

IN AND ABOUT THE CITY.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Eastern States and Northern New York.—Partly showery to-night, cooler in east portion, probably light frost in northern portions; Wednesday, fair, fresh west to north west winds.

U. N. B. Examinations.

The examinations at the University were concluded yesterday. The results will be announced to-morrow, so it is stated.

Government Meeting.

The local government will meet here on next Thursday evening and will be in session on Friday. Premier Tweedie leaves immediately after the meeting for England, for the coronation.

A Thirteen Inning Game.

The Junior Citizens and Celestials played a thirteen inning game of ball yesterday to decide the supremacy. The Junior Citizens made the winning run in the lucky 13th. The score was 10 to 9.

Social at Nashwauk.

The members of the Young People's Society of St. John's Church, Nashwauk, intend holding a picnic and ice cream social in the hall there to-morrow evening (Wednesday, May 28th). Everybody is cordially invited.

Act of Vandalism.

Sometime last night stones were thrown through three of the handsome stained glass windows in St. Paul's Church. The act is one of sheer vandalism and efforts are being made to find and punish the perpetrators.

Entertained Friends.

Misses Fannie and Mary McNally pleasantly entertained about twenty of their friends last evening at their home, on Charlotte street. Light refreshments were served during the evening and a most happy time spent.

Gibson and St. Mary's School.

John B. DeLong, '04, of the U. N. B., has taken charge of the Gibson and St. Mary's Superior School. Mr. A. H. Barker having resigned in order to prepare himself for the senior matriculation examination at the University here.

Stampede For Fredericton.

Attention is directed to the advertisement in another column of Agricultural Society No. 34. Stampede is one of the best of the Government's recent importations, and all horsemen in favor of heavier blood, and there are many of them, will be glad to know that Stampede has been made available on reasonable conditions.

Their Annual Cruise.

A party consisting of J. F. McMurray, A. G. Edgcombe, C. A. Sampson, B. C. Foster, A. A. Shute, F. Shute, Henry Chestnut, and several others, leave early in July upon their annual cruise in a schooner about the Bay of Fundy and along the coast of Maine. They will go in the same vessel and with the same captain and crew as last year.

On the Reservoirs.

Last season's cut on the Reservoirs is now all safe within easy reach of the mill ponds. Nixon and J. Hasleton, who had difficult drives to handle until recently, reached boom limits today, that is to say they are within a comparatively short distance of the mill ponds, where the mill men for whom the lumber was cut and driven can take possession. They have about 10,000,000 all told.

A Victim of the Fernie Explosion.

In the list of dead names identified at Fernie, B. C. is the name Wm. McPhail. The McPhail family come from Kinross, Victoria county, and some years ago Alex. McPhail went to British Columbia in the vicinity of Fernie to work. Wm. McPhail, brother of Alex. has been at work on a railway somewhere in Maine, it is said. The name William may be a mistake for Alex. or if William went to British Columbia it was unknown to many of his friends, all of whom will hope that the victim was not a member of the Kinross family.

The "Dug-Out" at Gagetown.

Ex-Senator Chas. Burpee is in the city today. Mr. Burpee is here interested in an effort to secure a Government dredge to work at the Dug-Out at Gagetown, to make a channel on the west side of the river. He is seeking to enlist the sympathy and support of our merchants. The people of York will gladly lend their influence to secure this work; but the time to have moved in the matter was when Parliament was in session, when the representative of the constituency could have communicated the facts to the Minister of Public Works.

GOING TO CORONATION.

Sergt. J. H. Wilson, of Burt's Corner, and R. P. Allen have been selected to represent the 71st Regiment on the coronation contingent. They go as privates. They and Sergt. Coupe and Privates Vandal and McLaughlin, of No. 4 Co., R. C. R., who were selected some time ago, leave on the C. E. E. tomorrow afternoon for Quebec where the coronation contingent is to mobilize and from which port they sail for England on June 7th.

Col. Loggie was asked by the militia department about four weeks ago to recommend four men to represent the regiment at the coronation, the commanding officers of other corps throughout Canada receiving similar notification. The notice stated that preference would be given to those who had seen active service in South Africa, and Col. Loggie recommended Sergt. Wilson of Burt's Corner, J. Albert Eekins of Fredericton, Fred Walker of Stanley, and Ira P. Brown of St. Stephen, all of whom have been on active service. The department made the appointments above mentioned.

Drink Grano, Cereal Coffee.

