

LOCAL ADVERTISING.

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AROUND THE CITY

Sailors' Concert.

A concert will be given in the Seaman's Institute tonight at eight o'clock. Grand programme by the crew of the Allan Line Tunisian.

Congratulations.

A wire received in the city yesterday contained the information that triplets, all boys, had been born to Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Pickett, of Moose Jaw. Mr. Pickett studied law in this city with Judge Armstrong and is well known here. His wife is an English lady whom he met in the west about seven years ago.

New Life Saver.

J. Thompson of the Marine and Fisheries Department at Ottawa, arrived in the city yesterday and registered at the Royal. Mr. Thompson will go to Grand Manan where he inspected a boat which will be utilized by the life saving crew until a new boat is built. The plans for a new boat, to be built on larger proportions than the one destroyed, are being prepared and when completed the boat will be added to the fleet.

Cattle Unhurt.

About noon yesterday a car loaded with cattle left the rails near the C. P. R. offices at Sand Point, and the top part of the car left the trucks and toppled over on the side of the track with the cattle piled on each other inside. The C. P. R. workmen were quickly on the job and cut a large hole in the top of the car liberating the animals. Only one of the animals was slightly injured and all the others were in good condition, and were driven to the stock yards to await shipment to London. The car was badly damaged.

Raising the Tug Lily.

The work of raising the tug Lily went forward very slowly yesterday, practically nothing was done as great difficulty is being experienced by the diver in getting the slings under the boat. At one time it was thought that the large houlder on which the keel is resting could be removed and the slings passed through the opening. This was however, found to be impossible. Today an attempt will be made to dig a trench under the quarter and have the slings fitted in this way. The report that the steamer Elaine had been broken into and several pieces of brass and other fittings stolen, was declared last evening to be untrue.

Lecture on Yellowstone Park.

Rev. E. B. Hooper, rector of St. Paul's church read the third lecture of the Bickmore course in the Natural History Society rooms last evening. Rev. Mr. Hooper had for his subject the Yellowstone Park. The lecture was illustrated by over 70 colored views of the potholes, geysers, calcareous deposits and the Yellowstone gorge. Pictures were also shown of the buffalo, wapiti deer and other animals that inhabit the park. After the lecture a hearty vote of thanks was moved by Rev. Dr. Hutchinson and seconded by Dr. Addy. This lecture will be repeated on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock for the benefit of the school children.

COURT MARTELLO INSTALLS OFFICERS

Court Martello, No. 1747 held their installation of officers last evening at Bond's restaurant, King street. M. E. Grass, H. Y. C. R., assisted by E. J. Todd and the Royal Foresters, installed them as follows: E. N. Davis—C. R. H. A. Leonard—V. C. R. K. J. MacRae—Secy. C. A. Clarke—Fla. Secy. J. S. Flaglor—Treasurer. J. R. Armstrong—Orator. C. E. MacMichael—S. W. W. L. Bang—J. W. G. H. Richardson—S. B. J. Bond—J. B. Dr. G. A. B. Addy and Dr. Wm. S. Morrison—Physicians. H. A. Leonard and R. Strain—Trustees. E. N. Davis and H. A. Leonard—Central committee. After the installation those present enjoyed refreshments and addresses were given by M. E. Grass, K. J. MacRae, J. S. Flaglor, T. H. Belyea and H. J. Todd. The report of the finance and audit committee shows the court in a flourishing condition financially.

H. B. ROBINSON WINS BRIDGE TOURNAMENT

The bridge whist tournament in the R. K. Y. C. rooms for the club members finished last night, the highest scores made at last night's playing being as follows: H. W. Stubbs, 1304; A. J. Tufts, 1104; A. J. Porter, 1096; K. L. Golding, 1024; Dr. Manning, 7016; C. S. Hannington, 570. Last night's play finished the tournament and H. B. Robinson was the winner with a grand total of 5570. The prize awarded to him was a gentleman's travelling case, C. S. Hannington was second with a score of 5526, his prize being a brier pipe and tobacco pouch. Dr. Manning was third with a score of 5470; H. A. Porter, 2456; H. W. Stubbs, 2426, and E. P. Howard, 2340. John Prosdham won the consolation prize which was a copy of Dunn on how to play bridge also a pack of cards.

