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KANDER J. LEBLANC,
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Excellent Performance.

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ON THE HOLIDAY

Artillery band concert in

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The Standard

That there is no place for yesterday's news in to-day's paper, is the policy of St. John's newest daily. It is the policy that has already placed THE STANDARD in the first ranks, and it is destined for a circulation second to none in the Maritime Provinces. THE STANDARD intends to co-operate with its advertisers in building up their business. The following list will give some idea of our city circulation:

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F. S. PURDY—96 Wall street.
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W. GREEN—23 Winter street.
H. R. COLEMAN—67 Winter street.
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MRS. DWYER—171 Union street.
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H. J. MOWATT—Haymarket square.
G. C. BEAMAN—19 Haymarket square.
L. P. GREENSLADE—295 City road.
M. WATT—151 City road.
R. R. PATCHELL—271 Stanley street.
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PARK DRUG STORE—312 Brussels street.
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J. V. HOLLAND—123 St. Patrick street.
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CARLETON:

E. R. W. INGRAHAM—127 Union street.
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P. NASE & SONS—Indiantown.
D. H. NASE—15 Main street.
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A. J. MYLES—69 Simonds street.
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E. J. MAHONEY—279 Main street.
A. McGUIRE—249 Main street.
M. J. MURPHY—149 Main street.
J. E. COWAN—99 Main street.
W. H. J. MAHONEY—23 Main street.
W. H. J. MAHONEY—37 Millville street.
C. SCOTT—Cor. Adelaide road and Main street.
DUPE'S DRUG STORE—537 Main street.
GIBSON—661 Main street.
A. TRIFTS—132 Main street.
H. DUNHAM—115 Main street.
McARTHUR—545 Main street.
W. W. GREENSLADE—578 Main street.
J. D. DURICK—403 Main street.
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PROVINCIAL NEWS ITEMS

DALHOUSIE.

Dalhousie, N. B., June 28.—Last Friday evening the St. John's Social and Literary Club held its closing session at Inch Arran House. A fine programme was carried out, and about sixty members took part. This club was organized early in the winter, and was a success in every respect. A weekly session was held in which the different phases of social life were discussed. It is the intention of the club to take up its social duties during the coming winter.

The community regrets very much that Mr. George Hallett and family are leaving shortly for Montreal. Mr. Hallett has sold his property here and intends entering into business in Montreal in partnership with several other gentlemen.

Mr. Hallett has a host of friends here won by his affable disposition and kindly manner.

Mrs. Charles Doyle and family are spending the summer months here with Mr. Doyle.

Mrs. Peter Shannon and family are spending the week in Campbellton.

Agnes Montgomery, of St. John, is spending the summer with her grandmother, Mrs. William Montgomery, at Amherst, N. S. is spending his holidays with his parents, Sheriff and Mrs. J. E. Stewart.

A well arranged patriotic programme was carried out yesterday in St. John's Presbyterian church, in connection with the Sunday school.

Miss Annie Miller, who has been spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. Clark, Quinsy, Mass., has returned home.

Miss Annie Karr, recent graduate of Kerr's Business College, St. John, has accepted a position with Beringer & Chapin Co. here.

Master Walter Sheehan is home from Prince Edward Island where he has been attending school at St. Dunstan's.

Alle LeBlanc is spending his vacation here with his parents—home from Memramcook.

Leo Comeau is home from St. Joseph's, Memramcook.

Miss Rosalind Ferguson, daughter of Dr. A. G. Ferguson, is spending her vacation with her parents. Miss Ferguson has been attending a ladies' college for the past year at Ottawa.

AVONMORE.

Avonmore, June 28.—The steam shovel moved into the gravel pit last Thursday, and is at work now loading gravel trains to ballast up the N. B. Coal and Railway Co. road from Cosdy's to Chipman.

Fred E. Sharp's imported Clydesdale mare has a very fine colt after the imported stallion King's College.

The district road work will be done this week under the new Highway Act. It is going to be very satisfactory to the people and beneficial to the roads, and we look for good results from it.

Rev. Mr. Farley preached in the hall yesterday at 11 a. m., to a very large congregation.

