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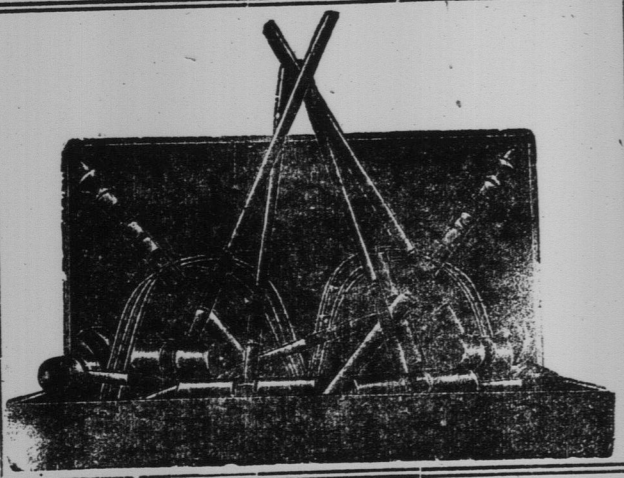
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LOCAL NEWS

WORDS OF THANKS Miss Grace Cooper has returned home from the General Public Hospital after a serious illness and her relatives wish to thank the doctors and nurses of the hospital staff, also her many friends for kindness extended.

ALL IN BAD ORDER When tests of the stop cocks on the water mains in Charlotte street were made, it was found that every one was in bad order. The water and sewerage department is now engaged in renewing them and, in order to hasten the work, the men are putting in three hours overtime each evening.

FLAG DAYS Tomorrow, Friday, will be the anniversary of the coronation of their Majesties the King and Queen; Saturday the 23rd will be the birthday of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, and Sunday will be the birthday of the Baptist's anniversary of the discovery of St. John in 1604. On account of the war the only observance of these days will be the flying of flags.

FIRE LOSS ADJUSTED The loss sustained by the Knox Electric Company in the recent fire in Dock street has been adjusted by C. E. L. Jarvis at \$1,500 on the stock, \$196.50 on tools and machinery and \$144 on office furniture and fixtures. F. S. Whittaker placed the loss sustained by John O'Pray at \$355. Edgar Fairweather adjusted the loss of the American Cloak Mfg. Co. at \$2,100 and to the building at \$10,960.

GOOD GOING The tug G. S. Mayes, Captain J. K. Livingstone, commanding, which left St. John for Halifax on last Tuesday morning, had to put into Yarmouth about eleven o'clock on account of thick fog and heavy seas. She left Yarmouth again last night and reached Halifax this morning. Her actual running time from St. John to Halifax was twenty-six and a half hours, which is regarded as remarkable under the weather conditions prevailing.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY Relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett J. Ring on Wednesday evening to celebrate the silver anniversary of their wedding. A most enjoyable time was spent by all present and in honor of the occasion Mr. and Mrs. Ring were made recipients of a handsome leather-upholstered rocking chair. John F. Ring in a graceful manner made the presentation address. Light refreshments were served and games enjoyed until a late hour, when the party dispersed wishing Mr. and Mrs. Ring many such anniversaries. They were married forty years on Wednesday by Rev. Canon Harrison, then rector of St. Luke's church, this city.

WOUNDED FOR SECOND TIME IN A MONTH

Mrs. John King of 91 Newman street, has received the following letter from the Canadian Red Cross Society for action bureau, London, relative to her son, Corporal H. B. King, recently wounded: Dear Madam— I beg to advise you that Corp. H. B. King, No. 644601, who is now at Sycamore Road Military Hospital, Nottingham, Eng., has been seen by an injured Red Cross volunteer who found him suffering from shrapnel wounds in the head, but we hear from his doctor that it is not severe. He will be visited regularly and we would like to report of his condition from time to time. If we can send him any extra comforts, other than those supplied by the hospital, it will be our pleasure to do so. Yours truly, CONSTANCE SCOTT, M. M.

Corporal King has been overseas since June, 1915, and has seen severe fighting. He passed through all until last month. The present is the second wound he has received. Many St. John friends will watch for news of his speedy recovery.

THEFT BY BOY; JUNK DEALERS IN COURT

The arrest of a sixteen-year-old boy by Detective Duncan yesterday afternoon on a charge of theft of a quantity of type and pieces of metal from the D. F. Brown Paper Box Company in Canterbury street, brought forth some interesting developments in the juvenile court this morning. One was that a charge of not keeping records of second-hand goods when purchased was laid against Selick & Freedman, junk dealers, in Nelson street.

