

TWO NEW MEN ON HOSPITAL STAFF

Doctors McDonald and Matheson Arrive From Owen Sound, Ont.

Two new resident physicians, Dr. Hugh McDonald and Dr. John Matheson both of Owen Sound, Ont., have been appointed to the staff of the General Public Hospital. They arrived in the city this morning and will commence duties immediately.

THE DUKE OF ARGYLL

Death Recalls Kindly Interest in St. John Man's Career

The death of His Grace, the Duke of Argyll, whose body now lies in state in London, brings to mind recollections of distinguished acts of kindness and interest manifested in a St. John man's career. About two years ago, the duke sent a very handsome Christmas card to Byron C. Tapley, in the shape of a first leaf a circle cut out to reveal an English hunting scene on the second leaf. On the front page is a verse enclosed in a wreath supported by two jockey whips as follows:

"With all good wishes and kind thoughts for Christmas and the coming year." Upon the second sheet, below the picture, is written in His Grace's handwriting: "A Happy New Year to you, From Argyll Xmas, 1912."

Many cordial letters were sent by the duke, a fac-simile of one of which is here given. The souvenir referred to in the steel pen used by Mr. Tapley in writing his work entitled "Sonata Britannica," which His Grace caused to be placed in historic Kensington Palace, London.

HERE IS A START IN ACTION TO DEAL WITH THE BLASTING

Warden McLellan Wants Names of Those Whose Property Has Been Damaged or Health Impaired

Warden H. R. McLellan today is advertising for the names of all persons who may have had property damaged presumably through the blasting operations at Courtenay Bay, or in cases where illness was supposed to be effected by the work. He promises consideration of the matter. The damage, danger and annoyance caused by the heavy blasting at Courtenay Bay has led to legal procedure in an effort to abate the nuisance. On behalf of deB. Carleton, owner of the Provincial Chemical Fertilizer Company's works near the site of the operations, M. G. Teed, K. C., has made application to Chief Justice McLeod for an injunction to restrain the Norton Griffiths Company from continuing their blasting in the same manner as in the past.

Red Head, N. B., May 4, 1914. Editor Times-Star: Sir:—It is little wonder people find

SIGNALLERS' SCHOOL OPENS HERE WITH CLASS NUMBERING 44

The school of instruction in signalling which is to be conducted in the city for the next four weeks was opened last evening in the new armory with the largest class which has ever been known to attend such a course in St. John, in all, forty-four men. Of this number sixteen are of the new establishment allowed No. 8 Signalling Section commanded by Lieut. Allan Leavitt, which has been granted power to increase its strength threefold this year and will go into camp at Sussex with twenty-four men.

The remainder are regimental signallers from each of the other establishments. The school was opened by Sergeant Instructor Lowe of the Canadian School of Signalling, Quebec, who will remain here for the next month. Another eastern school of instruction closed last night in Fredericton. It was quite successful and was under the direction of Sergeant Instructor John Carruthers. Captain T. E. Powers, inspector of signalling for the maritime provinces, returned to the city last night after inspecting the school.

BY-LAW MATTER. Benjamin Lavine has been reported by the police for allowing water to flow across the sidewalk from a house in City Road owned by him.

BULLET GOES INTO BEDROOM

Some One Fires Shot at Night Into North End House

A fearful shock was given to the members of a household in Indiantown last evening when a bullet was fired through the window of a room at 97 Victoria street. It was about five minutes to ten o'clock when there came the sharp report of a pistol and a crackling of glass. The bullet had gone through the window and hit the bed.

TWO READY FOR SAFETY POST; GOES TO McLELLAN

(Continued from page 1) On motion of Commissioner Wigmore, Commissioner Russell was unanimously chosen as commissioner of water and sewerage, and Commissioner Russell is commissioner of harbors, ferries and public lands. On motion of Commissioner Russell, Commissioner Potts was made commissioner of public works.

LOCAL NEWS

IN THE COURTS. Hearing in the case of the Eastern Trust Company vs. Asepto Soaps Limited et al was this morning further postponed until Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. The case of the Canadian Bank of Commerce vs. the C. P. R. was continued in the Circuit Court this morning, and was adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

OFFICIAL PAY DAY. The pay rolls for the city officials, disbursed today, were charged to the various departments as follows: Official ... \$1,497.90 Police ... 1,510.41 Sundry ... 1,052.58 Ferry ... 788.75 Market ... 128.43 Fire ... 1,946.66 Total ... \$8,829.68

SCOTT ACT SIGNATURES ARE READILY ACCORDED

Temperance Man Says Petition For C. T. A. Here is Being Well Signed

While nothing much has lately been said of the temperance people's plan for the introduction of the Scott Act in St. John, it was learned today that the preparatory work is going on steadily. Petitions are in circulation in all the wards, and a prominent worker said today that in some quarters where the hopes of the canvassers had not been of the brightest, a very gratifying response had been given, and the petitions had been signed by many.

The requirement is 25 per cent of the voting strength of the city, and in some wards the apportionment has been exceeded. The canvassers will continue until the territory has been completely covered. Nothing more is to be done until all the signatures are in hand and the work of canvassing will continue until well into June, and perhaps July.

NEITHER HAD GUN

Policemen Had to Borrow Rifle to End Misery of Dying Horse

A horse was shot in Brussels street yesterday. It was a suddening sight to contemplate, but the poor animal was for some time in misery before the end was reached. The reason of the shooting was that the gun or revolver could be found with which to do the act. Two policemen were on hand and sought a revolver to relieve the dying creature from its misery but it was said to be some time before a weapon could be gotten and a bullet entered in the best.

Neither of the policemen had one, and it was more or less of a tribute to the peaceful surroundings and gentle dispositions of the neighbors that in no house in the vicinity could a revolver be found. After considerable search a small rifle was found.

APPEAL IN MAY QUEEN CASE IS DISMISSED

In the supreme court in Fredericton this morning Judge Barry delivered judgment in the appeal in the case of Keith A. Barbour vs the May Queen Steamship Company. The appeal was dismissed without costs. The appellants are to pay their own costs and the costs of the petitioner are to be borne by the estate.

FOR A LOCAL LEAGUE

Some difficulty has been experienced in the formation of the East End League and although the St. John Athletic club have not been inactive in baseball matters, they have held off from any definite arrangements, pending the outcome of the East End League affairs. As there seemed a possibility that the East End series will not be continued this year, the St. John Athletic Club this morning sent out a general invitation to all interested in amateur ball in St. John to attend a meeting in the officers' mess rooms, Grosvenor street.

AWAY FOR SUMMER

Alex. McKenzie, T. Smith, Wm. Kello, and T. Lee of the C. P. R. winterport staff, who have been at the home of E. A. Young, West St. John, during the winter, have left for Port McNichol, for the summer.

NEW LIGHTS

New lights are being placed in the interior of the Union Depot. Some workmen were engaged today in installing them.

Macaulay Bros. & Co. King Street, St. John, N. B. Our Stores Open 8 a.m., Close 6 p.m. Saturdays 10 p.m.

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