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WARM WEATHER and plenty of it now!

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Sweater in Hot Clothing; keep Comfortable in the Cool, Light Underwear, the Soft Shirts, the cool Hats, and all the other hot weather necessities to be found in our Store.

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The CIRCUS COMING, SATURDAY!

Are you going? If so, you can't do better than visit the North Shore's big Clothing and Furnishing Store. You will find everything new, neat, and up-to-date. Our Stock of Clothing cannot be nearly as large as it was a few weeks ago, as nearly every man whom you meet, young and old, has visited the Men's Store and fitted himself out with a nice suit, and other furnishings necessary for men. When you come to town, Saturday, call, make this Store your headquarters; leave your overcoat, umbrella, and parcels with us. We will take care of them for you, while you visit the Circus.

TO
Railwaymen . . .
Especially.

We have received from Detroit, Mich., a shipment of the famous Carhart Overall and Jumper for Men. Price \$3.00 per Suit.

L. B. McMurdo, The People's Tailor.

FOUR PERSONS BURNED TO DEATH.

Four Others Badly Injured.—
Steamer Crystal Stream
Total Loss.

BURNED AT COLE'S ISLAND.

Heart-Rending Disaster On St. John River Thursday Night.

Four men burned to death and four other persons badly hurt is the record of a disaster at Cole's Island Thursday night, when the steamer, "Crystal Stream" an old New York side-wheeler, brought to St. John five years ago to run on the St. John river and Washademoak Lake. She was this year in command of Capt. Fred. Mabce. Mr. D. J. Purdy, M. P. P. of St. John, is the principal owner.

The steamer, which makes two trips a week, was on Thursday night lying at the west wharf at Coles Island, sixty miles from St. John, on her down trip to that city. Hay is now \$24 a ton, and as up river farmers are selling all they can spare, the steamer was heavily loaded with this very inflammable stuff.

At one o'clock fire was discovered on the upper deck. It had evidently caught in the hay from a spark in the smoke stack. With frightful rapidity it spread through the light freight, and before the members of the crew could be awakened the whole steamer was in flames.

Most of the men were sleeping in the lower deck below the freight, and were hemmed in by the fire like rats in a trap. As soon as those on the upper decks were aroused, they endeavored, but without any success, to extinguish the flames, turning their attention also to those of their comrades who were below decks. The steamer was cut away from the wharf and shoved off, but she drifted in towards the shore, and burned the big new bridge at Cole's Island.

Strenuous efforts were put forth to rescue the men who were below and it was not until the rescuers were unable to approach even the side of the steamer that the task was given up. Below the decks were William Logan of Clarke's Landing, King's Co., and Allan Logan, two brothers, the latter belonging to Land's End. The former was a fireman, the latter a deck-hand; Fred. Smith, of Shannon, Queen's County, and a fourth man named Edward Baxter of Westfield Beach, both deckhands. These four were burned to death, and in the morning their charred bodies were found in the ruins.

Engineer Wentworth Roberts and the stewardess, Mrs. Chase, both belonging to St. John; Herbert McAlary, the mate, and H. P. Belyea, the purser, are badly burned. Capt. Mabce and the cook, Mrs. Coleman of St. John, were unhurt. Mrs. M. McCutcheon of St. John, waitress, had left the boat a short time before the fire.

SHOT HIMSELF

WHILE DERANGED
On Thursday at his home in Fredericton, John Boyle, Jr., of the firm of John Boyle & Sons, Butchers, shot himself, while temporarily deranged from the effects of accidentally receiving a blow on the head a short time ago. Deceased was in his forty-seventh year and unmarried.

HAMMOCKS.

When preparing for your summer's vacation don't forget to provide yourself with a hammock. We can give you just the kind you want. Our prices range from \$1.00 to \$3.50. This makes a good line at right prices.

Follansbee & Co's
Public Square, Newcastle

CLOSING EXERCISES AT ST. MARY'S.

Public Recital Given at the Convent Last Friday Evening.

PRIZES AWARDED.

Excellent Program Provided—Miss McCombs' Essay—List of Promotions.

The closing exercises of St. Mary's Academy were held in the Convent Assembly room on Friday evening last. The principal part of the program was a musical recital, but several good recitations were interspersed; and a very interesting feature was the distribution of the prizes to various members of each grade.

