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It is important that advertisers in The Evening Times take notice that under the prevailing conditions due to change of time on the railroads, this newspaper is obliged to issue one hour earlier than usual, in order to make mail connections and, consequently, begin work an hour earlier in the day, therefore the business office will be open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. (old time) and advertisers are requested to have their copy in the office one hour earlier than usual. This to ensure prompt service and changes.

LOCAL NEWS

PIONEER DAYS IN ST. JOHN
The Venerable Archdeacon Raymond (formerly rector of St. Mary's church) now residing in Toronto, has written a publication in the St. John press a sketch of Pioneer Days in St. John, which he has asked to be dedicated to the president and members of the St. John Board of Trade. It will be published in consecutive issues of this paper, beginning tomorrow and should be read with great interest.

IN MILITARY RESIDENCE HERE
Major Pugh, late of Montreal, has removed his home from the big city to the ordinance department residence, 278 Sydney street, this city. Lieut.-Col. A. H. Anderson preceded Major Pugh in this position. Mrs. Pugh joined her husband yesterday and their household effects are to arrive for immediate institution of the home here. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Pugh who live in this city are glad of their taking up residence here and assure their ex-Montreal acquaintances of a hearty welcome into their circles.

HALIFAX SHOWMAN HERE
Donald J. Macdonald, manager of the Casino Theatre in Göttingen street, Halifax, one of the prominent theatrical men of Lower Canada, was a visitor to this city yesterday en route to New York on a semi-annual business trip. Mr. Macdonald has a house in Sydney as well and has for years been identified with the amusements of that busy place. He was the prime mover in the flotation and erection of the splendid new Casino in Halifax in which company considerable stock is held in St. John.

GOOD MOVE, BUT WHY THERE?
A garbage heap of ample proportions has been placed at the eastern lower corner of the old burying ground, and it is expected the mass and debris which has characterized this busy traffic point for a long time will now be dumped out of sight. Some are curious to know, however, why a box of this kind should be located within the grounds at all. It seems a queer place for a large dirt-catcher, right amongst the graves of Loyalists and on the edge of a greenward breaking up what scheme and design the place may possess.

IDDOLS-MIDDLETON
On the 17th instant, at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Mr. Dowling, the marriage of Miss Mabel Middleton and Chas. A. Idolls was solemnized. Mrs. Idolls is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Middleton of this city, and the groom is a well-known Charlotte street locksmith. They were the recipients of many beautiful gifts testifying to their popularity. Among the presents received were a silver service and tray from the staff of The McClary Manufacturing Co., with whom the bride was associated. Mr. and Mrs. Idolls will reside at 78 Elm street and have the best wishes of many friends.

AGE OF ADMISSION TO NORMAL SCHOOL 17

Board of Education to Take up This Matter, Also Question of Teachers' Salaries

Dr. W. S. Carter of Fredericton, superintendent of education, is in the city today. He said this morning that he was here to attend the Church of England synod, as a representative from Kingston, Kings county, and also to attend a meeting of the board of education. There is a long schedule of routine business to be transacted by the board as well as new business to be brought up. The board is to be asked to place the age of admission into the Normal school at seventeen, as before the war. As a war measure the age of admission was put at sixteen, for it was seen that the number of teachers was decreasing and this age was adopted so that more teachers could be obtained. As one year's notice is necessary to change the age of admission, this will not take effect until 1920. It is the intention of the board of education at the coming session to appoint a committee to discuss and consider teachers' salaries. Dr. Carter said this morning in connection with illiteracy in New Brunswick that strangers coming into the province measure the growing mass in educational matters by the number of school children in proportion to the population. In other provinces in Canada the children are allowed to go to school at the age of five years, while here they have to be six years old. Thus if it were taken into consideration that in this province there are about 15,000 children between the ages of five and six it will be found that the number of school children in proportion to the population of this province compares very favorably with the number in other provinces. If in other provinces the age of admission into the schools were placed at six years, Dr. Carter is staying at the Dufferin.

THE EXHIBITION BUILDINGS TO MOOSEPATH PARK?

