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LOCAL NEWS

WELCOME ARRIVALS.

Several robins were seen in a field off the Manuagongish road this morning. A butterfly was a Sunday attraction in Fairville.

VISITING SOLOIST.

Ernest Till was a visiting soloist in Central Baptist church last evening. He sang Doun's "Father in Heaven" with an evident appreciation of the prayerful number's spirit and beauty.

ICE WEAKENING.

The ice in the Kennebecas is still intact but assumedly very thin and honeycombed. Nobody is attempting to use it for transportation. Yesterday's strong sun greatly weakened the vast expanse.

A BIG MONTH.

So far this month \$2,600 has been collected in prohibition fines and at the present time there are nine cases pending in the police court. If all these reported are fined this will increase the total \$1,800.

HELPED PANTRY SALE.

The Ladies' Aid of the Fairville Methodist held a very successful pantry sale in the T. H. Wilson building on Saturday afternoon. A very creditable sum was realized for church purposes. The committee in charge was composed of Mrs. S. A. Worrell, Mrs. J. Cheeseman, Mrs. V. McCumber and Mrs. D. Crosby.

IS AFTER IMMIGRANTS.

The question of getting immigrants for New Brunswick is receiving attention. The Ottawa Citizen of Saturday said: "F. E. Sharp of Fredericton, N. B., superintendent of immigration for New Brunswick, is in Ottawa for a few days on official business with the federal department of immigration and colonization and department of the interior."

F. G. GOODSPEED PROMOTED.

Friends of F. G. Goodspeed while congratulating him on the promotion which has just been announced will be sorry to learn that it means his removal from the city. Word has just come from Ottawa that he has been transferred to Winnipeg, where he will act as district engineer, grade 2. Another St. John appointment announced is that of Clara M. M. Boone, clerk-stenographer.

SUPERINTENDENTS MEET.

The monthly meeting of the Baptist Sunday school superintendents of the city and Fairville was held on Saturday evening in the Main street Baptist church. Supper was served by the members of the Main street C. G. I. T. groups. After full justice had been done to the "cats," problems of the schools were talked over and plans for stimulating interest in the work discussed.

UNDERGOES OPERATION.

Mrs. A. P. Patterson received a telegram this morning from Montreal conveying the news that her son A. Pierce Patterson, a student at McGill, had been operated on for appendicitis last night in the Montreal General Hospital. Mrs. Patterson will leave this evening for Montreal to be with her son. Mr. Patterson has a host of friends in St. John who will hopefully await news of his recovery.

IS MADE LIFE MEMBER.

At a meeting of the Golden Rule Class of the Pleasant Point Sunday school, at the home of Mrs. George Stevens, Fairville, and at which James Ewart, president, presided, on motion of Leonard Stevens, it was unanimously agreed to make Adolph Ryler, one of their members now residing in the U. S., a life member. Games and music were enjoyed. Solos were sung by Mrs. Ernest Arbo and Miss Edna Stevens. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

GIVEN BIRTHDAY SURPRISE.

In observance of the birthday of James Irvine of Milford, relatives gathered at his home last week to extend to him sincere birthday greetings. On behalf of those present, Mrs. James Ferguson, one of his daughters, presented Mr. Irvine a gold watch chain. Although taken by surprise Mr. Irvine feelingly expressed appreciation of the gift and of the kind wishes of his friends. The evening was pleasantly spent and delicious refreshments were served.

IS DOING WELL.

An indication of the success of another St. John boy is contained in a recent publication of the Boston Sunday Advertiser. Arnold E. Frame, who was for some time secretary of the W. V. A. here and later was engaged with the St. John branch of the Ford Motor Co. of Canada, is now managing the wholesale car sales of the St. John Chevrolet Car Co. in Boston, and, according to a paragraph in the Advertiser, is well known in the automobile industry. Mr. Frame has many friends in the city, who will be pleased to hear of his success.

RECEIVES GIFT.

The Golden Circle Class of Pleasant Point Sunday school and friends met at the home of Mrs. C. N. Northrup on Saturday evening and tendered a farewell party to Walter G. Poloy, one of their members, who is to leave this evening. On behalf of the class, the teacher, Mrs. Ernest E. Arbo, presented to him a half dozen linen handkerchiefs. Walter gratefully acknowledged the gift. Miss Ruby Splane and Miss Sylvia Hamm sang pleasing solos, with Mrs. James Splane as accompanist. Games were enjoyed and delicious refreshments served.

