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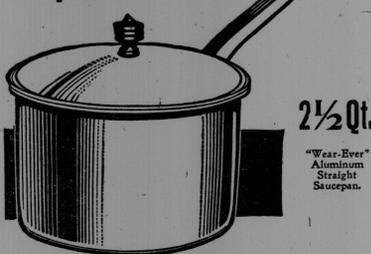
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ST. JOHN MAN WINS FAME AS ARTIST

C. "Rodick," Whose Coastal Paintings Attract Notice, is Charles Roderick.

Some St. John people are wondering if the "Charles Rodick" who is exhibiting some of his vividly green New England coastal pictures in Horne's Gallery, Boston, is not our own Charlie Roderick, who used to live in Pitt street—brother of Frank Roderick, prominent in athletic circles here about 25 years ago. The family split up, as families do, after the death of parents, and, moving to various places, were lost to local view. There are relatives in the city.

Why this question is being asked is perhaps due to the knowledge that Mr. Roderick, after leaving St. John unobscuredly as an artistic talent and, living in Portland, Me., took the nearby rugged coast with its dripping cliffs and headlands as his favorite subject-matter. The writer has enjoyed the ex-townman's canvases as they hung in the luxurious corners of a Portland theatre awaiting purchasers. This was five years ago.

Even at that time the pictures were attracting wide attention, and Mr. Roderick wondered if the gift of one of them would not be appreciated in his old home town as a patriotic drawing proposition or some other money-making scheme.

At that time Mr. Roderick explained that his name had been so much mis-spelled in the press that he had decided to abide by the mistake. Possibly that is why "Rodick" appears instead of Roderick. In an appreciative paragraph about one of the larger pictures entitled "Cape Elizabeth" the Boston Post's critic says:

"Vivid, brilliant green of a surprising clarity and transparency serves to make the marines in the foreground unusually attractive, and the outstanding type of his work now being shown at the Grace Home Gallery, on Stuart street.

"Grey cliffs and broken rock formation are rich and harmonious in coloring. There is a richness, a freedom in the waves that ably expresses the spirit of the sea. A green of even greater luminosity predominates in a second study of the sea, where the foreground is occupied by rocks of a deep rich brown.

"In sharp contrast to these brilliantly colored marines is a smaller canvas of a unique theme. They tops of the fisherfolk stand on the top of high grey cliffs, at the base of which the sea is peacefully ponding. A soft grey fog prevails over the entire picture, lending an altogether pleasing delicacy."

THINKS SERVICE WILL BE POPULAR

Power Co. Manager Speaks of Extra Saturday Night Car.

In spite of the bad weather, the patronage of the special rate street car service between the head of King street and West St. John, inaugurated on Sunday morning, has been so good as to warrant its continuance, says M. A. Pooler, general manager of the N. B. Power Co. He would hardly pay extra operating expenses, he felt that the service was worth while and it was therefore decided to continue it.

TO GIVE BENEFIT CONCERT.

The boys of Knox church who presented a successful minstrel show on Friday night have offered to repeat the performance at an early date for the benefit of the Animal Rescue League, and their offer has been gratefully accepted. The league's work is being carried on successfully in the new quarters in 107 St. David's street, but funds are urgently needed.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram" said The Times reporter to Mr. Hiram Hornbeam, "I disagreed with a gentleman the other day." "I do that most every day," said Hiram. "And because I did so," went on the reporter, "I was told I would be killed." "That wouldn't settle the question—even if you was," quoth Hiram. "You was right—or you was wrong. If you was right your funeral wouldn't make the other feller right—would it?" "Quite so," said the reporter—"but the threat see thinking." "That sort of thing," said Hiram, "is what makes wars an' crimes an' squabbles. It splits families, an' churches, an' countries. I don't say the other feller orto agree with me all the time. But if him an' me sot down to talk it out with us—even if we still couldn't see eye to eye we'd come near enough to it to hev some respect fer one another—yes, sir. The feller that always hes a chip on his shoulder don't naturally git all he wants. It aint human nature to let him do it. Now you take a man that hes modest ideas about how much he knows—an' he'll hev more friends than all the know-it-all critters in the place. When I was a young feller I thought I knowed it all—an' I guess I done some braggin' about it, too—but I hed enough savin' common sense to find out after a while that all the brains o' The Settlement wasn't under my hat—an' it done me a lot o' good—by hen!"

