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LOCAL NEWS

MARKET HOLIDAY

The city market will be closed on Victoria Day.

THE ALBERT CONVENTION

The Albert county Liberal convention was not called for yesterday, but for next Tuesday. It will be held at Riverside on that date.

GONE WEST

Kenneth R. Macdonald, of this city, who has been studying at the University of New Brunswick, left here last evening for Calgary, where he will be employed during the summer with the C. P. R. in forestry.

FREDERICTON MAY HAVE IT

Mail:—A movement is on foot for the commission form of government in Fredericton. The advertisement on the subject of the part of the city of St. John has had much to do with causing a renewal of agitation for such a system here.

GAME LAST NIGHT

The game of baseball on the Barrack Green last night between the McClary team and the Royal Bank of Canada team was won by the McClary team by a score of 7 to 2. Donovan and Milan were the battery for the winners, and Campbell and Stubbs for the losers.

DEATH OF A CHILD

The death of Alvin Leo, infant son of John E. and the late Florence Maxwell occurred at the home of his grandfather, James Maxwell, Geary Settlement, Sumbury county, on Tuesday morning, May 14, aged four months and ten days, leaving a father to mourn.

SPEEDY TRIALS

James A. Wilcox, who was committed to stand trial at the next sitting of the county court by Magistrate Ritchie in police court on Monday, has decided to take the Speedy Trial Act, and will come before Judge Jones here next Tuesday. He is in the county jail.

TIN SHOWER

About sixty friends of Miss Minnie McQuinn last night gathered at the home of Miss Nellie McBride, Lombard street, and gave her a tin shower. She received a large number of remembrances which will be thoroughly appreciated in the near future. A pleasant time was spent in dancing and other amusements, and the gathering dispersed, after refreshments had been served, about midnight.

BUILDING IN MONCTON

The Havelock Mineral Water Company have men at work in Moncton on the foundation of a bottling establishment. The building will have a solid concrete foundation under superstructure of concrete blocks and two stories in height in front. The extent of the building will be 90x40 feet. Alongside the building at the rear a siding is being laid on which the tanks of mineral water from Havelock will be run in.

WILL COME TO ST. JOHN

Fredericton Gleason—Mrs. Babel Smith, late of the teaching staff of the Fredericton schools, was on Saturday evening tendered a banquet at the home of Mrs. E. L. Thorne, Charlotte street, by the King's Daughters, of which organization she is a valued member. She will be married to C. McN. Stevens, engineer of the Courtenay Bay work at St. John, by a short ceremony at the residence of a china plates from the members of the King's Daughters.

PORTWARDEN'S SURVEY

The portwardens this afternoon will make a survey of the schooner, the Cooper, which was damaged in a collision with dredge No. 1 on Monday. The damaged schooner is lying in the slip at the foot of Simonds street and as soon as the survey is completed and everything adjusted, she will be repaired in the slip. Her cargo of lumber has all been discharged. An investigation into the collision has not yet been held, but it is likely that one will be before long.

HERE FOR BURIAL

The body of John Holden, who died in Ottawa, was brought to the city this morning on the Atlantic express, and was taken to Fernhill for burial. Rev. H. A. Gody conducted services. The body was accompanied to St. John by Mrs. John Stewart, Miss Stewart and Doctor Holden and his mother, of Fredericton, and was met at the depot by Dr. G. F. Matthews, Dr. G. U. Hay, Doctor Inches, Judge Forbes, Miss Homer and Thomas McAvity.

THE LATE MRS. COHOE

(Halifax Chronicle) The memorial service for Mrs. A. B. Cohoe, the wife of Rev. A. B. Cohoe, which was held at the First Baptist Church on Sunday morning, was in all respects a beautiful one.

The music by the choir, under the able leadership of D. C. Gillis, was very well rendered, while Rev. S. B. Kempton conducted the service in his customary sympathetic manner.

The church was well filled with the many friends of the late Mrs. Cohoe who had gathered to pay tribute of respect and love to one, who during her short stay here had endeared herself to all with whom she came in contact.

The hymns which were sung were: "Jerusalem the Golden," "Leave God to order all our ways," "We speak of the realms of the blest," "The anthem, "To die is gain," by Blumenschein, was beautifully sung by the choir. The solo part being taken by Mrs. Barker.