G. FRED SNOW.

G. Fred Snow, for many years connected with the Bangor & Aroostook R. R., and prominent in Maine railroad circles, died last Wednesday morning at his apartment at the Bangor House, Bangor. Mr. Snow was born in Brewer, Me., in 1861 and was married to Miss Annie Martin of Bangor, who died many years ago. He was in the employ of the European and North American Railway up to 1891, at which time he became private secretary to F. W. Cram, then president of the B. & A. and later became associated with the Bangor & Aroostook as general freight agent from which position he retired in 1917. He is survived by one sister, Miss Mary Snow of New York, who was long identified with school work in Bangor, being superintendent of schools for several years, and who is now engaged in educational work in New York state.

ARE AT ATLANTIC CITY

Word was received in the city on Saturday that Hon. Dr. William Pugsley had arrived at Atlantic City and had taken up their residence at the Hotel Marlboro Bismarck, where they will remain for some time while Hon. Dr. Pugsley is recuperating from his recent illness.

ALL ADMITTED IT.

One after another seven men emerged from the prisoners' dock in the police court this morning and when a charge of drunkenness was read against them they pleaded guilty. All were fined \$8 and in default of payment two months in jail.

WILL PICNIC ON RIVER.

At a recent meeting of the Central Baptist Sunday school officials, it was decided to hold the summer's picnic on the St. John river—a return to the shores of the big stream after a long series of railway outings. Committees were appointed to engage grounds and steamer. It is the intention of the officials to have their Sunday school picnic on the river in the month of July. The picnic will be held on the new oil-fueled steamer D. J. Purdy for picnicking purposes. Arrangements are in progress.

AUTO JAM OUT THE ROAD.

At one time on the Rotheray road yesterday afternoon fully thirty automobiles were lined up in a tie-up at the plaster kiln between Brookville and Torryburn. The delay was caused by a heavily rutted road of ice for a distance of possibly 200 yards in this locality. Being at a narrow point on the road, the cars were unable to proceed towards the lake on one side, motorists reduced their speed to a crawl and passed through the grooves of ice in low gear. The number of cars out for a spin in the fine weather may be imagined by the back-up this hesitation caused in traffic. The Rotheray road is as dry as in summer between the city and the Riverside Golf and Country Club, save for the spot referred to.

"BEATTY" MEN BUY MAMMOTH HOTEL

Co. Building Here Adds the Benjamin Franklin, Philadelphia, to Chain.

Thomas, Armstrong & Bell, brokers, received word in this morning's mail that the newly-constructed Benjamin Franklin Hotel in Philadelphia had been purchased outright by the United Hotels Company of America and added to that corporation's chain of new houses. This announcement is somewhat in the nature of a surprise as none of the company's literature or announcements of late indicated the acquisition of this other new hotel in the Quaker city.

The Benjamin Franklin is a ten million dollar structure, built by Philadelphia capitalists and though it is almost as big as the structure make-up will be all summer in the hands of furnishers and decorators, bringing the formal opening early in the winter of 1935, same as the Admiral Beatty Hotel of this city.

Seventeen Stories.

The Philadelphia hotel is seventeen stories high, contains 1,220 guest rooms and with the Roosevelt in New York, not yet opened, and the Mount Royal in Montreal, is one of the largest in the United chain. Among those principally interested in the erection of the Benjamin Franklin Hotel are Cyrus H. K. Curtis, of the Ladies' Home Journal and Saturday Evening Post publications, and Gimbel Brothers, department store magnates.

St. John people are naturally interested in the progress of the steps of the corporation building the new hotel in this city. It indicates the wide scope of the concern and the prominence of the investors allied with them in their policy of placing modern hotel enterprises in important places on both sides of this continental map.

PRELIMINARIES TO FINISH TONIGHT

Some Interesting Games Played in K. of C. Badminton Tournament.

The last half of the preliminaries in the doubles badminton tournament which the Knights of Columbus have been carrying out on the courts in their rooms, Coburg street, will be played this evening. The following matches will be run off: J. L. Sugrue and C. P. Gramman vs. Bernard Mooney and Russell Killen. E. J. Wall and Chas. Cotter vs. Joseph Bell and W. J. Oliver. John Mooney and L. A. Roche vs. Dr. L. J. Fleming and J. I. McManus.

P. O'Brien and Gerald Kane vs. W. Alexander and E. Lahey.

Fred Condon and Vincent Butler vs. Wm. O'Leary and Edw. LaBanc. Fred McDonald and Ernest Driscoll vs. Paul Quinn and J. Gillespie. The following was the result of games played in the first half last week: Bernard McCarthy and George Murphy defeated Martin O'Leary and Dr. A. J. Coughlan.

George Gallagher and Charles Meredith defeated Daniel Morrison and F. X. Jennings.

