

## QUALIFICATIONS OF PHYSICIANS.

Council of Physicians and Surgeons Have a Bill With New Regulations Before Legislature.

WILL BE OPPOSED

As it Tends to Unduly Increase the Monopoly to be Enjoyed by Doctors of the old School.

Under the bill introduced in the Legislature on behalf of the Council of Physicians and Surgeons every person desirous of practicing as a medical man shall attend a course of four sessions of six months each extending over four years at some college of medicine of good standing, to include lectures and instruction in anatomy, practical anatomy, chemistry, practical chemistry, physiology, histology, materia medica, therapeutics, hygiene, pathology, diseases of women and children, medicine, surgery, obstetrics, bacteriology and medical jurisprudence, and attend upon the general practice of a hospital of not less than fifty beds for not less than twelve months and shall pass an examination in the before mentioned subjects. On any person applying for admission as a practitioner of any system of medicine a majority of the registered practitioners of the system, or failing them, the Medical Council, shall be allowed to appoint an examiner of the particular theories of that system with regard to materia medica, pharmacy and therapeutics.

Section 40 reads as follows: If any person not registered or licensed under the act shall for hire, gain or hope of reward, practice or profess to practice medicine or treat or attempt to cure or alleviate any ailment or infirmity, physical or mental, in any manner whatsoever, unless under the advice or by the direction of a duly qualified practitioner, he shall be liable to a penalty of twenty dollars for each and every offense.

There is a saving clause, No. 49, which exempts any necessary treatment not given for hire or hope of reward, and which permits women to assist in confinement cases "as heretofore accustomed."

Throughout the province generally there is a very strong opposition to the proposal in the Medical Act aimed at the practise of healing by all but regular medical practitioners. Petitions against this portion of the act are now in circulation not only in St. John, but in Moncton, Chatham, Shediac and other places throughout the province, and when the matter comes before the legislative committee the council of the Medical society will find they have to face a very powerful and influential lobby. The clause of the bill to which objection is taken is section 40 which is directed not only against those who practise osteopathy, but against all engaged in any form of medical treatment, and would make osteopaths, Christian Scientists, massage givers, corn doctors and all others engaged in any form of healing liable to the penalty imposed.

## OBITUARY

### MRS. JEREMIAH FITZPATRICK

Mrs. Jeremiah Fitzpatrick, formerly Miss Kate Ryan of Chatham, died in Calais, Maine, on Friday of pneumonia. The remains were brought to Chatham, and the funeral took place from her mother's residence, Water Street on Monday.

### MRS. EVERETT O'DONNELL

(Contributed.)  
DERRY, North'd Co., N.B.—At the home of her mother, Mrs. Annie Clouston, on Friday, March 19th, Kate Flora, beloved wife of Everett O'Donnell, died at the age of 33 years, leaving a husband and one child, besides a mother, brother and sister to mourn their loss, but what is their loss, is her eternal gain.

Our sister was a consistent Christian and also a member of the U. B. church at this place. She will be greatly missed by all. She has entered into her rest from all her labors and her works will follow her. Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord. Funeral service was attended by the Rev. H. D. Worden of Whitneyville.

### DAVID WARD.

The death of David Ward occurred at his home in Blissfield, on March 22nd. Mr. Ward had been in poor health the greater part of the past ten years, and was confined to his bed during the last three weeks. He was a member of the Baptist church, in which he was a great worker. He was born in Blackville, but spent his married life in Blissfield. In 1866 he was married to Miss Emeline Gilks of Blissfield and to them seven children were born, three sons and four daughters. One daughter died some years ago. Mr. Ward spent the greater part of his life in farming and lumbering and had much success.

### PLINY R. TOZER.

The death of Pliny R. Tozer, son of Robert Tozer of Exmoor, occurred at the residence of Melvin Sutherland, Lyttleton, on the 2nd instant. Deceased, who was only 17 years old, had been sick three weeks with spinal meningitis. He was a bright and promising young man whose untimely death is much regretted. He is survived by his father, and eight brothers and sisters among whom are: Otto, Walker, and Oakley, of Lyttleton; Robert at home; Mrs. Melvin Sutherland, Lyttleton, and Miss Flossie residing at Renous River. The funeral took place in Whitneyville Baptist cemetery on Sunday, Rev. E. E. Mowatt officiating.