The children showed a very creditable degree of proficiency in music and elocution, delighting the audience, and bearing eloquent testimony to the care with which the sisters have trained their young charges.

A prominent feature of the exercises was the everywhere present evidence of the pupils' politeness; respect and deference to superiors, elders and guests; and reverence for sacred things, unfortunately so often lacking in many schools.

The class essay by Miss McCombs was a well-written paper emphasizing the importance of an all-round training of the nature—physical, mental and spiritual. It deprecated the attempt to develop the mental side of woman's nature so far as to risk undermining the health, and warned against the turning of women away from domestic pursuits to follow the will of the wisp of intellectual fame. A strong plea was made for the teaching of religion. Father Dixon made an earnest address at the close, giving sound advice to the whole school and especially to those about to sever their connection with the institution.

The program, the order of which was somewhat varied but no part omitted, was as follows:—

1. DUET—"DANCE DES BACCANTES"
Gowned Misses F. Coulombe, M. Murray, E. Brunceau, M. Sullivan, M. McIntyre, A. Morris, M. Riordan, C. Perron.
2. WELCOME CHORUS
Stripped Instrument Accompaniment
VIOLINS—Misses C. Kingston, H. Lawlor.
GUITAR—Miss A. Quilan. MANDOLIN—Miss M. Riordan.
PIANO—Miss M. Murray.
PRIMARY GRADE.
(a) "TULIPETUDE"
Misses E. O'Brien, G. Vickers, E. Ross, B. Whitney.
(b) "IN STately MEASURE" (with Met. roomers)
Misses G. McCarron, I. Hamilton, C. Lawlor, H. Morris.

- REWARDS OF PRIMARY GRADES.
First Grade
(a) "ON THE MEADOWS"
Misses A. Major, A. Craghan, E. Adams, M. McGrath.
(b) "SUMMER IDYL"
Misses L. Cronan, E. Nadeau, R. Fisher, H. Morris.

- RECITATION—"A LITTLE PILGRIM"
Mildred Kestling.
REWARDS TO PREPARATORY GRADES.
Second Grade.
(a) "LA GRACE"
Misses M. Lawlor, M. McCarthy, A. Coulombe, H. Copp.

- (b) TENDRESSE
Misses F. Doyle, R. LeBlanc, G. Buckley, G. Foley.
CLASS RECITATION—"LIFE'S DAY"
Preparatory Grades.
FAREWELL CHORUS
Preparatory Grades.

- REWARDS IN ACADEMIC DEPARTMENT.
Third Grade.
(a) "THE MARKET GIRL"
Misses Winifred Cronan, E. O'Leary, C. Lawlor, C. Perron.
(b) "FLASHES FROM THE WEST"
R. Goldbeck.
Misses A. Morris, M. Sullivan, M. Riordan, K. McCabe.

- CLASS ESSAY—"EDUCATION AS WE UNDERSTAND IT."
READER—Miss Anna McCombs.
FOURTH GRADE.
"LA TRAVIATA"
R. Hoffman.
Misses M. Murray, E. Brunceau, M. McIntyre.

- CLASS SONG OF '07—"BRAVELY DARE, NOBLY BEAR!"
Prizes and promotions for the year are as follows:—
PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.
1st Division, 1st prize, Miss L. Ryan, 2nd, Miss C. Young.
2nd Division, 1st prize, Miss M. Donovan, 2nd, Miss A. Murphy.
3rd Division, 1st prize, Miss A. Campbell, 2nd, Miss E. Vicars; prizes for Catechism, Misses M. Blanchard, G. Ryan, F. Sullivan.
Pupils promoted from Grade I.

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SOLDIERS OFF TO SUSSEX.

Newcastle Field Battery Leave on Special Train Monday Night.

73rd REGIMENT.

Companies Assemble at Campbellton, Chatham, Richibucto and Buctouche.

On Monday, the streets of Newcastle and Chatham resounded with the measured step of the military, assembling for departure to Sussex where for twelve days they will study the ancient and still honorable art of war.

