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LOCAL NEWS

BYE-LAW REPORT.
 James Lauckner has been reported by the police for allowing mud to fall from his wagon in Waterloo and Union streets.

TRAINS LATE.
 The Montreal train was three hours late today and the Boston half an hour. Heavy travel was said to be the cause.

EXAMINATIONS HERE.
 Rev. Gordon Dickie, local examiner for Queen's University, Toronto, is at present conducting examinations on behalf of that institution. Some are supplementary in their nature, while others are being written by those taking courses outside the university.

MARRIED LAST EVENING.
 A very pretty wedding took place last evening at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. J. D. Wetmore, when Alvinia Catherine Mann and Ernest Laird, Que., was united in marriage to William Andrew Laird of this city. Miss Laura Laird was bridesmaid and Ernest Laird supported the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Laird will take up their residence in Montreal.

MISS MURRAY'S CLASSES.
 Miss Murray had half a dozen additions to her class of employed girls at the high school assembly hall last evening, and with only one exception all who were there last Thursday evening came last night. The whole class greatly enjoyed the exercises and games, and the value of such a use of school buildings is being clearly demonstrated. There has also been an addition to the class of playground teachers under Miss Murray's instruction.

FORMING NEW LODGE.
 G. H. Gaetz, of Victoria Beach, N. S., was in the city yesterday conferring with some of the officers of the local Knights of Pythias lodges, and securing information relative to the formation of a new lodge, which he proposes to have established in Digby, N. S. He says that it is expected about thirty or forty will sign the charter roll, and prospects are good for a large membership.

ST. JOHN DELEGATES TO MONTREAL MEETING

Local Council of Women Represented at National Council Sessions

The National Council of Women of Canada will meet this year in Montreal. The convention will open on May 1 and continue until May 9. The local Council of Women of St. John will be represented at the national gathering by Mrs. J. H. Frial, Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Warlock, Mrs. Warren Winslow, Mrs. H. A. Powell and Mrs. J. H. Doody, who have been appointed delegates. Mrs. D. McLellan, of this city will also attend in her capacity as member of the National Council.

Thursday, May 1, will be the opening day, and in the evening a concert will be given in the Royal Victoria College, followed by a reception. Another event of a special nature is the excursion to St. Anne's to visit Macdonald College, on Saturday morning. On Monday the city of Montreal will tender a dinner at the Ritz Carlton. On Wednesday evening a reception will be given by the Montreal Local Council. The last reception will be the reception given by the Women's Canadian Club at the Ritz Carlton on Thursday evening. On Monday afternoon tea will be given by the members of the Irish Women's Club.

Among the subjects chosen are the following: Prison Reform, Women's Suffrage, Compulsory Education and the Care of the Feeble Minded.

Some of the speakers who will be heard are: O. F. Lewis, general secretary of the Prison Association of New York State; Miss Katherine Davis, superintendent of the Women's Reformatory of New York State; Dr. Bruce Smith, inspector of prisons and public charities; Mrs. W. W. Chipman, of the Montreal Local Council; Dr. J. G. Adams, and Mrs. Philip Snowden.

The Hon. Charles Doherty, minister of justice, will preside at one meeting and the Hon. Senator Dandurand at another.

R. D. McLEAN ESTATE MORE THAN \$20,000

Matter in Probate—Several Courts in Session Today

In the probate court today, the matter of the estate of Robert D. McLean, late of Ashburn, farmer, was taken up today. He died intestate, leaving his wife, three sons and one daughter. On the petition of all of those the oldest son, Robert A. McLean, accountant, was appointed administrator. Real estate is \$12,000; personal, \$8,675. Barahill, Ewing & Sanford are protectors.

Settled.

In the case of The General Film Co. vs. Xanthopoulos, in which an interim injunction was granted two weeks ago, restraining the defendants from showing certain moving pictures featuring William J. Burns, detective, a settlement was reached today when the interim order expired. It was agreed that each party would pay its own costs and the matter would be dropped.

Chancery Division.

The April sittings of the Supreme Court Chancery Division was held this morning. Mr. Justice McLaughlin presiding. In re adoption of Mary Henrietta Carter, infant, on motion of L. P. D. Tilley, the court granted an order for adoption by David M. Lane, and change of name. William Lawrence Carter is the father of the child.

In re James R. Branch, in the Provincial Hospital, George Gilbert of Bathurst moved for the appointment of a committee and power to sell real estate. An order was made declaring James R. Branch a lunatic, and appointing Samuel Branch, his father, a committee of the personal estate. It was also ordered by the court that \$225.00 be paid to Samuel Branch in payment of money loaned to James R. Branch, also that out of the interest and corpus if necessary so much be allowed as is necessary to support James R. in the hospital. The committee entered into a bond of \$4,000, and gave two sureties of \$2,000 each; costs to be paid out of the estate.

In re Mary K. O'Neill, et al, infants, W. J. Mahoney moved for the appointment of a guardian and leave to sell real estate. The court considers.

The Attorney-General vs. The Saint John Lumber Company, and Green vs. Price will stand until the next court.

