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LATE LOCALS

Norwegian bark Heron has been fixed to land at this port for a port in the United Kingdom.

Registrar Jones reports 12 marriages during the present week, also 21 births, nine males, 12 females.

Tug Maggie M. passed Mulgrave, N. S. last Thursday with schooner Harold B. Cousins in tow for Pictou from this port.

The majority of the St. John men who have been taking part in the P. R. A. meet at Sussex, returned home last evening.

William Holm, an ex-convict, created a disturbance outside his wife's house in the North End last night. The police restored quiet.

The Rev. Mr. Dockrill, of Moncton, will address the temperance meeting in the Every Day Club tomorrow evening at 8.30 o'clock.

A lady in a Main street car was struck last night by an air rifle shot fired by some boys on Acadia street. She was not seriously injured.

Engineer Hunter has not yet succeeded in locating the leak of 4,000,000 gallons which he claims the city is losing daily. If necessary the entire system will be gone over.

Rev. A. B. Simpson, B. A., of Berwick, N. S., who will preach at the Baptist convention here, will preach at both services in Ludlow street Baptist church, west end, on Sunday.

Mr. James McDade has been awarded the contract for the far-seeing system in the Provincial Hospital. This is the fourth plant that Mr. McDade has installed in this institution.

The annual convention of the United Baptist of the maritime provinces opened this morning in German street Baptist church. There was a large attendance of delegates and many matters of importance will be considered.

Portland Methodist Church, Rev. Neil McLaughlin, B. A., pastor, preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. H. Gretton Dockrill; at 7 p. m., the pastor; S. School, 2.15; Bible study union and young men's Bible class, 2.30. All are welcome.

Mrs. John Robbin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Le Lacheur, Sr., of 100 Stanley street, recently performed the feat of climbing Mt. St. Helen, the highest mountain in the State of Washington. The climb was over 8,000 feet.

Miss Robertson, one of the teachers at the supervised playground on the Every Day Club grounds this season, will attend the great playground congress in New York, of which the programme is given on another page of to-day's Times.

Salvation Army, Charlotte street Citadel, on August 22 and 23—Special meetings will be conducted by Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. Turner. The Colonel will speak at 11 a. m., 3 p. m., 7.30 p. m. Don't fail to hear one of the Army's most able speakers; all are welcome.

If those who attend the band concert on King Square this afternoon would stroll around on the walk which surrounds the square instead of crowding up under the band stand they would hear the music to better advantage and prevent the unpleasant crowding. The Artillery Band will play.

The numerous friends of Rev. Dr. Trotter, the late president of Acadia, will be glad to learn that he has arrived safely from active service by a general nervous exhaustion, of which he has had a long and severe attack. His physicians advise the break down to overwork, but think that a season of rest, sufficiently long, will bring him all right again. At latest accounts he had gone to an island in Georgian Bay, where the air is cool and bracing.

WEDDINGS

Armstrong-Murphy

A happy event took place August 21st at Douglas Avenue Christian Church, when Miss M. Louise Murphy was united in marriage to Chas. A. Armstrong. The bride entered the church on the arm of her brother, who gave her away. She was becomingly attired in a suit of cream serge with hat to match; her bouquet was of white roses. The young couple were unattended. As they entered the church the wedding march was beautifully rendered by Mrs. J. Fred Smith.

During the ceremony, which was performed by J. Chas. B. Appel, the young couple stood under a large white well suspended from an arch of evergreen, daisies and sweet peas. The church was prettily decorated by friends of the young couple. After the ceremony the happy couple left by steamer Governor Cobb for a short wedding trip amid showers of rice and good wishes for a happy and prosperous married life. On their return they will reside at 49 Main street.

The bride received many costly and useful presents, including a beautiful chandelier from the church, Sunday school and Bible students' class, of which she is a valued and faithful member. Also a china tea set from her brother; a music cabinet from Miss Ida Stevens and Mr. Fred Emery; a Japanese five o'clock tea service from Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kay; a parlor lamp from the groom's fellow-employees, and a sum of money in gold from his employer, Mr. T. Phillips.

Breen-Rees

Sydney Post—A pretty wedding took place at St. George's Church on Wednesday, Aug. 19, when Howard W. Breen, of St. John, N. B., was united in holy matrimony to Miss Gladys Moore, second daughter of C. E. Rees, J. P. The officiating clergyman was the venerable Archdeacon Smith, D.D. The bride was tastefully dressed in a travelling suit of brown broadcloth with cream trimmings and hat to match. The presents were numerous, which testified to the popularity of the bride. After luncheon at the residence of the bride's parents, the happy couple left on the fast express for St. John, N. B., where they will in future reside, amid showers of rice and the best wishes of their many friends gathered at the station to see them off.

BAPTIST INSTITUTE

The Baptist Ministers Institute session last evening was well attended. The first address was delivered by Rev. Dr. A. K. De Blois of Chicago on work among men. Rev. Dr. Brown of Toronto followed with an interesting talk on the laymen's missionary movement. The last speaker was T. W. Stockhouse, Supt. of Baptist Missions in the northwest, who told of the great progress of the laymen's missionary movement in the northwest.

SUPERVISED PLAYGROUNDS

The Formal Closing Yesterday --Fine Display of Work-- Keenly Contested Sports.

The Every Day Club grounds were the scene of an interesting event yesterday afternoon, when the formal closing of the supervised playground took place.

Miss Peters, Mrs. McLellan and Miss Leavitt of the Women's Council committee, were present, with Mrs. Arthur of Detroit; Mrs. Dobson and other ladies interested were present, and there was a large attendance of mothers to witness the sports of the children and to see the samples of their work.