Abraham Mercer, of Waltham, Mass., is visiting at the residence of her son, Frank Mercer.

Mr. Thomas Huggard, of Norton, has leased the house and land of Mr. McLeod Kierstead, and will move here very soon. He intends to grow strawberries extensively.

Leslie Huggard and Wesley Howe leave tomorrow for Sussex for the annual drill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Henderson and daughter were the guests of Mrs. Coleman at Springfield.

WHITE'S COVE.

White's Cove, June 28.—While S. J. Austin was hauling lumber on Thursday, one of his horses died on the road. It was a young animal and is a big loss to Mr. Austin.

Mrs. Met Straight, of Caribou, Me., is visiting her father, Mr. B. L. White.

Miss Mary Duroc and friend, Miss Kimble, who spent a few days with friends, have returned to Portland, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Spragg, of North End, St. John, came here Saturday by the May Queen and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thompson, Mill Cove.

The big storm of last week blew down one of Eben Scribner's barns, destroying his pump and carriage and also damaged some garden stuff.

Strawberries will soon be fit for market, and it looks as if the crop would be a good one in this section. Potatoes and oats are looking fine, and with favorable weather should be a good crop.

Miss L. White, of the Narrows, will take the school for another term in this district.

Hon. L. P. Farris, Com. of G. T. P., police, leaves this morning for up river. He has a vacation.

Rev. A. C. Bell, of Apohaqui, is expected to exchange services for the next two weeks with Rev. J. S. Gregg.

CLIFTON AND MOSS GLEN.

Clifton, June 28.—At the annual meeting at Clifton it was decided to join that school with Kingston Consolidated School.

At the meeting held at Moss Glen, recently, it was decided to re-elect Mr. A. G. Green trustee, also Mr. N. N. Puddington to take the place of Mr. G. Green, who has removed from the district.

Although Miss Dickson, of Jubilee, who has had charge of this school the present term, resigned. Yet the trustees were successful in re-engaging her for the ensuing term.

Mrs. Holder, of North End, has been visiting her old home, the guest of Mrs. A. G. Green.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Puddington met at their home on the 25th to celebrate their silver wedding. It was also the second anniversary of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Puddington.

The steamer Premier arrived at Clifton wharf on Saturday evening.

The friends of Mrs. O. W. Wetmore are sorry to learn that she has suffered a relapse and is still lying very ill.

Miss Stratton, of Fredericton, is at present the guest of Mrs. E. N. Merritt.

Mr. Burgess, ex-road commissioner, passed through this place last week winding up his business, and the residents of this Moss Glen District are turning out en masse to perform the necessary road work.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Puddington paid a flying visit to Kingston yesterday. Miss Hazel Puddington is spending a few days with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hays.

MARKHAMVILLE.

Markhamville, June 28.—Mr. Bert Mills, who is working in Apohaqui, spent Sunday at his home here.

Miss Florence McFarland spent several days last week visiting friends in Lison Settlement.

Messrs. John Mills, Wesley McFarland and Isaac Scott have gone with their teams to Camp Sussex.

The half yearly public examination was held in the school here Friday, June 25th. Forty-two visitors were present, including the secretary, two trustees, and two other teachers.

Those who made perfect attendance during the term are: Harvey McFarland, Millage Proctor and Tommy Proctor, the latter not being yet six years old. The school closed on Friday, the trustees making the teacher a present of the last three days.

On Monday, June 21, the Markhamville and Hammond Dale schools met on the grounds of Mr. William Crowe, Jr., and had a picnic. A number of the parents and other friends were present. Although a slight thunder storm came up a good time was enjoyed by all.

Miss Laura McFarland spent the week in Hammond Vale, the guest of Mrs. Thos. Kelly.

Mrs. Sadie Peters, of Upper Hammond, is visiting friends in this place.

THE CIVIL SERVICE.

To the Editor of The Standard:
Sir—In this morning's issue of your paper I notice that out of 35 vacancies for sub-division B, of Class II, civil service, only eight out of eleven competitors were successful, and these from a country of over seven million people. This is a verily poor showing.

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