Fish vs. The Dominion Pulp Company Miller vs. Miller and Roy vs. Richards stands until the 29th. In the last three cases M. G. Teed, K. C., is solicitor for the plaintiff.

In the case of R. T. Hayes et al vs. Brown et al in which Mr. Baxter, K. C., is solicitor for the plaintiff also stands till the 29th.

Grant vs. Lawton stands until the date agreed upon. Moses vs. French stands till the 29th, and Wells, administratrix, vs. Baker stands till the 21st at eleven o'clock.

King's Bench Division.

In the case of Oscar D. Hanson vs. John Burns, which was tried in Fairville on Sept. 6 last, and was heard on appeal on Sept. 27, Mr. Justice McKeown gave judgment this morning reversing the decision of Justice Allingham. At the trial judgment was given for the plaintiff. The ground on which the judgment was reversed was that the claim was barred by the statute of limitations. H. J. Smith appeared for the plaintiff and G. Earl Logan for the defendant.

ST. MONICA'S SOCIETY HAVE PLEASANT BRIDGE

In the rooms of the C. M. B. A., in Union street yesterday afternoon a very enjoyable and successful bridge and social was conducted by the members of the St. Monica's Society. The attendance was encouraging, and all present had a very pleasant time. Prizes were won as follows: 1st, Miss K. E. Lawlor; 2nd, Mrs. Thomas Gorman, 3rd, Mrs. William Nagle; and 4th, Miss Agnes Sullivan. The reception committee consisted of Mrs. Jas. H. Doody and Mrs. D. P. Chisholm.

The refreshment committee was composed of Mrs. Frank Foster, Mrs. Leitch, Mrs. F. J. Hogan, Mrs. A. Wilson, Mrs. D. C. Deardon, Mrs. J. A. Barry, Miss Elizabeth Furlong, Miss Amelia Haley and Miss Marion Hogan; the hall committee, Mrs. Bohan, Miss Elizabeth McCarthy, Mrs. W. E. Scully, and Mrs. Thomas Fox. Mrs. John Keefe and Mrs. J. H. Ritchie presided at the tea table. The social and bridge was held to mark the close of what has been a very successful season with the members of St. Monica's.

C. P. R. CONDUCTOR PROBABLY FATALLY HURT IN MONTREAL

Montreal, Que., April 15—Robert McCleary, aged forty-eight, a C. P. R. conductor on the Quebec line, whose home is in Quebec, fell from a St. Denis street car yesterday afternoon and was taken unconscious to the general hospital. He was riding on the rear platform and prepared to alight. He lost his hold and fell to the street, striking heavily on his head. He is suffering from a fractured skull and serious internal injuries. Very little hope is held out for his recovery.

Ocean Rate-Cutting

London, April 15—The Times Berlin correspondent is officially informed that the North German Lloyd in company with the Hamburg-American line, has decided to reduce the steerage rate to Canada to 24 lbs.; the agreement to take effect on May 1, providing that no agreement is arrived at between the Atlantic "pool" and the C. P. R.

TWO LEAGUES AND MAY BE THREE FOR LOCAL BASEBALL

East End and City League Plans Are Progressing Well

The outlook for intermediate baseball in the city for the coming season is declared unusually bright, and already arrangements have practically been completed for the formation of two leagues, and there are prospects of having at least one more.

The East End League, in which so much interest was taken last year, will be to play again this season, and it is thought that some fast games will be seen on the league's grounds at Courtenay Bay. The officers of the league for the present year are—President, George Lobb; vice-president, Mr. Stafford; secretary, George Murray; treasurer, W. W. W. The teams comprising the league, with their managers, are as follows—Commercial, George Stubb; Glenwood, Ed. Tobin; Nationals, J. Donohue, and Alerts, Thomas Mullett.

The teams have all ordered new uniforms, and it has been decided, if the necessary arrangements can be made, to have a band in attendance at the opening game, which will take place on May 19. The schedule committee met last night and drew up a schedule of games which will be presented to a meeting of the league executive on Friday night for ratification. As last year, each team will play seven games. The grounds committee also met and reported that the grounds had been greatly enlarged, and it was decided to put 2 crew of men on the diamond to have it put into shape for the opening game.

The City League will play a series of evening games on the Marathon grounds, the first game to be played on May 19. The complete schedule has not yet been drawn up, but a meeting of the league will be called for some evening this week, when the final arrangements will be made. It has been decided, however, that the games shall be played on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of each week.

No arrangements have yet been made for the organization of the South End League, but it is expected that something will be done in that direction in a very short time.

HON. MR. FLEMING HERE ON THE WAY TO OTTAWA

Hon. J. K. Fleming, premier of the province, who arrived in the city today, announced that he will leave tomorrow night for Ottawa on government business. He will be accompanied by Hon. W. C. H. Gummer and, probably, by Hon. H. H. McLeod. While in the dominion capital they will confer with the federal government regarding several matters which are at issue between the province and the dominion. The most important matters to come up are the questions of increased dominion subsidy and the representation of the province in the dominion parliament.

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