neill, Caroline Winslow, Sadie Thompson, Fannie Palmer.

Tournament Committee—Misses M. Winslow, A. Tabor, E. Hatt, Messrs. O. H. Sharpe, W. I. Hogg and Norton Taylor. The following were elected members: Chas. E. Babbitt, W. B. McLellan, R. N. Winslow, R. H. Winslow, Atherton Coburn, Harry Chestnut, R. B. Hanson, W. I. Hogg, Park Rowley, J. M. Hopgood, E. Quirk, O. H. Sharpe, Dr. Riley, H. V. Bridges, Dr. McGrath, H. R. Powell, Mr. Powell, Miss Annie Plimley, Miss M. Tibbitt, Miss Olive Wallace, Miss Lenore Allen, Mrs. T. C. Allen, Mrs. West, Miss Hazen Allen, Mrs. C. M. Manning, Miss Sadie Wiley, Miss N. Whitehead, Miss A. Neill, Miss Powell, Miss Q. Edgecombe, Miss D. Edgecombe, Miss H. Edgecombe, Miss J. Randolph, Mrs. O. H. Sharpe, Miss Florence, Miss Louise Murray, Mrs. H. V. Bridges, Mrs. A. H. Clark, Miss Helen Sterling, Miss Mabel Sterling, Miss Anna Vanwart, Mrs. George Clark.

CALL FOR MEN

To Relieve Militia Engaged in Montreal Strike.

Hon. Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia, has ordered a detachment of 50 men from the Military School at St. Johns, (Que.), to proceed to Montreal and relieve the militia which has now been on duty for eight days in connection with the longshoremen's strike. Sir Frederick was also considering the possibility of calling on some of the prominent corps at this city and other places to go to Montreal. He considers this a better plan to pursue than taking local corps to cities, because their presence might be necessary at any time in connection with other troubles that might arise. Lieut. Col. Wadmore, in command of No. 4 Company, R. C. R., last evening received a telegram from the military headquarters advising him to hold himself in readiness for a call. Another telegram was received later stating that the services of the men under his command would not be needed.

CITY COUNCIL

Met in Committee Last Evening—Little Business Transacted.

The general committee of the City Council met at the Council Room last evening. His Worship the Mayor being absent as was also Ald. Stockford. The business was chiefly the examination of the monthly accounts, which were passed. The Light Committee recommended that a light be put on the corner of Shore street and Sunbury. The regular monthly meeting of the Council will be held this evening when among other things the report of the Assessment Appeals Committee will be presented.

PLEASANT FUNCTION.

At Y. M. C. A. Rooms Last Evening—Social by Ladies.

The Y. M. C. A. social tendered by the Ladies Auxiliary in the Y. M. C. A. rooms last evening was a most successful and happy function and proved very enjoyable to the large number of guests present. The large reception room was prettily trimmed for the occasion. A charming musical programme was carried out consisting of solos by Miss Fannie Palmer and Mr. E. L. Cooper which were rendered in a faultless manner and much appreciated by all. Selections by the Y. M. C. A. orchestra also added much to the pleasure of the evening. An address by the president, Mr. W. J. Osborne, showed that good results had been accomplished during the season by the Association and they were confidently looking forward to a better one next season. Mr. Osborne's address was very well received. Light refreshments in the way of coffee, cake and ice cream were then served by a charming bevy of young ladies and all partook of the good things provided. Among the ladies who assisted in making last night's function a success were: Mrs. J. R. Howie, Mrs. Fred Coy, Mrs. John Kilburn, Mrs. John Palmer, Misses Sterling, Neill, Cooper, Wilson, McNally, Palmer, McFarlane and others.

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FINAL EXAMS

At University Begin on May 16th—Order as Posted.

To final examinations at the University will begin on Saturday, May 16th. The following is the order that has been posted:—

SATURDAY, MAY 16TH.

