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St. John, N. B., June 16, 1903.

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SOME GEMS.

A Few Bright Remarks from Last Evening's Meeting, Which Show That the Wisdom of St. John is Not Confined to Those in High Offices.

The following are few brief extracts from some of the speeches made at the labor meeting in York Theatre last evening:

PETER SHARKEY.

"I notice that there is at least one alderman who has been kind enough to accept the invitation sent him."

"These men, poor laborers though they be, are just as worthy of consideration as though they were the C. F. R. or any other corporation before whom the city fathers get down on their knees and give away the valuable properties of the city."

"We asked a direct answer and request a direct reply, as every direct answer deserves a direct reply."

"God has so ordered that every man shall get old when the time comes. His hair will get grey and blossom some day."

"The matter was referred to an employe, the very same as the men who were asking—the very same, mind you—and he is the director of public works. And that man wanted two weeks to decide in. Two weeks—think of it—and if he had been a competent man, as are those he was asked about, he would have answered off hand and not needed two weeks to think about it."

"We labor men are not here—at least we are in the minds of those people who get a little wealth."

"Poor old men on the street have been so hounded lately by a couple of aldermen that they are afraid to look up. And one of the poor men was nearly killed today."

"Mr. Murdoch has cost the city more money by his extravagant mistakes than any other man who ever held his position. It would pay the city of St. John to give him an old age pension for the rest of his life."

"The common council, as you all know, has so degenerated that a decent merchant or a respectable man will think twice before running for it."

ALD. MCGOLDRICK.

took a drink of water.

"Twenty years ago I used to work."

"I don't have to look for notoriety. I've got it—all over this country."

"Some day when it's raining and you have nothing to do come down to a meeting of the common council and waste an afternoon. You'll never want to go to the opera house again, if you ask me."

"We common council fellows are no better than anyone else, but when you're in we feel a little money. And I never saw a fellow in the council who wanted to be put out."

"I read in the paper that my friend Murdoch considers a dollar a day enough for and laborer, but that he is not losing sleep over it. He is not the one to lose sleep for he draws his money whether he works or plays. And, anyway, I don't think Mr. Murdoch should make any remarks like that."

"So long as you're in the council your taxes will be kept down."

ALD. MCGULKIN.

"It affords me much pleasure to attend here tonight."

"I am very much surprised that more of the aldermen are not here."

"We have some young and enterprising lawyers on the council and the trouble is that they are too windy. I would much prefer if they would leave their long winded speeches here."

MR. DALEY.

"If four or five sportin' gents that take a notion to have a horse show goes and asks the city fathers for four or five hundred dollars, it doesn't take them four weeks to decide it. But when the working men who do useful work for the city ask a simple rise that wouldn't take half so much money, it takes a long time to decide it. This new library that Mr. Carnegie is so kind as to give to St. John will raise your taxes far more than the extra twenty-five cents on laborers' pay—and a lot of good it will be to the most of the people."

MR. JONES.

"I noticed that it didn't take the common council half a dozen minutes to raise their own pay a hundred dollars a year, but it's taking them a month to give the poor laborers a few cents extra."

JIMMY BRENNAN.

"Oh, I dunno."

COKE O'BRIEN.

"Brennan, you're out of order."

"I want to see a general strike in the morning among all laborers—undertakers an' everybody."

TO RAISE THE ALEXANDRA.

An effort is being made at Loch Lomond today to raise the sailing yacht Alexandra, which was sunk on August 9th, 1902, when Chester McClaskey and Walter Pynes were drowned. The Alexandra was located some time ago in sixty feet of water and it has been found that she has not moved since then.

Mr. Barker of the Ben Lomond house has his steam yacht fitted for lifting the Alexandra and it is expected that the work will be successfully completed this afternoon.

ANOTHER ALDERMAN'S REGRET.

C. H. Stevens, secretary of the Trades and Labor Council received the following letter from Ald. Bullock too late to be read at last night's meeting:

June 17th, 1903.

C. H. Stevens,
Secy Trades and Labor Council.
Dear Sir:—I will be unable to attend the meeting at York Theatre this evening as I have to go out of town. My sympathy is with the union.

Yours,
(Ald.) T. H. BULLOCK.

The tickets for the picnic to be held at Crystal Beach on July 12 in the interests of the soldiers' monument fund, can be obtained at Mrs. Baisley's, Douglas Avenue.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The Milligan-Crockett Case is Further Postponed.