Eternal life was the subject of Doctor Kempton's eloquent address. Taking for his text, St. John 10, verse 21: "I give unto them eternal life." The speaker pointed out that eternal life was not a thing that people must wait for until they reach the great beyond. Christ had promised to those who loved Him the joys of salvation while on earth. The speaker called on the people to let heaven begin below, and not wait till the great hereafter.

Doctor Kempton was most sympathetic in his utterances of the loss that had been sustained by the church in the passing away of such a bright, lovable and clever young lady as Mrs. Cohoe. The sphere of usefulness which she had occupied was well known to all, and while it was to be lamented that her young life had been cut short, it was God's will and to Him the bereaved must look for comfort in their sorrow.

Doctor Kempton referred to the excellent work which had been done by Mrs. Cohoe in Toronto and St. John where she had been so well liked. In expressing sympathy with the pastor of the church, Mr. St. John, Doctor Kempton asked that the all-remembered and her last illness was very short, it was God's will and to Him the bereaved must look for comfort in their sorrow.

A letter of sympathy to Mr. Cohoe from the church in Toronto where Mrs. Cohoe had labored was read during the service. After the benediction, the congregation remained standing. Mr. Payne, the organist played Chopin's funeral service, which ended a most solemn and impressive memorial service.

LIKELY CONNOR AND BERRAN FOR OPENER

Marathons Show up Well in Practice — Dolan is Expected Tomorrow

Manager Joe Page of the Marathons today received word that Dolan, the new third baseman for the Greeks would arrive in the city tomorrow, and will be ready to figure in the opening game here on Friday morning.

The players had a good work out on the grounds yesterday afternoon, and are fast rounding into shape. From present indications it looks as though the battery for the opening game will be Cannon and Berran. These two artists are said to work excellently together and showed excellent form at the practice yesterday. Berran is a southpaw with plenty of speed and good control.

Lynch was at first, Ramsey at second, Nelson at third and Pinkerton at short-stop and they all gave a good account of themselves. As last season did the best hitting with Ramsey a close second. Although the Marathons have four local players lined up, it is likely that only one or two will be seen in the Marathon uniform as offers have been received by several of the local players from teams in Nova Scotia and they will probably accept.

NO CATCHERS FOR WOODSTOCK TEAM

Men Engaged Have Not Reported and Opening Day is Near

Woodstock, N. B., May 22—(Special)—The baseball team here is without catchers, those engaged not having reported. Manager McMahon is using every effort to have players here for the opening game, but it is difficult to get satisfactory catchers so do not come in time for the opening.

TODAY'S POLICE COURT

Application to Re-open Liquor Case—A General Budget

In the police court this morning four prisoners were fined \$5 or two months in jail on charge of drunkenness, one was fined \$4 or ten days in jail, and another remanded on like charges.

John Flood, reported for not having a light on a staging erected by him in Prince street, was cautioned, was remanded on like charges.

Alexander Conway, charged with driving his horse and team on the sidewalk of the street in Mill street, pleaded not guilty. He said that he was driving on the right side of the street, but that the policeman had wanted to make him go another way, and he refused. He complained that he had been reported by Policeman Gardiner for spite as he had a quarrel with the policeman some weeks ago. He was fined \$2 or four days in jail, but the fine was allowed to stand.

Three prisoners charged with drunkenness, who were in jail on remand, were brought in and dealt with. One was fined \$5 or ten days in jail, and the other two, one of them a woman, \$5 or forty days in jail. The fine in one case was allowed to stand on condition that the man leave town immediately. The first one pleaded for a chance to leave town, saying he would never come back to St. John again. His plea did not work.

C. F. Inches and D. King Haven made application to the court to have the case of the King vs. Louis Fader, charged with driving liquor on May 7 without a license in his place in Pond street, re-opened. Fader was before the court on May 6, and pleaded not guilty to the charge. On the evidence of Frank McMorris he was fined \$100 or three months in jail. His counsel contended that Fader did not understand the proceedings of the court and that the case be reopened in order that a witness, Michael Scovill, an Indian, be called.

His Honor contended that it would not be right for him to reopen the case after having given his decision, but if the counsel could cite any authorities that would enable him to do so, he would be willing to hear them at any time.

WEST SIDE CHURCH BASEBALL LEAGUE

The West Side Church Baseball League schedule has been arranged as follows:—

May 24—Fairville Baptist vs. Charlotte street Baptist, Tilton's Corner.