4th Year—Geology, 9 12.
3rd Year—Econ. and Physiology, 9-1.
2nd Year—Mathematics, 9-12.
1st Year—Mathematics, 9-12.

MONDAY, MAY 18TH.

4th year—Latin, 9 12.
3rd year—Latin, 9 12.
2nd year—Latin, 9 12.
1st year—Latin, 9 12.

TUESDAY, MAY 19TH.

4th year—Economics, 9 12.
3rd year—Zoology, 9 12.
2nd year—Anatomy, 9 12.
1st year—Botany, 9 12.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20TH.

3rd Year—Chemistry, 9-12.
2nd Year—English, 9 12.
1st Year—English, 9 12.

THURSDAY, MAY 21ST.

4th Year—Greek, 9 12.
3rd Year—Greek, French, 9-12.
2nd Year—Greek, French, German, 9-12.
1st Year—Greek, French, German, 9-12.

FRIDAY, MAY 22ND.

3rd Year—Physics, 9-12.

SATURDAY, MAY 23RD.

4th Year—Physics, 9-12.
2nd Year—Physics, 9-12.

TUESDAY, MAY 26TH.

4th Year—English, 9 12.
3rd Year—English, 9-12.
Economics will be held on Thursday, May 28th.

ACCIDENT ON TOBIQUE

Young Man Had Leg Crushed in Log Jam on that River.

Mr. Herbert Leslie, arrived in the city last evening on the Gibson Branch train with his right leg badly smashed as a result of an accident on Tobique a few days ago. Mr. Leslie was working on the lumber drive on Tobique for Donald Fraser & Sons and had the misfortune to be caught in a log jam a few days ago. He narrowly escaped with his life and when rescued was found to have had his right leg badly crushed. He was immediately put on a stretcher and brought to this city via C. P. Railway. He was removed to his boarding house at Mrs. Smith's on Brunswick street. Dr. J. W. Bridges was summoned and set the broken bone. The sufferer was resting easier to-day.

PERSONAL.

M. C. Holden Allen is confined to his home through illness. E. Lantana, M. P. P., returned to the city last evening. W. P. Jones, M. P. P., returned to the city last evening from Woodstock. J. R. Murphy of Woodstock, is in the city, a guest at the Queen. George E. Tracey of Richmond Corner is in town today. Recorder Skinner of St. John is in the city. C. T. Likely and F. H. Tingley of Montreal are registered at the Queen. F. B. Murphy of Woodstock is in the city, a guest at the Queen. Daniel Jordan, K. C., of Sackville, arrived in the city last evening, and is a guest at the Queen. J. S. Hales of Bangor, and Alex. Ford of Sackville, are registered at the Queen.

Robert J. Ritchie of St. John is in the city today. A. B. Connell of Woodstock, and Thomas Estabrooks of Sackville, are among the guests at the Queen. Jos. G. Stevens of St. Stephen is in the city today.

J. A. Hart, M. P. P., and W. C. H. Grimmer, M. P. P., of St. Stephen, returned to the city last evening. Fred E. Birker and J. W. Rodgers of St. John are registered at the Barker.

M. Mackey of St. John is a guest at the Barker. Ald. Copp of Sackville is in the city, a guest at the Queen.

Mr. Justice Barker is in the city today, a guest at the Barker. 2nd Lieut. H. E. D. Golding and H. I. Fairweather of the 74th Regt., of Sussex, have entered the military school for a short course of instruction.

Miss Madge Kelley has resumed her duties as stenographer in the office of Mr. J. W. McCreedy.

H. A. Powell, K. C., of Sackville is in the city today, a guest at the Barker.

T. A. Peters, Deputy Commissioner of Agriculture, left yesterday for Gagetown to conduct the closing meetings in the series of orchard meetings throughout the province. Hon. Premier Tweedie leaves this evening for Hampton to attend the funeral of his late cousin, Mr. R. LeB. Tweedie.

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