### MISS BESSIE WARD.

Miss Bessie Ward, daughter of the late Asa Ward of Harcourt, died in Boston on the 27th ult., of tuberculosis. The remains, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. Gould reached home on the 30th and were taken to the home of Mr. Alfred Ward, whence they removed on Wednesday afternoon to their last resting place in the Presbyterian cemetery. Rev. R. H. Staver conducted the services. Many beautiful floral tributes, testifying to the love and

## CANADIAN FRUIT.

OTTAWA.—Mr. Burdett, one of the members of British Columbia, wants the provisions of the Canadian fruit marks act to apply as far as packing and grading is concerned to fruit from the United States, and he thought all the provinces of Canada would be compelled to adopt uniform packing.

Mr. Fisher said that the intention of the act was not to have every package of Canadian fruit inspected, but to have a check on packers for the interprovincial and export trade. To make the inspection too rigid might interfere with the Canadian fruit trade.

Dr. Black of Hants, held up the Nova Scotia fruit farms as models. He wanted more inspectors for that province.

A return was made to Parliament showing that in 1907 there had been shipped in cold storage from St. John to Liverpool 2,123 barrels, 2,060 half-barrels and 517 boxes of apples. A considerable quantity was shipped from Halifax to South Africa. During January and February this year the shipments of apples from St. John and Halifax was the largest on record.

respect in which the deceased was held, accompanied the remains. Mr. and Mrs. Ward's home was rendered doubly sad from the fact that their infant son, whose death occurred on the 29th was buried at the same hour.

### JAMES ANDERSON.

St. John, March 30.—James Anderson, the oldest newspaper man in New Brunswick, died yesterday morning after a lengthy illness. He was 87 years old, and had been in ill health since January. For forty-two years he was connected with the Daily Telegraph in this city as night editor, city editor and marine editor. He leaves four sons and six daughters. The sons are:—E. M. of the Steel Works at Sault Ste. Marie; Arthur E., Architect, at Montreal; Herbert J., manager St. John Opera House; W. Earle, Secretary St. John Board of Trade. The daughters are:—Mrs. J. M. Perkins, Mrs. Clarence Ward, St. John; Mrs. L. E. Rheume, Montreal; and Helen, Edith and Annie at home.

### MRS. JOHN HOSFORD.

The funeral of Mrs. John Hosford of Trout Brook took place Saturday, April 3rd at 2 p. m.

Service was held at the house. Hymns, "Beautiful Home," and "In the Shadow of His Wings" were sung, and a few appropriate words from the text Hebrews, 14:9: "There remaineth therefore a rest to the people of God," were spoken at the graveside. Miss Bessie Hosford sang "Hark, Hark My Soul."

Deceased was a respected member of the community and her quiet and good life won her many friends. She leaves behind three sons: Joseph and Edwin at home, and James in the States; and four daughters, three away and one, Mrs. W. Dunnett, at home. The brothers are Patrick Mullin of Chatham, Neil and John of Protectionville, and Thomas of Newcastle.

The pallbearers were Amos Stewart, John Stewart, Archie Stewart, John Way, James Way and Thomas Cain.

Interment was in the Seavole cemetery, Rev. J. F. Rowley officiating.

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## LUMBERMEN

### UP IN ARMS.

Against the Granting by the Government of 99-Year Leases.

HOLDERS COULD SELL OUT

To Foreigners and the People of the Province Have No Redress.

CHATHAM, N.B., March 31.—A fight against the granting of perpetual leases to limit holders was decided upon at a meeting of the New Brunswick Lumbermen's Protective Association here today. There was a large attendance of Miramichi operators. W. S. Montgomery, mayor of Dalhousie, was also present, and P. G. Mahoney, of Westmorland county, sent assurances of support. A committee of eight was appointed to prepare a memorial and submit it to the provincial government at an early date. T. W. Flett was in the chair, and W. C. Winslow was secretary. On motion of D. J. Buckley resolutions were adopted as follows:

First—That the association disapproved of the Quebec system of leasing and stood by the Maltby scale, as used at present.

