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EXPECTING 500 BOY SCOUTS IN CHURCH PARADE

Protestant Boys to Knox Church; Catholic Lads to Cathedral

HEBREW SCOUTS TO CARLETON ST. HALL

Motion Pictures to be Taken at Assembly and Reviewing Stand.

The church parade of the Boy Scouts and Wolf's Cubs of the city, embracing the groups attached to the Protestant, Catholic and Jewish churches, will start off on King street East in the vicinity of 10.30 Sunday forenoon, and march part at the salute in front of Imperial Theatre, where the reviewing party will stand.

At 10.15 the assembly will take place. As soon as all the groups are on the spot the Scouts and Cubs in mass formation will be photographed by a motion picture camera as they render their halting about with uplifted arms and hats. They will be "shot" again as they pass in review. This complete pictorial of the boys will be kept as a civic record, same as the 26th Battalion originals, the Prince of Wales' visit, etc.

At the reviewing stand the salute will be taken by Dr. L. V. Chipman, president of the Boy Scouts' Association of Saint John; Sir J. Douglas Hazen, honorary president; Mayor Potts, civic commissioners and officials of the Boy Scouts' Association. Dr. G. B. Peat will be in command of the turnout. It is expected there will be 150 boys from the Catholic division and 350 of the Protestant and Jewish denominations.

ORDER OF MARCH.

The cadet band will lead off, followed by the Wolf Cubs and Scouts going to Knox church for service at 11 o'clock. Those going to the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception will be next in line, and will fall out at Waterloo street for their service at 11.30 o'clock. The Young Judeans will be in the rear, and will march as far as Knox church, and then proceed to their headquarters at Carleton street for a court service. Uniforms will be worn by many of the boys, who have made every effort to present a "classy" appearance. The Catholic boys were to have gone to Holy Trinity church, but a mass is at 10 o'clock there, so a change to the Cathedral was made.

Dr. G. B. Peat, district commissioner, with F. Choppin, assistant, and L. L. Johnston, district secretary, will have charge of the whole parade, and will lead the Catholic boys, and Scout Master Eli Boyaner the Young Judeans.

IF IT RAINS.

At Knox church, Rev. R. Moorhead Legate will give an address on scouting, and the Rover Scouts will take up the collection. Even if it rains, the parade will be marshalled by their respective leaders. There will be more than 40 boys in the parade, who have made East Saint John, in full uniform, and the Wolf Cubs and Scouts will march in from Silver Falls. The parade will be taken back to Silver Falls, after service, in cars provided by the district commissioner, the president of the Scout council and others in charge.

If rain should prevent these arrangements, the Protestant boys will assemble at Knox church Sunday school hall at 10.30 daylight time; the Catholic boys at the Cathedral in time for their service at 11.30, and the Young Judeans will proceed directly to their headquarters for their service.

CUSTOMS FIGURES GIVEN BIG BOOST

April Total Approaches Million With Income Tax Big Item.

The receipts at the local Customs House during April exceeded \$1,268,858 those of April of last year. Of this amount \$328,625.95 was for income tax. The total receipts at the customs house for April were \$11,298,115 while for April 1924 the collections were \$439,229.57.

The income of the two months were as follows:

April 1924	April 1925	
Import duty	\$887,241.76	\$854,871.94
Excise tax	85,283.85	81,890.28
Excise duty	5,480.61	4,972.32
Sundry collect.	2,020.02	1,610.59
Steamer inspection	870.00	1,540.00
Pilotage	4,968.25	5,874.60
Marine dues	2,355.08	2,612.58
Income tax	328,625.95	328,625.95
Totals	\$439,229.57	\$911,298.15

Hearing Begun In Automobile Case

Preliminary hearing into the charge against Harold J. Senone of theft of a car belonging to G. G. Murdoch was commenced in the police court this morning before Magistrate Henderson and after hearing Mr. Murdoch's evidence, the accused was remanded until Monday. In his evidence, Mr. Murdoch told of parking his car in front of the Imperial Theatre on the night of April 22 and coming out after the entertainment and finding it had been taken.

CIVIL SERVICE POSTS.

The Civil Service Commission has invited applications for the position of dairy produce grader, with a starting salary of \$2,400 for work at Montreal, Toronto and Winnipeg. The applications must be filed with the Commission not later than May 21, 1925.