Because the Attorney for Mr. Crockett Absolutely Refused to go on With the Defense.

His Honor, Mr. Justice McLeod, in the circuit court this morning, consented to allow the libel suit brought by C. J. Milligan against James H. Crockett, editor of the "Fredericton Gleaner," to stand for the present. This step was reached when O. S. Crockett, a brother of James H. Crockett, appeared and stated that G. W. Allen, K. C., who all along has represented the defendant in the case, absolutely refused to conduct the defense. Mr. Crockett, who is a practicing attorney of Fredericton, said that his brother had learned with surprise that his case was proceeding at the St. John circuit and was totally unprepared to take up his defence at the present moment.

Hon. H. A. McKeown agreed to a few days' postponement of the case, but insisted that an affidavit be filed stating the reasons. The affidavit was filed by O. S. Crockett somewhat later in the day. The case will, therefore, stand in its regular place on the docket and will in all probability be again before the court in the course of a few days.

His Honor in dismissing the jury instructed the jury to have no conversation with anyone in regard to the suit. He requested the press to make no more publications of pleadings, and asked them, in this suit particularly, to adhere to a plain statement of facts as they occur.

The next case to be taken up was McKay v. Fraser. W. W. Allen, K. C., and Attorney General Pugsley appeared for the plaintiff and James J. Gregory, K. C., of Fredericton, for the defendant. This action is brought for the recovery of damages alleged to have been sustained in consequence of the non-delivery by the defendant of 1,025,000 feet of lumber, as contracted for. The damages claimed amount to \$4,324.09. A commission is used sometime ago to take the evidence of John C. Johnson, Richard Bryce Lloyd and Joseph Robinson, of the firm of Johnson, Bryce & Co., taken under the commission was produced in court, opened and read, subject to objection by Mr. Gregory.

LOST FOR TWO DAYS.

Arthur Wright, an Aged Resident of Wright Street Found in the Park.

On Tuesday morning Arthur Wright of 46 Wright street, strayed away from his home and for forty-eight hours had not been heard of. Mr. Wright is an old man, quite feeble and at times is subject to slight mental weakness. He was formerly in the employ of the Street Railway Company as collector and is well known about the city. For some time he has been under the care of a physician but was able to take short walks in the vicinity of his home.

On Tuesday morning he went out as usual and was expected to get home in a very short time. But the hours passed and his relatives became anxious. On Tuesday night as Mr. Wright had not returned his absence was reported to the police and the officers were requested to search for the missing man. Tuesday night passed without any information of his whereabouts being received and yesterday the anxiety of his friends grew more intense. Different persons searched for Mr. Wright but no trace of him could be found. He was not heard of until this morning when two or three boys who accidentally happened to be wandering through the woodland behind the public gardens found him lying on the ground. Mr. Wright, thoroughly exhausted and was suffering from exposure. He had been wandering about in the woods and had lost his way. His face was scratched and bruised from contact with the branches of trees.

After being conveyed to his home a physician was summoned and it is probable that Mr. Wright will be fully recovered in a few days although a longer period of exhaustion would most likely have proved fatal.

RECEIVED A DEGREE.

At the annual commencement of the Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, Ill., which took place last week, the degree of Bachelor of Philosophy (Ph. B.) was conferred upon Rev. John Dystant, pastor of the Methodist church, Morgate, P. E. I.

The Illinois Wesleyan is one of the oldest and most influential of the educational institutions under the control of the Methodist church in the United States. It comprises the following schools and colleges, viz., college of letters, preparatory school, college of law, college of music, school of arts and school of oratory.

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PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.

June 18.—Coastwise—Sch. Harry Morris, N. B.; sch. Shamrock, N. B.; sch. Orin, byalika, N. B.; Phinney, from Back Bay, N. B.; sch. Beaver, N. B.; sch. Wadsworth, from Beaver Harbor; sch. Susie U., N. B.; Merriam, from Back Bay, N. B.; sch. M. Blanche, N. B.; Thaurer, from Freeport, N. S.

Cleared.