LOCAL NEWS

NO LECTURE TONIGHT

There will be no lecture in the L. O. D. E. lecture course at the Board of Trade tonight. The next one will not be until after New Years.

N. B. TEMPERANCE ALLIANCE

The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Temperance Alliance, will be held in this city on Dec. 4, and notice sent out remarks that "the present situation in the province calls for united action."

DISCHARGING RIFLE HEARD.

A case against Gordon Donovan of St. Patrick street will be heard in the Police Court tomorrow morning. He is charged with firing of a 22-calibre rifle in a yard in the rear of 61 St. Patrick street.

PICKED FANSIES TODAY

East St. John comes to the front this morning with out of season flowers, a fine bouquet of pansies having been brought to The Times office by A. W. McIntyre, who picked them in his garden this morning.

WOMAN IN NUMBER.

Fourteen women were appeared in the Police Court this morning to answer charges of drunkenness. All pleaded guilty and each was fined \$8 or two months in jail.

MORE ARE ON WAY.

Additional members of the winter staff of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine are due to leave Montreal today for this city. They will stay here during the winter months.

THEY ALSO HELPED.

The names of Mrs. Mary Seymour, Mrs. McKim, Mrs. Childers, Mrs. J. J. and Mrs. Evelyn McKim should have been added to the list of those assisting at Saturday's Carmarthen street tea and sale.

TO PRESENT CUP.

The presentation of the cup won by Harry Giggey at the Millidgeville meet this summer, the Ross Cup emblem, today for this city. The championship of St. John will be made tomorrow afternoon at 2:45 in the office of Mayor Fisher.

ASKS ABOUT PRIZE MONEY.

Commissioner Thornton this morning asked the Mayor what had been done about paying the prize money owing to the winners in the dry dock celebration parade and His Worship said he had not yet received any official notification to whom the money was to be paid.

PLEASED WITH ATTENDANCE.

In the Cathedral yesterday His Lordship Bishop Le Blanc congratulated the people on the large attendance at the recently established services, night prayer conducted each evening in the Cathedral. He said the members attending equalled the congregation at Sunday Vespers and Benediction.

PANSIES ON NOV. 26

Mrs. E. E. Brown, 69 Dufferin avenue, near the Arena, plucked a bouquet of pansies in her garden this morning, and remarks that the grass is still as green as in the early autumn. And this is the 26th of November, with deep snow in Montreal and New York State.

GETS HIS LIGHT BACK.

The "silent policeman" at the corner of Sydney street and King Square fell on Saturday night, and the lantern was smashed. The accident happened on the bank of the automobile. The owner of the automobile purchased a new lantern and it was placed in position by a policeman.

PREPARE FOR BANQUET

The St. John city and county members of the legislature had a meeting this morning to complete arrangements for the banquet to be given in honor of Premier Veniot on next Thursday in Pythian Castle. A large attendance is assured. Hon. D. H. King and Hon. A. B. Copp will be present. Hon. W. E. Foster, ex-Premier, will propose the health of the present Premier.

APPOINTMENT TOMORROW.

Announcement of the successor to E. W. Paul as district commissioner will be made at the council meeting tomorrow afternoon. It was said this morning by E. M. Olive, chairman of the Board of Assessors. Commissioner Pringle in speaking of this matter this morning recalled the days when this office was one of the perquisites of the aldermen representing the ward.

HORSE AND WAGON CAUGHT.

A horse and wagon owned by H. C. Robertson and with Samuel Orr as driver got into difficulties in Duke street Saturday night. The horse and part of the wagon became caught in a sewer, and a call was sent to police tenders for assistance. The horse was freed without injury, but the whiffle-tree and cross-bar of the wagon were broken. A warning was sent to the Chief of the Fire Department to be careful in event of a fire in that locality, as the hole would endanger the horses as well as the drivers.

CASE IS SETTLED

It was reported to Mr. Justice Grimmer this morning in the Chancery Court, when the injunction case of F. E. Williams against F. L. Potts came up, that the matter had been settled out of court and the judge therefore ruled that each side should bear its own costs. In this matter Mr. Williams sought an injunction to restrain Mr. Potts from continuing a sale of the furnishings of the Dufferin Hotel but the necessary arrangements were made before the application came to trial. Porter and Ritchie appeared in behalf of Mr. Williams and K. A. Wilson for Mr. Potts.