He Was Lost In the Moving

THERE was one little fellow last night who wished there never was such a thing as Moving Day. He was found by Policeman Gaudet in Haymarket Square, crying as though his little heart would break. He sobbed out a story that his daddy and mother had gone away with all the things in the house and had forgotten about him. The powerful arms of the law gathered him up and conveyed him to the Central Station, where Night Deskman Thomas set the wires burning to locate the parents. The tired and harassed father soon showed up, and with a cry of joy the youngster ran to him, who then carried him to his new home.

ALMANAC FOR SAINT JOHN, N. B.

High Tide	6.40	High Tide	11.14
Low Tide	0.21	Low Tide	12.51
Sun Rises	5.12	Sun Sets	6.29

Local News

TWO MORE

Two office doors were found open by the police last evening. Business houses are warned by the police about such carelessness.

ILL IN HALIFAX

Rev. James Cloran, C.S.S.R., went today to Halifax, where he was called on account of the sickness of Rev. Father Martin, who was formerly located in Saint John.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The case of Slocum et al vs. the City of Saint John was continued this morning in the Circuit Court before Mr. Justice Crockett. It is probable that the hearing will be concluded this afternoon.

ACCIDENT

Frank Sharpe, 206 Paradise row, was injured while at work at the pulp mill yesterday afternoon and was conveyed to the General Public Hospital. He was reported from there to be considerably improved this morning and will be able to go to his home soon.

STOCK SALE.

At Chubb's Corner this morning F. L. Potts sold fifty shares of the capital stock of Thompson and Sutherland, par value \$100, to David Hudson, of Glace Bay, at \$105. The stock was sold by the estate of the late Michael Farrell.

STRUCK BY AUTO

Stanley Crawford, 2 Charles street, was struck by an auto driven by W. J. Hiram in Charlotte street yesterday afternoon. A cut over the eye was attended to in a nearby drug store and the Crawford then was able to go to his home.

DEATHS NUMBER 13.

Deaths for the week ending today in the city numbered 13 from the following causes: Myocarditis, pneumonia, two; senility, infantile, acute gastritis, chronic nephritis, bronchial pneumonia, cancer uterus, cancer esophagus, pulmonary tuberculosis, one each.

HOLD PANTRY SALE

Carleton Methodist Sunday School hall was the centre for a busy pantry sale yesterday afternoon. Mrs. A. Bennett and Miss Gertrude at home, and Mrs. C. Belyea, Mrs. Ernest Bissett and Mrs. J. Shonoy.

MRS. CATHERINE MURPHY

Mrs. Catherine Murphy, widow of James Murphy, a well known former resident of this city, died at her home, 51 Brittain street, this morning, leaving to mourn her death, Mrs. A. Bennett and Miss Gertrude at home, and the Misses Elizabeth, Florence, Etta, Helen and Sadie in New York; also two sons, Lawrence and Joseph, of Saint John. Mrs. Murphy had many friends and will be mourned by many outside her family circle.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said the Times reporter to Mr. Hiram Hornbeam, "I saw some green buds on a lilac bush overlooking the sidewalk this morning. At once there came to me a vision of green buds beside a brook I know where trout are lurking below the little rapids, and the sun shines warm on all landscape. Would you by any chance have some old clothes and a pair of heavy boots I could wear if I ventured out to the Settlement?"

"Come right along," said Hiram. "I kin fit you out fast. Hanner has been talkin' about you an' wonderin' why you don't come out. She says it does her good to set there of an evenin' an' hear you lie."

"I'll tell her you said that," said the reporter. "I don't believe Mrs. Hornbeam would doubt me for one single moment."

"Oh, you ain't the only noospaper feller she knows," said Hiram. "Besides, she reads the papers. They're mostly lie—ain't they?"

"Sir," said the reporter with dignity, "the press invariably stands for truth and honor."

"Too bad nobody ever found it out," said Hiram. "Yes, sir—it's too bad. Didn't your paper say the other day that Sile Jones was a good man? You knowed better—why didn't you tell the truth?"

"Hiram," said the reporter, "if we told all we know—about ourselves and the people—everybody would yell for the police."

"Well," said Hiram, "come on out to the Settlement—see if you kin tell the truth about a fishin' trip?"

"Why so severe a test?" asked the reporter.

"Jist to stop your braggin' about your honesty," said Hiram.