Sch. Warrior, N. B.; sch. Thews, for City Island, Station, Cutler & Co., Isth. Coastwise—Sch. Harry Morris, for Quebec, N. B.; sch. Murray B., N. B.; sch. Margaret, N. B.; sch. Viola, for Wadsworth, from Back Bay, N. B.; sch. Yarns, for Dieby; sch. No. 6, Wadsworth, for Ferrisboro, N. B.; sch. Viola, for Wadsworth, from Beaver Harbor; sch. Selma, N. B.; Miller, for Advocate Harbor, N. B.; sch. Beaver, N. B.; sch. Harriet, N. B.; sch. Nina Blanche, for Freeport, N. S.

KING PETER.

The New King of Servia and His Constitution, Which Will be Very Liberal, Important Changes Having Been Made in It.

BELGRADE, June 18.—It is understood that the chief modifications in the constitution of 1885 deal with the curtailment of the king's prerogatives, and his majesty will still remain chief of the army. There will only be one chamber, having a popular representation. The king will be deprived of the power of incurring supplementary expenditure and the ministers will be solely responsible to the Skupshina. The king will have absolute control of all budgets, the senate being abolished. It is reported that the treasury found in the Konak included the sum of \$1,600,000, being part of the proceeds of the recent loan, and \$400,000, which had been secretly reserved from the amount credited to the war ministry and given to Queen Draga.

TO BOOM BLACK RIVER.

Commodore Wright Undertakes to Make It Attractive For Tourists.

An effort will be made this season to boom Black River as a tourist resort and Commodore Wright of Loch Lomond has succeeded in making all necessary arrangements to last summer the commodore purchased a full stock of fishing gear which he presented to all tourists and others who wished to enjoy good fishing at that place. This season he has secured several fine new boats which are intended for the same purpose.

John Harding who is just opposite the York Hotel at Black River has been given charge of the affair and will attend to all the requirements of visitors to the place. He will supply gear, arrange for accommodations and carriages and see that nothing is lacking. There are good hotels at Black River and the fishing contest has been inaugurated. The salmon pool are now beginning to bite, and the season will be open until October. These fish run as large as fifteen pounds and make splendid sport. A number of citizens who were at Black River last year are very enthusiastic over the possibilities of the place.

CITY LABORERS.

Will Not Strike at Present.

The city laborers will not strike at present. They have decided to give the council an extension of time to consider the question of raising their wages, and will meet again next Thursday evening to again discuss the matter. If the city council have not by that time taken action in the matter the laborers probably will.

This was the decision which the city laborers arrived at last evening at the mass meeting of the different labor unions in the city, which was held in York Theatre, to protest against the action of the common council in deferring an answer to the city laborers' petition to a 25 per cent. increase in their wages.

Ald. John McGoldrick and William McGulkin were the representatives of the city council present. They occupied seats on the platform together with the members of the Trades and Labor Council and officers of the different unions in the city.

Peter Sharkey, president for New Brunswick of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, presided, and addresses were made by Mr. Sharkey, Aldermen McGoldrick, McGulkin, Mr. Daley, vice president of the Ship Laborers' Union, M. J. Kelly, of the S. L. U., Charles Jones, of the Teamsters' Union, and others.

The following motion, made by Wm. Stanley, of the S. L. U., was unanimously carried.

"That we the citizens and taxpayers of St. John assembled here this evening, are of the opinion that the petition of the street laborers be granted, the increase to date from June 1st."

A motion was then carried that the council be granted an extension of time to consider the petition. Another meeting will be held next Thursday evening.

YESTERDAY'S GAME.

The attendance at yesterday's ball game on the Shamrock grounds was small, but the game was a good one. The play was quick on the whole, and though some errors were made the game was none the less interesting. The Roses had it their own way until the seventh, when the Alerts jumped their score both of hits and runs and brought the game out with ten runs to the Roses, the hits standing the same, 10-8.

McFarlane made the most brilliant play, two of his catches being exceptionally good.

THE WEATHER.

Highest temperature, 60; lowest temperature, 50; barometer at noon, 30.01 inches; wind, S. E.; velocity, 8 miles per hour. Fair.

Forecast: Moderate winds, mostly northerly, fair and cool, Friday, moderate winds, fair and cool.

Synopsis: The weather is fair throughout the gulf and maritime provinces, with no indication of any important disturbance. To banks, fresh northerly winds; to American ports, light and variable.