GIVEN DINNER BY FRIENDS.

About 40 of his friends tendered a dinner to Jack Friedman at the Hotel Donlop on Saturday evening in honor of his approaching marriage to Miss Rose Selig of Moncton. Max Marcus was chairman. During the evening J. J. Selig, on behalf of the company assembled, presented to Mr. Friedman a handsome traveling bag. The gift was acknowledged in a pleasing manner. There were excellent speeches given during the evening. The chairman proposed a toast to The King. The toast to the guest of honor was given by M. L. Selig, and the toast to the bride by Eli Boyaner. S. E. Komlensky proposed The Boys, and H. L. Marcus proposed the toast to the ladies.

FORMER ST. JOHN PASTOR THERE

Rev. P. J. Stackhouse's Church, Chicago, Has Its 90th Anniversary.

The First Baptist Church of Chicago is celebrating its ninetieth anniversary. The pastors is Rev. Perry J. Stackhouse, D. D., a former pastor of the Tabernacle Church in St. John, and the special preacher for the occasion is Dr. Austin K. De Blois, of the First Baptist Church, Boston, a Nova Scotian who was once a principal of the Baptist Seminary in St. Marks, D. The services began yesterday and will close on Wednesday night. The congregation is asked to make an anniversary offering of \$3,000, and to pledge contributions of \$20,000 in four years, in connection with a new Bible School and Community House of which the corner stone was laid yesterday.

The subjects of Dr. De Blois' sermons yesterday were The Spirit of the Fathers and Our Baptist Message in a Changing World. This evening he addresses the Men's Club on The Chicago Man and the Master of Men. It is an interesting fact that two brilliant sons of the Maritime Provinces should figure so prominently in these services. Dr. Stackhouse is an author as well as a preacher, and has pursued a notable career since he left St. John. Gives History.

WEEK-END RAINFALL NEARLY TWO INCHES

Total Precipitation to Date Same as For Whole of 1921

The rainfall of Saturday was measured at 1.9 inches by the gauges at the Meteorological Observatory in Douglas avenue and the total rainfall for the precipitation of the year 1923 to date up to 8:17 inches, which is exactly the same as the total rainfall for the year 1921, the season of unprecedented summer drought. In 1921, however, there was a heavy rain on November. The months from May to November, inclusive, this year showed an unusually small rainfall. Dr. L. Hutchinson said last night. For that period this year there has been 21.17 inches of rain as compared with 20.4 in 1921, the season of drought, and 20.5 in 1914, and 19.2 in 1889, which was the driest year in which that period of which there is any record.

Total precipitation for one year showed that 1889 was not the driest year on record as in the whole year the rainfall was just 37.1, while in 1914 the year's precipitation was only 35.5 inches. Up to the present time there has been 4.70 inches of rainfall this month and that is slightly above the average. The temperature, however, has been exceptionally high.

WORK FOR POOR IS REPORTED ON

Annual Financial Statement of St. Vincent de Paul Society Presented.

The annual statement of St. Vincent de Paul Society was read at the masses in the Cathedral on Sunday. The year was started on Nov. 25 1922 with a balance of \$1,202.91. Receipts during the year included \$1,228.66 from Cathedral collection; \$42.98, received from members; \$24 from rental of room; \$48.64 from interest; \$56 from donations, including \$20 from J. J. McGaffigan and \$20 from C. W. Hope Grant. The total was \$2,788.89. The expenditures included \$238.85 for groceries; \$491.10 for coal, \$158.67 for boots; \$62.23 for clothing; \$18.98 for meat; \$18.80 for bread; \$9 for lighting; \$29.20 for repairs. The balance on hand is \$1,467.66.

This society cares for the poor of the parish. It was too early, His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc said, to say what would be the needs in the coming winter but there were always many poor. He said the annual collection would be taken up on next Sunday and he commended this charity to the generosity of his people, saying they could not give to a better cause. The society was doing a fine work, no salaries were paid; all was done free and the members even taxed themselves to increase the receipts.

THEIR CHILD DEAD.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Downer will learn with deep regret of the death of their infant son, Harry Scovill, which took place on Sunday, Nov. 25, at their residence, 78 St. James street, West End.

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