May 27—Fairville Baptist vs. Ludlow Baptist, Tilton's Corner.

May 28—Fairville Methodist vs. Charlotte street Baptist, Tilton's Corner.

May 29—Fairville Methodist vs. Ludlow Baptist, Fairville.

May 30—Fairville Methodist vs. Fairville Baptist, Tilton's Corner.

May 31—Fairville Methodist vs. Ludlow Baptist, Fairville.

June 4—Fairville Baptist vs. Charlotte street Baptist, Tilton's Corner.

June 6—Fairville Methodist vs. Ludlow Baptist, Fairville.

June 8—Fairville Baptist vs. Charlotte street Baptist, Tilton's Corner.

June 10—Fairville Methodist vs. Fairville Baptist, Fairville.

June 11—Fairville Methodist vs. Charlotte street Baptist, Fairville.

June 12—Fairville Baptist vs. Ludlow Baptist, Fairville.

The schedule is to be repeated four times to make twenty-four games for each team. The games are to be played on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays.

DEATH OF MRS. QUILTY

Many, particularly the older people of the city will regret to learn the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Quilty, widow of J. B. Quilty, which occurred about noon today at her home, 275 St. George street, West St. John. Her condition had not been at all alarming and her last illness was very short, it was God's will and to Him the bereaved must look for comfort in their sorrow.

Mrs. Quilty was seventy-eight years old and had gathered about her a great number of friends who will be very sorry to learn she is no more. She is survived by four sons—James of Chicago, Richard of Boston, William of West St. John and Bernard J., of the C. P. R. here. There are also three daughters—Mrs. J. A. Gillis of Halifax, Mrs. F. J. Irvine of West St. John, and Miss Elizabeth, at home.

Store open tonight till 8 o'clock

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- MEN'S HALF HOSE: Black Cashmere, . . . . . 25c to 50c pair. Lisle Thread, in plain colors, . . . . . 25c pair. Lisle Thread, in fancy colors, 25c to 50c pair. Black and Tan Cotton, . . . . . 15c to 25c pair.
- MEN'S UNDERWEAR: To be found at this store. Penman's Double Thread Babrigan, 50c. a garment. Penman's Plain Merino, . . . . . 50c. a garment. Porous Knit, in natural color, . . . . . 50c. garment. Zimmerknit Mesh, in white athletic style, 50c. garment. Zimmerknit Fine Merino, . . . . . 75c. garment. Stanfield's Spring Weight, . . . . . \$1.00 to \$2.00 garment. Hewson's Unshrinkable, . . . . . \$1.00 garment. Collars, Ties, Suspenders, Belts, Gloves, Hats, Caps, Outing Suits, Suit Cases, etc.

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The cool weather has been discouraging to the man who has his straw hat ready, but he can't be held back any longer. Derby Hats are too heavy to wear with the new summer suit, and straw hat time is here. We are making a special showing secured from all the best manufacturers, presenting such an assortment as you will find nowhere else. All shapes, style and variety of straws, in proportion to suit men of all figures. Our \$5.00 Panamas are the best we ever had for this price, notwithstanding that the cost of these hats is following the cost of living. They are known to the trade as round, fibre Ecuador hats and credited with wearing longer and giving more satisfaction than any hats of their kind at the price. One of the very smart hats for this season is the wide rim rough Sennet Straw Sailor, of which we have a great showing.

- Sennet Straw Hats, made by Christy's, . . . . . \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00
- Sennet Straw Hats, other reliable English makes, . . . . . \$1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50
- Sennet Straw Hats, made in New York, . . . . . 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 5.00
- Very Smart Fine Plain Straw Hats, Sailor shapes, . . . . . \$1.50 to 5.00
- Soft Brim Straw Hats, . . . . . \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, 3.00
- Christy's, . . . . . \$2.50 Bon-Ton-Ivy, . . . . . \$3.00

PANAMA HATS—We have spared no means to have our showing for this season the finest and most attractive we have ever shown, and our prices will be found the lowest, quality considered. \$5.00, \$6.00, \$8.00, \$10.00, \$12.00.

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To make room for straws, we must clear out some soft hats, so we have taken all lines of which there are two or three alike, regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 qualities and put them at one price \$2.00

They are in Grey and Fawn colors, and all sizes are in the lot. At this price these hats are decided bargains. \$2.00

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