FLOOD VICTIMS.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 13.—Acting Gov. Kinney has received a message from McClure, Alexander county, stating that seven thousand people who were victims of the flood are homeless. He ordered provisions and clothes sent to the afflicted.

CONFERENCE.

Rev. J. C. Berrle of Jacksonville Elected President.

The conference is now fully organized for business—Dr. Carman expected today.

The Methodist conference organized for business this forenoon by the election of the president and other officers. In the various forecasts the names of Rev. C. W. Hamilton, of Carmarthen street, and Rev. W. W. Lodge, of Hampton, were mentioned. The forecasts were wrong. Rev. J. C. Berrle of Jacksonville, occupies the chair. He was elected on the second ballot.

After the opening services this morning Rev. Dr. Stewart, who is retiring from the active ministry after fifty-one years of strenuous, devoted and successful service, addressed the conference. His earnest and impressive words were heard with deep attention and were afterward referred to by the president and other members. The conference then proceeded to ballot for the president. The first ballot resulted in no choice, the vote standing:

Rev. J. C. Berrle, 85.
Rev. W. W. Lodge, 24.
Rev. C. W. Hamilton, 13.
Rev. Thomas Deinstadt, 6.
Rev. J. Rice, 5.

Revids. Allen, McCully, Jas. Crisp, J. E. Allen and J. Rogers received the votes each, and several others had one or two supporters.

The second ballot resulted in the election of Mr. Berrle as follows:

Rev. J. C. Berrle, 74.
Rev. W. W. Lodge, 32, with several votes for Mr. Hamilton.

The retiring president, Rev. Mr. Harrison, called the president-elect to the chair, and in handing over the control of the meeting expressed his best wishes to his successor.

Mr. Berrle was called upon for a speech, but did not devote much time to the response. He observed that when his name was first mentioned he had supposed it was a recognition of his enjoyment of a joke, and not a matter to be taken too seriously. But now would express his appreciation of the confidence which the brethren reposed in him. In all his life as a Methodist minister he had done his best, and he would do as well as he could in the position to which he had been called. It was pleasant to follow Brother Harrison, whom he had first met in Liverpool, England. Of the twelve who came out from the old country together three or four had been called the presidency. It was a pleasure also to fill the chair in the Centenary church, the first place where he had preached when he came to St. John, and the building in which he had been ordained. Some one near the chair corrected the president, who then stated that these associations were connected with the old Centenary and not the present building, but it was still the Centenary church. In closing Mr. Berrle said that he was never more conscious of divine assistance and never more consecrated to the service of God than today.

Rev. A. D. McCully was re-elected secretary by an almost unanimous vote on the first ballot.

Rev. G. M. Young was appointed journal secretary. Rev. H. E. Thomas and Rev. J. M. Rice assistant secretaries, and Rev. H. Harrison chairman of the statistical committee. Conference then proceeded to fill vacancies in the various committees and to deal with committee reports. Adjourned at 12 o'clock.

The stationing committee has completed the first sheet, which stands about as first printed.

Rev. Dr. Carman, general superintendent, is expected this afternoon.

Rev. J. M. Berrle, president of the conference, was born in England, and received his early training for a business life. Soon after he was received into the ministry he came to the country, where he has had some important charges, including his present circuit, to which he has been recalled after twenty years, Milltown, Ferrisville, Sussex and Hillsboro. He was preacher for the Theological Union at the last Mt. Allison convocation. Mr. Berrle is a good theologian, an earnest and devoted pastor, and a successful evangelist, and a popular preacher and lecturer. He has a saving sense of humor and, as he said this morning, dearly loves a good story or a good joke.

MANY VISITORS COMING.

Car Accountants' Association to Visit St. John on Monday.

St. John will be invaded on Monday by over a hundred veteran railroad men, who with their wives, are coming to spend the day in this city.

The International Car Accountants' Association has been holding its annual convention in Quebec, and the members are now the guests of the I. C. A.

They will arrive in St. John on Monday morning about eight o'clock on Monday morning. Breakfast will be served on the train, and at nine o'clock the party will be taken on four special street cars for a tour of the city.

At half past ten they go on board the tug Lord Kitchener at North wharf for a sail around the harbor and a short distance down the bay. When the tide suits, the Kitchener will go above the falls and proceed as far as Watter's Landing, where a big clam bake will be served. After this the party will return to St. John for dinner at the Royal and will leave for the west between nine and ten o'clock.

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