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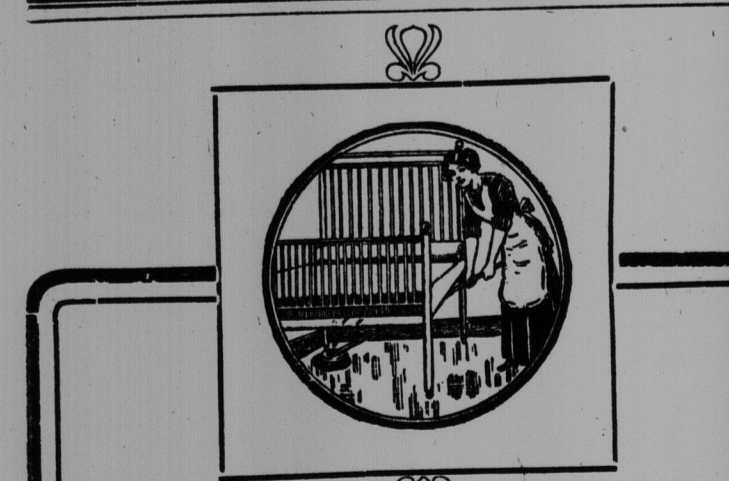
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LOCAL NEWS

SCANDINAVIAN IN.

The C. P. O. S. liner Scandinavian arrived in port this morning from Liverpool. She has 548 cabin and 857 steerage passengers. In addition to general cargo and mail. She is to dock Sunday time this afternoon at No. 8 berth, Sand Point.

JEFFREY-BYRNE.

A quiet wedding of interest to many friends in the city took place on Wednesday, when Joseph Hayden Jeffrey and Miss Elizabeth Byrne, daughter of Timothy Byrne of this city, were united in marriage at the residence of Rev. William Duke. The wedding, which was witnessed by Mrs. Catherine Collins and Joseph Walsh, aunt and uncle of the bride and groom. Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey will reside in the city. Among the numerous presents were a chest of silver from the bride's uncle, and many others of cut glass and silverware.

POLICE COURT

Liquor and Other Cases Made Busy Session This Morning.

"That's St. John for you today," said the magistrate in the police court this morning, as he glanced over his "sundries" in the dock before him. Albert Arsenault was charged with stealing a bottle of brandy valued at \$4, also being drunk and having liquor in his possession other than his private dwelling. He pleaded not guilty.

Sergeant Thomas Styles of the C. P. R. police force, said he was doing duty in No. 2 shed last night and he saw the accused going towards the tap where the men get drinking water. He said he was staggering, apparently under the influence of liquor, so he followed him and when he accosted him at the water tap the accused had a bottle of brandy which he said he was told was on a beam there and he was going to have a drink out of it.

C. P. R. Policeman Robichaud said he saw the accused and he was under the influence of liquor. The case was postponed until Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. H. H. McLean, Jr., appeared for the C. P. R. and J. A. Barry for the defence.

William Lynch was charged with being drunk and having liquor in his possession other than his private dwelling. He pleaded guilty to being drunk but said he did not know anything about having liquor in his possession. Policeman Lindsay said he arrested the man in Charendon street last night. He took a small bottle of liquor from him. A fine of \$208 was mentioned but he was remanded to jail.

James Elliott was charged with having liquor in his possession other than his private dwelling. Inspectors McAlinh, Merryfield and Kerr said they arrested the man in the Asia Hotel last night at 11:30 and having a bottle of gin under his mattress. The case was postponed until Friday morning.

William Carr was charged with assaulting his wife. Mrs. Carr said that her husband threatened to strike her with a chair, but he did not do so. She said she struck him. He was remanded. John Simmet was charged with assaulting his mother in her home at 61 St. Patrick street. His mother, Mrs. Rosie Kilpatrick, said he was drunk and he ordered him out and she slapped his face and spit at her. After a severe reprimand by the magistrate he was remanded.

Fred Vincent was charged with vagrancy and having no visible means of support. Sergeant Detective Power said he went to a pool room and found the accused there and arrested him. The magistrate said he would sentence him to the almshouse for three months.

Lewis Sebanc was charged with lying and luring and having a loaded revolver in his possession. He was remanded. John Williams was charged with stealing three black petticoats, two pairs of ladies' hose and a gray cap, the property of the C. P. R., valued at \$20. On the request of J. A. Barry, counsel for the defence, the case was postponed until Monday morning.

Four men, charged with drunkenness, pleaded guilty and were remanded to jail.