W. J. Ryan and Dr. J. B. Gosnell defeated Edw. McCann and T. C. Olive.

W. A. Maher and J. J. Jennings defeated L. Blanchard and E. Zowicht. Alfred Kane and Bernard Ryan defeated E. Gallivan and Jos. Corkery. Great interest is being displayed by the numbers in the game and the tournament has brought out some thrilling contests.

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, MARCH 24.

A.M. P.M.
High Tide..... 1.44 High Tide..... 2.05
Low Tide..... 8.01 Low Tide..... 8.25
Sun Rises..... 6.20 Sun Sets..... 6.40

APPROVES CONDUCT OF DELORME TRIAL

Rev. H. E. Thomas Discusses Closing Features of Montreal Case.

Before the Men's Bible Class in the Esplanade street church yesterday afternoon Rev. H. E. Thomas made a reference to the Delorme murder case in Montreal and pointed to the evidence it gave of respect for law and order in the Province of Quebec. There were certain questions of race and religion, he said, which could not be dissociated in the public mind in the case of a trial for murder of a Roman Catholic priest in a French province, and although the verdict was one for which reasons of religion or fear of scandal were to be acquired a guilty man just because he is a priest, the scandal that you would cause by your doing so would be worse than the one you wish to avoid.

"If you believe the prisoner guilty, if you believe that he has committed the crime of which there has never been a previous example in all history, the pity that would make you declare him not guilty would be worse than the weakness and it would make of each one of you an accomplice."

"Do your duty," said the judge. "That duty you know. God gives you the power and the will to do it. God be with you in your deliberations and grant that your verdict may be a true verdict according to the evidence."

Rev. Mr. Thomas said that in this strange day of disrespect for law and order, in some quarters even by those set for its maintenance, it was a tonic to have a court of justice call a mad word back to the sanctity of duty, the sovereignty of conscience, the holiness of God and remind men that the administration of justice was one of those cherished traditions which had given greatness to the Empire and apart from which true citizenship had no meaning.

HERE ARE MORE SIGNS OF SPRING

One of the odd sights in town today was fire department work teams dragging runners hose sleds and other winter equipment to summer storage in South End. The past cold months were exceptionally easy on the motor-driven apparatus and old-fashioned runner turnouts were not called into requisition as often as usual. With the disappearance of runners park benches soon come forth and so on. One of the newly-painted watering carts was out on Saturday laying the first dust of the season. Motorists coming back to town yesterday brought bunches of pussy-willows. Outside of the risk of one of a few flake snow flurries perhaps, spring seems to have stepped into the picture.

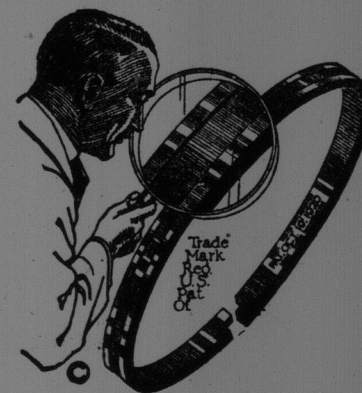
THIS IS BIG DAY FOR UNION LODGE

Tonight will be a big night for Union Lodge, K. of P., as they will celebrate the golden jubilee of the organization of the Order of Knights of Pythias was introduced into Canada by the late John Beamish and Union Lodge was the second to be organized outside the United States. In the fifty years of its existence it has done much to keep alive the Pythian ideal of fraternity and brotherhood and the members can look back with pride on its history of half a century. An interesting feature of the celebration tonight will be a presentation to William A. King, the only active surviving charter member of the lodge. He will receive a fifty year veteran jewel. An excellent programme has been prepared and there will be cards and dancing.

As Hiram Sees It

"I see frost has made a loss of six million dollars in the California peach crop," said Mr. Hiram Hornbeam to The Times reporter. "So the peach growers have announced," said the reporter. "An' a lot of fact-ries is idle in the New England States," said Hiram—"an' crowds o' people out o' work." "Quite true," said the reporter. "I was just thinkin' said Hiram, "that we ain't too bad off in old Noo Brunswick after all. We don't hev no big crop failures—most folks hes somethin' to do most o' the time—an' we're startin' in now with an airly spring an' things gittin' lookin' good. I s'pose the'll be some people driftin' away—but when we stop blowin' about our great re-sources an' start in to develop 'em as we orto do—the main drift'll be back to old Noo Brunswick—yes, sir. A little more faith in ourselves an' what we kin do 'ud make a mighty change round here in no time."

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They can only do this while they receive the patronage of their fellow citizens which they naturally expect.

And, even from a selfish standpoint, most of us are, directly or indirectly dependent on the business done in St. John, and when we send our money away for goods which could be purchased here, we deliberately cut the ground from under our own feet. Moreover, the stores of St. John are showing just as good values, and frequently better quality merchandise than will be procured by sending away.

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