SURPRISED AT ACT AND REASONS GIVEN

M. A. Pooler, General Manager of N. B. Power Co., Speaks of Legislation.

In an interview today relative to a Fredericton despatch published yesterday, M. A. Pooler, general manager of the N. B. Power Company, said: "We were surprised when the act to reverse the judgment of the Appeal Court of New Brunswick was passed, and even more surprised at the reasons for its passage, as given by the Hon. Mr. Rand in his statement which appeared in yesterday's Times-Star. He states that if the decision of the Appeal Court was allowed to stand, the distribution system of the Power Commission constructed at a cost of \$600,000 would have to be dismantled. "It was the city which carried an appeal from Justice White's decision to the Court of Appeals, which court decided against the Power Company. "It was the city which appealed to the Supreme Court of Canada. Inasmuch as the city is determined to fight this case through the courts, the distribution system of the Power Commission constructed at a cost of \$600,000 would have to be dismantled. "The decision of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick declares that the Power Commission has certain rights which this legislation confiscates for the purpose of protecting illegal actions of the City Hydro Commission, which were committed in defiance of repeated warnings given by the court. Such legislation, we understand, is without precedent in this country. It is contrary to the ideals of British law and justice, and its injurious effects might be so far reaching that we feel confident that it would be disallowed by the Minister of Justice of Canada."

FRESHET WAS LIGHT ALONG THE RIVER

Roads Come Out of Winter Wet — Steamers Busy—The Late George L. Gerow.

Word from up river reports that the freshet was light all along the shores this spring. Some of the wharves were not covered at the height of the tide, an unusual condition.

Main thoroughfares and by-roads throughout the lower and middle section of the river territory seem to have stood the winter test very well. They have been excellent for automobile use for a fortnight, dry and hard.

River steamers are carrying an unusually large amount of freight for this early time of spring, doubtless due to the advanced season and the earlier activities of farmers. Fertilizers, farm implements, stock replenishments, etc., are the "hot" freights of the season. Farmers look for very favorable planting conditions this year.

The Late George L. Gerow.

The death of George L. Gerow, of Shannon, Queens county, whose burial took place on Easter Sunday in the Wickham Baptist church, of which he had been a lifelong member, removed a citizen of high standing who was known the whole sweep of river country roundabout. He was son of the late James and Eleanor Gerow, of Wickham, and grandson of the late patriarchal "Uncle" Garrett Vanwart, grandson of a Lovell and a Gerow. Mr. Gerow spent most of his life at Gerow's Wharf farmstead, a few miles below Wickham, where he resided. Ten years ago he set up a general store in Shannon, back of the river front. Mr. Gerow was ill nine weeks. Besides his widow, he leaves three daughters, Mrs. Fred Monteth, of Haverhill, Mass.; Mrs. Fred C. Cameron and Mrs. Geo. B. Cameron, of Hampstead, Queens county; one son, George, at home, and one sister, Mrs. Lee Jones, of Wickham. Case Vanwart, of Wickham, is a step-father. Mr. Gerow was 61 years of age.

MAKE GOOD MARKS

Gertrude Seely Leads Fairville Grade 8, With 98.1 in The Easter Exams.

I. Newton Fanjoy, principal of the Fairville Superior School, announced yesterday that the following were the scholars in Grade 8 and three in Grade 7 had passed successfully their Easter examinations with the following marks: Grade 8—Gertrude Seely, 98.1; Hazel McCumber, 95.9; Fred Sherwood, 92.2; Robert Dole, 91.3; Donald Fitzgerald, 88.7; Marton Baxter, 88.4; Evelyn Sergeant, 88.3; Signa Richey, 82.9; Eugene Fitzgerald, 82.7; Lucilla Conic, 82.3; Alice Finley, 81.2; Grade 7—Dorothy Rice, 83.3; Mildred Crosby, 80.6; Albert Wilson, 83.2.

Arbor Day will be kept next Tuesday in Fairville and the Union Point school. Inspector Marr visited these schools this week and was highly pleased with the work being accomplished in them.

ST. JUDE'S W. A.

St. Jude's W. A. held an interesting missionary meeting this week, followed by an evening of completing quilts and other work carried on during the winter. Mrs. W. L. Fenton presided and Mrs. J. William Hart gave a summary of the study book of the year, "The Church and the Newcomer." Mrs. T. A. Linton gave a paper on the church calendar. Mrs. George Scott, superintendent of Juniors, exhibited dolls which had been prettily dressed by her charges. The dolls will be sent to various foreign mission stations under the W. A. The W. A. will not assemble again until the early autumn.

BEAUTY PARLOR.

Miss Genevieve Hayes of this city has acquired from the United Hotel Co., H. A. Peters, local manager, the beauty parlor concession to be located on the second floor or social suite, in what is known in hotel parlance as "Peacock Alley." Miss Hayes has recently graduated from the Willford Academy of New York.

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