APRIL WEDDINGS IN FREDERICTON

Fredericton, April 8.—Last night in the Devon Baptist parsonage, Miss Agatha Gray of Marysville and David Earle Gorman of Devon, were united in marriage by Rev. H. H. Ferguson. The bride is a daughter of Colonel W. H. Gray of Marysville, the groom a member of the mechanical staff of the Daily Mail. They will make their home in Devon.

LOCATION OF PLAYGROUNDS NOT SETTLED

Choice of Sites for General Ground Discussed Before Commissioners—Three Now in View—Horticultural Association Willing to Co-operate.

The matter of a general playground and athletic field for the city was taken up at a committee meeting of the commission this morning when representatives of the St. John Horticultural Association and the Playgrounds Association attended. The taking over by the city of the Allison playground site at the Gilbert's lane entrance to Rockwood Park, and another site on the top of the hill near the Public Gardens was discussed, the Allison site being more favorable to the majority.

Besides the mayor and commissioners, those present included Sir Douglas Hazen, president, and His Honor Judge Armstrong, of the Horticultural Association; W. K. Haley, president, and A. M. Belding, of the Playgrounds Association; Joseph Tebo and John Henry, employees of the Horticultural Association; H. B. D. Gandy and R. R. Patchell.

The matter of obtaining the Shamrock grounds for this purpose was also brought up and Commissioner Fisher was asked to bring in a report on next Tuesday morning, when the matter is to come up again.

Commissioner Fisher read a report of the road engineer, in which he estimated the cost of putting the surface of the Allison grounds in shape at \$15,000. This would take in a space of about 400 by 500 feet, and raising the grade about eight inches. The cost included 11,000 cubic yards of material, \$16,500; ditching, \$900; rolling, \$1,100, and engineering and incidentals, \$600. If the filling material were obtained from the C. N. R. it would reduce the cost \$8,000 to \$10,000. He said that the cost of preparing the area near the public gardens would be about the same, but the area would be limited.

Sir J. D. Hazen said that the Horticultural Society held the property for the use of the citizens, and said it would be only too glad to see the park handed over to be managed by the corporation of the city in the interests of the citizens. The association would be pleased to assist in the playgrounds movement and would hand over to the city any of its land required. He said that the property at Gilbert's lane was expropriated from the Gilbert estate and it was paid for by Joseph Allison, but there was no provision made for its being used as a playground. If it was decided that the proper place for the playground was on the marsh the Horticultural Association would be willing to co-operate with the city.

Judge Armstrong said as a citizen he was opposed to the use of the Allison grounds as a playground as he thought they were unshapely. John Henry, a park employee, said that the lower parts of the grounds were covered during the rain storms in March.

Joseph Tebo said that last week the place was flooded again. He said that the ground was filled the overflow from the lake at freshet time would flow into the roadway.

Mr. Gandy said that he was strongly in favor of the section on top of the hill, the northeast of the public gardens. He said it was eleven minutes walk from Wall street and eight minutes from Stanley street. From Haymarket square to the Allison playground took ten minutes. He spoke of the possibility of the requirements of the C. N. R. yards expansion necessitating the taking in of the Allison grounds.

A. M. Belding read the report of the Playgrounds Association for 1919, which pointed out that \$2,000 had been appropriated and \$2,000 more promised by the city for the Allison grounds. He said it was Mr. Allison's idea that the field be used as a playground regardless of what was said in the bond. He said that five engineers he said that the ground could be drained and he hoped that the city council would take the matter in hand and he was sure that the Shamrock grounds would have one of the best playgrounds in America.

Mr. Hazen said that the Allison grounds were more suitable, as the grounds on the top of the hill were not large enough and required more work to put into shape.

Mr. Patchell said that one drawback to the Allison ground was the fact that six tracks had to be crossed at Gilbert's lane, and the approach was through a lane. He said the upper grounds were better drained and could be prepared by July 1, whereas the Allison grounds would be ready only at great expense. Bringing up the matter of the Shamrock grounds, Judge Armstrong said that one of the trustees of the Shamrock grounds informed him that these grounds could be purchased for \$10,000, and he thought the city could get them for \$10,000.

Commissioner Thornton said that there would be objection to any scheme brought forward and he thought the matter should be settled at once. The city engineer said if Newman Brook was lowered to drain Lansdowne avenue it would make the preparation of the Shamrock grounds less costly. Mr. Fisher promised to bring in a report on the matter of the Shamrock grounds.

Mr. Jones suggested that the city find out from the C. N. R. what their plans were with regard to extension of the yards at Gilbert's lane. The matter will come up again on Tuesday morning.

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