It is reported that the exhibition buildings may be moved to Moosepath. The reasons given are that the military authorities, who are at present occupying the buildings, will in all probability need the grounds, which belong to the military, and even if they have to give them up the buildings will have to be entirely renovated, which, it is said, the dominion government has promised to do. It is held that it would be much better to build at Moosepath, where the exhibition would be near the race course, of easy access from St. John, and right along the government railway and the government would give at least as much assistance as the renovation of the old buildings would cost. Altogether it is regarded by many as a desirable scheme.

ONLY HALF HOUR TO CHOOSE JURY

Trial of Three Men on Charge of Murdering East Indian is Begun

The trial of James Sterling, colored; Ahmed Abdurrahman and Sultan Rassone, East Indians, on the charge of having murdered Sabid Hassan on December 26, last year, by cutting his throat with a razor, was commenced in the circuit court this morning before His Honor Chief Justice McKeown. The selection of the jury occupied no more than half an hour, there being only three challenges. Upon the jury being selected, His Honor announced that the jurors would be given time to telephone or send word to their homes that they would be kept together at the Edward Hotel until the finish of the case. The juryman selected are: Evan Fitzgerald, C. N. Hogstad, Frank N. Lewis, James S. Porter, John K. Parsons, C. A. Williams, W. H. Ross, R. F. Potts, Joseph P. Mott, Albert Kindred, George W. Currie, and James Rogers. Dr. W. B. Wallace, K.C., who is acting for the crown, outlined his case to the jury. The trial will be resumed this afternoon. J. A. Barry is appearing for Sterling, J. W. Tait and W. R. Scott for the other defendants.

PYTHIANS IN ST. JOHN NUMBER 782

Report of Grand Lodge of Maritime Provinces Refers to Matters of Interest

In the printed report of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias of the maritime provincial domain to hand it is shown that there are thirty-three lodges of the order in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, with a membership of close to 3,600. In the city of St. John the three lodges aggregate in membership, 782. While two St. John lodges—New Brunswick No. 1 Bathhouse, a civil servant in Washington, conceived the idea, and upon the legend of Damon and Pythias of ancient Greece, the tenets and purposes of the order were founded. Since that time it has grown to enormous proportions. In connection with the Red Cross ambulance donation made by the maritime province Knights early in the war, it was brought out in the report referred to that near 1,000 cases had been cared for in it up to the time the military communication was received early last summer. The grand lodge reports ninety Knights having taken part in the late war, four of whom died on the field of honor.

THE WAR OVER; HE IS GOING TO THE FAR WEST TO RAISE CATTLE

H. Trueman Hunter's War Record Gives Indication of Success to be Achieved

H. Trueman Hunter formerly of this city but later of Winnipeg, who returned from overseas on the S. S. Empress of Britain on March 30, left on last Friday evening for Montreal, whence he will proceed to Winnipeg. After spending a few days there he will start for the Peace River District, where he intends taking a homestead and raising cattle. His many friends here and elsewhere wish him much success. The persistency of this young man is shown by the number of times he tried to enlist for overseas service. On account of poor eyesight he was turned down eight times before he was finally taken on with the 200th Winnipeg Grenadiers on April 20, 1910. In September, 1910, he was taken in a draft for the 100th Winnipeg Grenadiers, with which he went to England. After being turned down in England several times, he at last went to France with the 5th Canadian Railway Troops on July 1817. With them he served until the end of the war. He is the son of John W. Hunter of Fair Vale, Kings County, formerly of this city.

DEATH OF ABRAM G. STONE OF GRAFTON.

(Special to Times.)
Woodstock, N. B., April 29.—Abram G. Stone of Grafton died last evening after a short illness. He was the oldest land surveyor in New Brunswick and among crown land officials was known as "Daddy." He was eighty-eight years and eleven months of age and was born in Sunbury county but for thirty years had lived in Grafton. He is survived by his wife, four sons—William M. of St. John, Wentworth of Cuba, Arthur of Grafton, and Leverett G. of Woodstock; and two daughters, Zillah and Gladys at home. The funeral will be held Wednesday at 2.30.

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