At the case proceeded Mr. Brown said that he did not wish to prosecute the boy but he would like to have the thefts stopped. His firm had lost in the vicinity of 300 pounds of metal, which was today worth \$1 a pound. There were also some valuable types missing. Mr. Brown had identified many of the types and pieces of metal found in a barrel at the junk store of Selick and Freedman and which the boy had admitted selling to Marcus Freedman, a clerk, who was left in charge of the defendant's store at times.

The boy told the court that he had been taking the metal from the Brown concern, where he was employed, since last winter. He had made as many as nine trips and had been paid about four cents a pound for it. He said he had sold about seven times to an old man in the store, Marcus Freedman, and once to Mr. Freedman, a part owner of the business. The latter purchase was denied.

J. King Kelley appeared for Selick & Freedman. The court said that there was no point remained clear that there was no evidence in the firm's books as to when and from whom the metal was purchased. "This should not be," said the magistrate, "if there were no receivers there would be no thefts."

TO TEACH GIRLS AND OTHERS BEST WAY TO PRESERVE FOODS

Domestic Science Teachers Volunteer so to Spend Their Vacation—Meeting Here Soon

The domestic science teachers of New Brunswick have volunteered to devote half of their coming vacation to teaching the girls and others interested in the province the best methods of preserving and conserving food materials. This is their contribution to the movement for greater production. In order to secure the best results the officers of the education department are now engaged in organizing the girls of all the counties into clubs for summer and fall work. Each club will be visited during the coming season by a household science teacher, who will spend a week or ten days with it. The girls and the teacher will meet in a room to be provided by the local school board. To this room will be brought all manner of native fruits and vegetables, which will be canned or otherwise preserved under the supervision of the expert.

The girls, in addition, will be given talks on food values, possible substitutions that may be made to advantage, the elimination of waste, etc. The boys and girls, under the direction of Mr. Steeves, of the agricultural department, and the inspectors of schools, have this spring been urged and helped to produce large quantities of garden truck. This movement among the girls is designed to make every possible pound of such stuff available for consumption next winter or when it may be needed.

The domestic science teachers who have volunteered for such important work, and who are serving for the time mentioned without any remuneration whatever, are to be congratulated upon the practical form their patriotic effort is to take. They will no doubt be received gladly and sympathetically by all communities to which they may be assigned.

ONE CAR TRACK IN PRINCE WILLIAM

Outlook For Next Month When Water Main is Being Renewed

It is expected that Prince William street will be stayed by only one street car track next month. This will be due to the operations of the water and sewerage department in renewing the water main through the length of the street. The present main is laid directly under the track on the eastern side. At first it was suggested that this line be abandoned and the new main laid on one side of the track, but it was found that there was no room to carry out this suggestion.

The street railway company was given the alternative of removing one of their gas mains or taking up the track while the pipe-laying operations were in progress, and they chose the latter alternative. The tracks will be removed entirely, thus giving the department an excellent chance to hurry along the work, and, when the water main is completed, the tracks will be relaid.

THE LANCASTER MAIN

Commissioner Makes Explanation of Change of Plans on Engineer's Recommendation

Inquiries have been made by residents of Fairville regarding the prospects for the renewal of the water main in Main street, in connection with the improvement of the sewerage system. They mention that merchants and others have been somewhat inconvenienced by the pipes which have lain in the street since last fall, but which they expected to see used in that section for the renewal of the main from Barnhill's corner to the Carleton reservoir. Lancaster people also have been looking forward to the establishment of a pumping station at the reservoir. As it is, the work laid out for this year is the laying of 5,000 feet of pipe from Barnhill's corner out the Manawagonish road as far as James Manchester's property.

In explanation of the change in the plans, Commissioner Wigmore said this morning that the work undertaken this year was being carried on because of the recommendation of Engineer McIntyre. The engineer advised that this section was the more important, both in avoiding the danger of a serious breakdown of the service and also with regard to the improvement of the supply and pressure on the heights. When it was a choice between the two sections, he strongly recommended that which has been undertaken and his recommendation was adopted.

The fact that any work is being done this year is due partly to the fact that the cast iron pipe was purchased last year, before it became so costly. If the prices continue to advance, it is possible that the city may not be able to carry on the work from Barnhill's corner to the reservoir next year, as had been planned.

Meanwhile, good progress is being made and it is expected that about 100 feet of pipe will be laid this afternoon. The water and sewerage department is laying about 200 feet of pipe in Princess street today, bringing the line nearly to the corner of Wentworth.

EXCURSION TO HAMPTON Steamer Hampton will leave Indian town tomorrow, Friday, June 22, 2 p.m., for Hampton. Tickets going by steamer and return by railway, \$1.

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