TAKE STEPS TO WIPE OUT DEFICIT IN MISSION FUND

Laymen of Church of England Inaugurate Campaign to Raise \$5,000—Need of More Money for Home Churches Described—Reduction of Contribution to Western Mission Suggested.

Bishop Richardson addressed a meeting of the laymen of the Church of England in the Trinity church school room last evening on the need of greater effort to enlarge the diocesan fund, and after a long discussion the laymen present appointed a committee to solicit subscriptions to wipe out the deficit of \$5,000. It was said that in view of the boom now in progress in the province, it was time to start a boom in the church. Ven. Archdeacon Raymond presided at the meeting and there was a large attendance of representative churchmen from all the local parishes. In the course of his address the bishop gave an account of the state of the mission funds, pointing out that there was an accrued deficit of about \$5,000, and that if the stipends of the clergy in charge of the mission parishes throughout the province were increased in accordance with the schedule formulated some time ago by the synod a further deficit of \$2,000 would be added to the diocesan fund this year. He said the congregations of the Church of England in the deanery of St. John constituted by far the largest percentage of the members in the diocese and that as the wealthy men of the church were located here, he felt justified in calling upon them to take measures to remove the disabilities under which the diocese was now laboring. A spirit of optimism seemed to prevail, men were making money, and could afford to give more than they did. In other cities the wealthy men gave more in proportion to the church than they did here. Some men were not in favor of giving to foreign missions, but two-thirds of the money raised for missions went to assist the parishes throughout the province. After the bishop's address the chairman threw the meeting open for discussion; W. S. Fisher suggested that subscriptions be solicited to wipe out the deficit, payment of subscriptions to be conditional upon a sufficient amount being subscribed to meet the need. He said he was willing to subscribe \$100. H. B. Schofield said the church in the east might reduce its contributions to missions in the Canadian west in order to have more money for its needs at home. He said the western people were making money faster than the men in the east, and were able to pay for missions. He was very optimistic about the future of New Brunswick, but as yet our people were not making money as fast as they might. Col. Sturdee observed that it would be good business for the men of St. John to assist the church in the rural districts of the province. Many settlers were beginning to come out from England, most of whom were, no doubt, Anglicans, and ability to attend a church would be an important factor in making them satisfied with conditions here, and keeping them and their families in the province. Ven. Archdeacon Raymond stated that the synod had decided to employ a man to go about the province stirring up the people to the need of giving more money for mission purposes as soon as the right man could be found. L. P. D. Tilley suggested that a committee be appointed to solicit subscriptions of the business men of St. John, and to consider means of increasing the annual contribution for mission work. Rev. H. A. Cody said the duplex envelope system was valuable as a means of educating the people into the habit of regular giving. Since introduced in St. James' the contributions for missions had been about doubled, while there had been no decrease in the contributions for other purposes. After some further discussion in which Dr. T. Walker, W. M. Jarvis, J. K. Schofield, Rev. F. G. Scovill and others took part, a committee was appointed in accordance with Mr. Tilley's suggestion. It consisted of the following:—W. A. Steiner, Stanley Olive, R. D. Patterson, H. H. Dickson, E. T. Sturdee, F. B. Schofield, J. K. Scammel and L. P. D. Tilley. A committee was also appointed to meet next Tuesday evening at Trinity to apportion the amounts asked for by the mission board upon the parishes of the deanery of St. John.

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GARLETON PEOPLE STILL INDIGNANT

Will Ask Mayor Frink to Preside at Meeting Called to Protest Increase in Ferry Tolls.

Rev. D. H. Sampson, chairman of the West Side citizens' committee stated last evening that a mass meeting of the citizens would be called to take place in the Garleton city hall on Thursday evening, to protest against the action of the city council in attempting to raise the ferry fares, if the mayor could be got to act as chairman on that evening. He added that he intended to see his worshipful today and ask him to preside at the indignation meeting.