Caretaker McAnley had decorated the old pavilion very prettily with Chinese lanterns and festoons of paper chains made by the children. On a long table were samples of the knitting, basketry, doll making, clay modelling and other work done by the children, and on the walls were samples of painting and needlework. It was a really wonderful display and greatly admired by all. A collection will be sent to the meeting of the National Association of Women at Ottawa, as an illustration of the work accomplished in this branch of their activity.

The teachers, Misses Robertson, Beatty and Ford, were heartily congratulated on their success during the time the playground has been open. The teachers from the Centennial grounds were present and gave great assistance at the sports, which were conducted by Messrs. McCauley, Jones, Thomas and Titus, of the Every Day Club.

The grounds will be open as usual on Monday and Tuesday, and thereafter for two weeks after school hours, so that the children will still have the benefit of these clean and healthful playgrounds. There were hundreds of girls and boys on the grounds yesterday afternoon, and the running and jumping contests aroused great interest, all being keenly contested. The races were run on the smooth greenward in front of the pavilion, and there were many heats in each event.

The following were the winners in the sports:--

Senior Boys' Race, 75 yards (Boys 12 to 15)—George McCauley, 1st; Manfred McNutt, 2nd.

Boys' Race (10 to 12 years)—Charles Casley, 1st; Cecil Casley, 2nd.

Hoop Race (10 to 12 years)—J. Cooper, 1st; M. McNutt, 2nd.

Girls' Race, 50 Yards (5 to 10 years)—Robert Hayes, 1st; Mildred Forester, 2nd.

Boys' Hoop Race (10 to 12 years)—Annie Griffin, 1st; Florence McNutt, 2nd.

Boys' Sack Race—Manford McNutt, 1st; George McCauley, 2nd.

Girls' Sack Race—Annie McDonald, 1st; George McCauley, 2nd.

Boys' Running Race (11 to 15 years)—Nellie Morrison, 1st; Lizzie Mullett, 2nd.

Girls' Running Race—Annie McDonald, 1st; Lizzie Mullett, 2nd.

Running Broad Jump—Manford McNutt, 1st; James Cooper, 2nd.

Edgar Waldron, a boy of about ten years gave a remarkable exhibition of skill in the game "Le Diable".

The prizes were presented by Miss Robertson.

PERSONALS

Richard Sears, staff photographer on the Boston American, is in the city on a vacation.

Miss Annie W. has arrived home from Sydney.

E. H. Rankin, Wm. Little and C. Smith of this city were in Amherst yesterday.

Miss Ethel Whapton, of St. John, was in Salsbery for a few days.

B. W. Hewson, of Moncton, is in the city.

Mr. John Young, of Gloucester, is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Robinson, 101 Elliott Row.

Mr. Frederick Wilson Hatch, of New York City, is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Shaw, 221 King street, East, City.

Mrs. Thomas Lawson, of Lynn, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Dunbrack, 101 Pitt street, city.

Digby Courier—H. B. Burnham, of the Customs service, was a passenger to St. John Saturday, returning Wednesday; Miss Ethel M. Moore, of Lynn, Mass., spent a few days in St. John this week, a guest at the St. John Hotel; Miss Bessie McFarlan, of St. John, N. B., was a guest at Mrs. Oscar Dalin's home last week; Wm. Baxter has severed his connection with the Courier, and left on Saturday for St. John; Mrs. W. T. B. and Miss Daisy Lund, both of Nashua, N. H., visited St. John this week; J. F. Leonard, of Leonard Bros., wholesale fish dealers, St. John, is in town, having arrived here Wednesday from a trip to Westport.

ICE CREAM AND GANDY SOCIAL. Don't forget the Ice Cream and Gandy Social at Galvin church schoolroom, next Tuesday evening. Admission free.

Digby Courier—Mr. Beckley gave another successful entertainment Monday evening. This one was held in Holy Trinity hall and was largely attended. He was assisted by Rev. J. S. Oshorne of Newark, N. J., who gave a couple of readings, Mrs. (Dr.) Morse, of Digby, and Mrs. F. M. Lettney, of London, Ont. The former gave a vocal solo of the later a violin solo. D. Arnold Fox, of St. John, was the accompanist. The whole programme was well rendered and greatly appreciated by the audience and was a financial success.

Major and Mrs. Phillips, accompanied by Adjutant Cornish, manager of the Metropole, and Capt. Robinson will conduct meetings at the No. 5 barracks, Mill street, tomorrow.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS

- (Too Late for Classification.) TO LET—ONE OR TWO FURNISHED rooms. Apply "W. S.", care Times, 1780-2-23. TO LET—DESIRABLE RESIDENCE AT Rothesay, from September; furnished if desired; modern conveniences; beautiful grounds; at moderate rental. Apply JUDGE WILKINSON, 177-4. WANTED—A FEW GOOD MACHINE sewers on shirtwaists; also learners paid while learning. 197 Prince W. street, 1781-2-23. FOR SALE—POOL ROOM AT AMHERST; good business established. Address "Pool Room", Box 60, Amherst, N. S., 1783-2-23. BOY WANTED—JAMES PATTERSON, Fish Hall, City Market, 1782-2-23. WANTED—AT ONCE MEN AND WOMEN to collect names, in city. S. care Times, 1782-2-23. TO RENT—FROM 1ST SEPTEMBER, 1 furnished flat, heated. Apply to "E. A.", 28 Dufferin Row, West, 1771-2-24.

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