Second—That the lumber surveyors continue to be appointed by the municipalities and not by the government as recommended by the Limit Holders' Association.

Third—That each party to an agreement for a lumber operation be allowed to have a surveyor and that if the two fail to agree that a third surveyor be named by the government to act with them.

Fourth—That the government should adopt no policy looking towards the extension of crown land leases or give the limit holders encouragement that their request should be granted.

Mr. Buckley was present by invitation at the meeting of the limit holders at Fredericton last week, and he was able to give the small operators today the gist of their memorial, as drawn up, and which has not been given to the public. It was stated that the lease-holders feel confident of having their petition granted.

T. W. Butler of Newcastle, in speaking of the granting of perpetual leases, hinted at a deal and said an attempt was made to make a damnable thing doubly damnable. He said the limit holders, if granted perpetual leases, could become millionaires by selling out their rights and the people could go to the devil.

Charles E. Oak was heard on behalf of the Miramichi Lumber Company and counselled moderation. It was better to take the middle of the road, he said, for a fight meant one side getting left out entirely. He pointed out some of the arguments that could be used by the limit holders.

A resolution was introduced by Mr. LeBlanc, recommending that the present regulations governing the settlement of crown lands under license be dropped and that another section be substituted giving the settler power to cut the merchantable pine and spruce on the tract applied for until the land is granted in full, providing he pays the license holder for same.

The following were chosen as the committee to prepare and present the memorial: W. S. Montgomery, D. J. Buckley, T. W. Butler, Wm. Danvers, Bernard MacCormack, C. LeBlanc, President Flett and Secretary Winslow.

### AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

Voye and Crangle returned from Fredericton and reopened in the Opera House on Friday night. A large audience awaited their reappearance. The vaudeville feature has been dropped, and the show consists of lots of moving pictures, with good instrumental music and first class singing. All for ten cents. Matinee Friday afternoon.

## MARCH ROLL OF HONOR.

### SAINT MARY'S ACADEMY.

Senior Department—Lea Audit, Catherine Driscoll, Florida Pitre, Lena Theriault, Beatrice Foran, Irene McCombs, Kathleen McCabe, Adela Ingram, Annie Armstrong, May Dalton, May Murphy.

Intermediate Department—Juliette Mailloux, Annie Whalen, Inghda Cosselin, Reta Buckley, Irene Hamilton, Gaziella McLan, Bertha LeMoine, Georgina Major, Mariette Hardy, Kathleen Armstrong, Josie Buckley, Hedwige Morris, Beatrice Whalen, Ceina Doucet, Grace McCarron, Laura Currey, Gladys Foley, Margaret McPherson, Helen Cope, Irene Sisk, Virginia Sirois, Elmda Michaud, Angela Ryan, Annie Wright, Susie Murphy, Emma LaRouge.

Junior Department—Asma Mitchell, Julia O'Kane, Louise Ryan, Nannie Stevenson, Mary Blanchard, Florence Blanchard, Alice Campbell, Kathleen McCarron, Marguerite Daughney, Annie Gabriel, Margaret Callahan, Maise Farrish, Maimie Daughney, Annie Fallon, Clare Bernard, Lottie McWilliam, Mabel Young, Kathleen McGowan.

Primary Department—Annie Murphy, Helen Neif, Marguerite Dolan, Mary Copp, May O'Brien, Louise Murphy, Dorothy Lawlor, Mary McCarron, Clare Edmonds, May McEvoy, Beatrice Dolan, Nettie Blanchard, Lenore Ryan, Marguerite Gallah.

## PASTOR DROPS DEAD.

Rev. A. F. Brown of Digby Neck Baptist church (not a clergyman who was once stationed in Newcastle) dropped dead near his church at Little River, Digby Co., on the 1st instant. He was 61 years old, was an old newspaper man and had served in the American civil war.