ST. JOSEPH'S ORCHESTRA HEARD IN FINE CONCERT

St. Malachi's Hall Crowded at Most Enjoyable Entertainment Last Evening—Orchestral Numbers Proved Feature

St. Malachi's hall was crowded last evening when the orchestra of the Y. M. S. of St. Joseph gave an enjoyable recital. The inclement weather conditions proved no deterrent and the entertainment was a success in every respect. The programme carried out as already announced, contained many excellent numbers, rendered by local talent and hearty applause was accorded to the performers. The St. Joseph's orchestra proved one of the agreeable surprises of the evening. Augmented in numbers, and carefully drilled by M. E. Kelly, the director, they gave a most pleasing account of themselves. During the evening several selections were rendered by the orchestra in finished style, and many pleasing comments were heard on the technique and general performance of the organization. Three of their numbers were the composition of the director, Mr. Kelly. Among the other items on the programme was a solo by Miss Jule Lawlor whose rendition of Ave Maria (Mascagni) constituted one of the most enjoyable features of the entertainment. Miss Harney sang Tosti's Good Bye, to splendid effect and was called upon to respond to a hearty ovation. Leonard McGuire in a violin solo and I. A. Conlon in a reading also added greatly to the pleasure of the evening.

PERSONAL

Peter Clinch returned to the city last evening. Col. McL. Vioce was a passenger to the city on the Boston train last night. A. R. Gould, who has the contract for the construction of the Valley Railway, arrived in the city last evening in Wm. Downie's private car, "Rosemeade," which was attached to the Boston train. Challenge Accepted. Hilton Belyea of the West End wishes The Standard to state that he accepts H. J. Thorne's challenge for the series of three races as published yesterday morning. The first race will be held tomorrow night and should prove a very interesting event.

SUDDEN DEATH OF WILLIAM PATTERSON

Well Known Old Resident was Stricken in Fire Station Yesterday Afternoon and Died Before He'd Came.

Yesterday afternoon at 2:35 o'clock William Patterson died suddenly in No. 3 Fire Station, Union street. He was a frequent visitor to the fire station and had just finished reading aloud an article from a morning paper regarding Rev. Clarence V. Richeson's death warrant being issued. Placing the paper aside he said he thought he would have a smoke. He took his tobacco and knife from his pocket and then stood up to take a drink of water when Driver Wm. White, who was with him at the time, saw Mr. Patterson stagger, and caught him before he fell to the floor. The driver called to the other men in the station and Dr. Addy was summoned but Mr. Patterson was dead in a few minutes after collapsing. Coroner D. E. Berryman was summoned and gave permission for the removal of the remains which were taken to the residence of W. J. Fraser, 227 King street east. The funeral will take place Friday afternoon at three o'clock from W. J. Fraser's residence. The deceased leaves one son, Wm. Patterson, jr., of Toronto, and one daughter, Mrs. J. L. Sutherland of Yorkers, N. Y. The deceased, who was 73 years of age, came here from Glasgow in 1856. He was a portmanteau maker by trade but as there was no such trade here he became an employee of the water and sewerage department as a laborer. He later became foreman of sewerage and later when his health broke down somewhat he was given the position of storekeeper. By his thrift he managed to save money and purchased a few properties and was able to retire about five or six years ago. He was twice married, his first wife being Miss Johnston of Torryburn, and his second wife, Miss Ross, of this city. The latter died about ten years ago.

Many people are wisely taking advantage of this after-stocking sale at F. A. Dykeman & Co.'s to lay in their supply of dry goods for some time to come. Everything in the store being reduced it means that one is not confined to lines that they possibly do not want if they wish to save money, but no matter what the dry goods want is, the savings can be made. Infants' and children's coats and dresses are greatly reduced for this sale and mothers will save much time in buying the garments ready made rather than buying the materials. In this sale are also a huge lot of Swiss embroideries of 1912 patterns that have just recently been opened at prices from 3 cents up.

Notice of Meeting. A special meeting of The Maritime Commercial Travellers' Association will be held in the Board of Trade rooms on Saturday evening, Jan. 27, at 8 o'clock, to discuss the advisability of holding an annual function in this city. St. John Ambulance Association. The annual meeting of the St. John Ambulance Association will be held at the office of W. H. Harrison, Royal Bank Building, King street, this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Bundled Kindling. The nicest kindling sold in the city, Wilson Box Co., Ltd., Phone West 99. Utilities Commission Meeting. The Public Utilities Commission will meet here today. The commission will transact routine business.