The 12th (Newcastle) Battery Canadian Field Artillery, comprising about 95 non-commissioned officers and men with four guns, and commanded by Major T. W. Lawlor with Lieuts. C. W. Anslow (acting captain), T. H. Whalen and C. J. Morrissey, next in rank, left Newcastle by special train at eleven o'clock Monday night. The boys looked fine in their regimentals, presenting a soldierly appearance, and received a hearty sendoff from the citizens. Companies B. C. and E. of the 73rd (Northumberland) Regiment left Chatham at 10 o'clock the same evening, meeting at Chatham Junction Companies D. and H., and the Stanley company of the 71st. Company F. went south on the express yesterday morning. The strength of each company is about 40 men. The officers of the 73rd are as follows:—

- Staff—Lieut. Col. J. D. B. F. McKenzie, Chatham, in command; Major Geo. W. Mersereau, Doaktown; second, Major Howard Irving, Douglasfield, third, Capt. W. H. Murhead, Chatham, Adjutant; Major Robt. Murray, M. P. P., Richibucto, Quartermaster; Lieut. Stuart Leggie, surgeon.
A. Company, Buctouche—Lieuts. R. A. Irving, Dysart, Macdonald.
B. Company, Chatham—Lieuts. W. Herbert Belyea, Salter, C. R. Mersereau.
C. Company, Black River—Capt. Donald McNaughton, Lieuts. J. W. McNaughton, Stuart McNaughton.
D. Company, Boistown—Lieuts. H. Pond, W. D. Gunter, H. Attridge.
E. Company, Black River Bridge—Captain, Alex. Cameron, Lieut. Archibald Cameron.
F. Company, Campbellton—Capt. E. B. Pritchard, Lieuts. A. E. G. MacKenzie, Harry F. Fair.
G. Company, Richibucto—Capt. W. E. Forbes (best shot at the Sussex rifle matches in June, 1907), Lieuts. R. G. Keith, E. E. Buckerfield.
H. Company, Upper Blackville—Capt. B. Donald, Lieuts. F. McKnight, V. Dunphy.

The marriage of Mr. A. McLellan private secretary to W. B. McKenzie, chief engineer of the I.C.R., to Miss M. Beatrice Thomson daughter of Mas. C. D. Thomson will take place in the early autumn. Mr. McLellan is a brother of Mrs. Capt. John Russell of this town.

FARRIS HOME FROM EUROPE.

Bought Twenty-Eight Horses In Scotland and Twelve In France.

A FINE LOT.

Hon. Ora P. King Remains Behind to Look After Shipment.

Hon. L. P. Farris, Commissioner of Agriculture, returned from Europe on Thursday. He brought forty horses. Twenty-six are Clydesdale fillies from two to four years old, and in the lot there are two fine stallions of the same breed.

These were secured in Scotland from the firm of A and W Montgomery, who are known far and wide as dealers and breeders cwing over eighty stallions the get of which they retain options on consequently Mr. Farris had the opportunity of a very large number of animals to select from.

After having perched all of the Clydes he wanted, Mr. Farris crossed over to France, and in Normandy the home of the percheron, he bought ten fillies of this famous breed and two French coach fillies as well. The Percherons, Mr. Farris thinks, are as fine a lot as ever came into America, and he is confident that they will come up to the highest expectations of the farmers of the province.

The horses will be shipped from Glasgow on the twenty-ninth of this month, on the Donaldson liner Athenia, and should reach here about the 7th or 8th of July. They are offered for sale at public auction, probably at Moncton or Fredericton. The average cost of the animals was about \$300 each.

Although the new regulations are very stringent the horses are all eligible for registry in Canada. Ora P. King, M. P. P., who accompanied the commissioner on his trip, is still in the Old Country, having remained to look after the shipment of the horses. He will return with his bride on the Athenia.

Hon. Mr. Farris made the trip both ways on the C. P. R. steamer Empress of Britain, and he has nothing but the highest praise for the luxury and comfort provided on this magnificent vessel.

Although this was his first trip across the commissioner was not sick at all, and altogether he thoroughly enjoyed the holiday, if being as busy as he was could be called a holiday. While in London he met Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and found the name of Canada's eloquent premier on all lips.

AN INDIAN ORDAINED.

At the Methodist Conference in Toronto a few days ago, David Menomene, a full-blooded Indian, was received into the Methodist ministry. He will preach to his own people in Ontario.

A New Brownie.

Brownie's have been the most popular line of Cameras ever offered to the public. A new number has been added which will make the line more popular than ever as the new Brownie takes a picture 2 1/2 by 4 1/4 inches and the price is only

\$3.00

A full line of films, paper, post cards, developing powder, etc., in fact, everything for the Amateur carried in stock.

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