## GREEN'S MONEY FOUND

\$2,733 and Two Watches Discovered Under the Floor of a Camp.

Andover, April 5.—The missing money, amounting to \$2,733, together with two watches which belonged to Edward Green, the peddler, who was murdered on the right of way last December, was discovered early Saturday by Constable McKie, under the floor of the camp formerly occupied by the five Italians, Tony Arosia, Leon Sepeppil, Sandy Murray and James and Andrew Hatch. The constable acted under information given by James Hatch.

The circumstances of the discovery are said to be regarded by the crown as of importance as bearing on the evidence given by the condemned men, Arosia and Sepeppil, implicating Murray and the Hatches in the murder. \$1,700 was found in an old lard can, and \$1,033 in a tobacco box.

No date has yet been fixed for the trial of the three new prisoners.

## THE NEED OF TODAY.

Dealing with this subject, the Sacred Heart Review speaks thus:—More books and fewer banquets. More thinking and less drinking. More work and less talk. More self-forgetfulness and less selfishness. More constructiveness and less criticism. More real sociability and less whist. More simplicity and less airs. More copying of kindly and worthy deeds and less imitation of fads and follies and foibles. More real recreation and less mere dissipation. More reality and less sham. More study clubs and fewer social clubs. More helpful, hopeful conversation and less gossip. More emphasis on manners and morals and less on money. More sincerity and less smartness. Larger outlooks and smaller grudges. A greater desire for social usefulness than social prestige.

## FRENCHMAN

### WON MARATHON.

Longboat Stopped at 19 Miles, and Shrubbs at 25.

30,000 PEOPLE

Watched the Great Contest in the New York Base Ball Park, Saturday.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Henry St. Yves, of France, won the Marathon for professional runners at the National league base ball park here today. Dorando Pietri of Italy, was second; John K. Hayes of New York, third, and Mathew Maloney of Yonkers, (N.Y.) fourth. Tom Longboat, the Canadian Indian, quit the track in the nineteenth mile and Alfred Shrubbs of England, gave up in the twenty-fifth mile. Both were completely exhausted trying to keep the terrific pace set by the Frenchman. Shrubbs made a game struggle from the twentieth to the twenty-fifth mile, but the pace was too fast and the distance too far for him.

St. Yves, the almost unknown who figured but little in the forecast of the race, covered the Marathon distance, 26 miles, 385 yards, in two hours, 40 minutes, 50 and 3-5 seconds, a remarkable performance under the conditions, and finished with a fast sprint in good condition. Dorando was four minutes, 40 seconds behind the Frenchman, while Hayes, the third man, followed the Italian across the finish line three minutes and 50 seconds later. No time was taken on Maloney, the fourth man.

St. Yves took down \$5,000 of the prize money; Dorando, \$2,500; Hayes, \$1,500, and Maloney, \$1,000. Shrubbs and Longboat go unrewarded for their brave efforts. This was the result of the greatest Marathon ever run in America and, except in point of number of contestants, the greatest ever run anywhere.

## WEDDING BELLS.

BEATTIE—VOYE.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Voye, of St. Marys, York Co., was the scene of a pretty wedding on the 31st ult., when their youngest daughter, Miss Stella May Voye, and Mr. Percy G. Beattie of Fredericton, were united in marriage. The bride was very becomingly attired in cream satin and carried a bouquet of roses and carnations. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. A. Rideout, and was witnessed by only the immediate friends of the couple. A wedding repast was served after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Beattie will reside in St. Marys for the present. Mrs. Beattie is a sister of C. A. Voye of Voye & Crangle, the well-known motion picture showmen.

### CLARKE—GLENCROSS.

A very quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Glencross, Beersville, on the 31st when their daughter, Bella J., was united in marriage with Thomas J. Clarke, engineer on the Beersville railway. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. H. Staver of Harcourt in the presence of the immediate relatives.

The young couple were unattended.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke will reside in Beersville. The Union Advocate extends congratulations.

## ACCIDENTS

### DURING FEBRUARY.

In Canada, during February, there were 236 industrial accidents of which 76 were fatal and 160 serious.

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