SCOTT ACT.

Decision Against John McCoy—Mr. Philpott's Statement.

Judge Marsh this morning delivered judgment in the McCoy Scott Act case, finding the defendant guilty and imposing the usual penalty, a \$50 fine. In delivering judgment His Honor briefly reviewed the evidence. He said that the evidence for the prosecution was clear and explicit. A witness had come into court and had sworn that he bought whiskey at McCoy's place; and the bottle of whiskey which he swore he purchased there was produced in court.

The defendant had set up three lines of defence. One was that the witness, Bleakney, had been in a barber shop in the city in an intoxicated condition and had offered other persons liquor. His Honor did not consider that fact, if it was a fact, as having anything to do with the McCoy case, and should never have been introduced.

Another point sought to be established by the defence was that the witness did not believe in God, man or the devil, and that therefore his word was not to be taken in court. Bert Lint was called to prove certain statements said to have been made by the witness regarding his agnostic principles. Bert Lint had contradicted himself and another witness had sworn differently to Lint in this matter. His Honor said that he attached no importance to what Lint said, and that he placed no reliance upon his word or his evidence.

The other line of defence set up was to prove an alibi; and a witness was called to establish that Fred McCoy, who Bleakney stated sold him the liquor, was at St. Mary's at the time. The most that had been shown in this connection was that Fred McCoy was at St. Mary's at 10 o'clock, and Bleakney said that he bought the liquor when he bought the liquor. Fred McCoy was in court and could have been called, but he (Marsh) thought the counsel for the defence had shown discretion in not calling him. The alibi certainly had not been proven. The only thing that remained for him to do was to decide that the charge had been proven and to impose the usual penalty.

When the case against Howard Orangle was called, Mr. J. D. Philpott said that he had made a statement on behalf of the complainant, Rev. J. J. Colter. The complainant and those associated with him in preferring the charge against Scott Act violators had been deceived as to the habits and conduct of the man upon whom they relied to secure evidence, though not deceived as to his statements in evidence. In view of this fact the complainant had decided to withdraw the charge against Orangle.

Mr. McLellan, counsel for the defendant, said that he thought the Court and the public owed the defendant, Mr. McCoy, a vote of thanks for having set up the witness employed by the prosecution in his true light.

Among the spectators in Court this morning was Scott Act Inspector John Menzies of Northumberland.

Mr. McLellan gave notice that the case would be appealed.

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RIVER AND DRIVES.

Water Steadily Rising and Lumber Drives Certain to Come Out.

There was a rise of sixteen inches in the river at this point during the twenty-four hours ended at 8 o'clock this morning. A steady rise of half an inch an hour is recorded to-day. Logs are running very plentifully into the booms and down river. It rained here for a couple of hours this afternoon.

Edmundston reports that the water raised two inches at hour there all day yesterday and is still coming up. Logs are running in great numbers and all the drives are coming out.

CRITICALLY ILL AGAIN

Mr. Frank Shute Operated upon at the Hospital for Appendicitis.

Mr. Frank Shute, who arrived home from Havana a few days ago, and was thought to be fast convalescing from his recent illness, was taken ill again last night at Windsor Hall. This morning it was decided that he should enter the hospital and undergo an operation for appendicitis. He was operated upon at the hospital this afternoon at 3:30 by Drs. Van Wart and Crockett.

Drink Grano, Cereal Coffee.

Acting Premier During Mr. Tweedie's Absence.

At the next meeting of the Provincial Government one of its members will be appointed Acting Premier to officiate during Hon. Mr. Tweedie's absence, but the issue in connection therewith has not yet been decided. At the coronation ceremonies at London, Practice or precedent, it is understood, requires the appointment to go to a member of the Executive already holding a portfolio.

It Strikes the Heart.

Not only is the victim of Rheumatism a constant sufferer, but the disease is contagious and the disease will reach the heart, which means sudden and unexpected death. Rheumatism can only be cured when the uric acid is removed from the blood by the healthy action of the kidneys. Dr. Chase's Kidney Liver Pills makes the kidneys healthy and vigorous, and so gradually and thoroughly cures Rheumatism by removing the cause. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box.

College Play.

The Rivals will be presented in the opera house next Thursday night, 29th inst., by the best dramatic talent of the University. This will include both students and professor and promises a treat to the public. The costumes are rich, quaint and handsome, suitable to the time of the play, and the characters are remarkably well represented. Seats are selling rapidly this morning at McMurray's.

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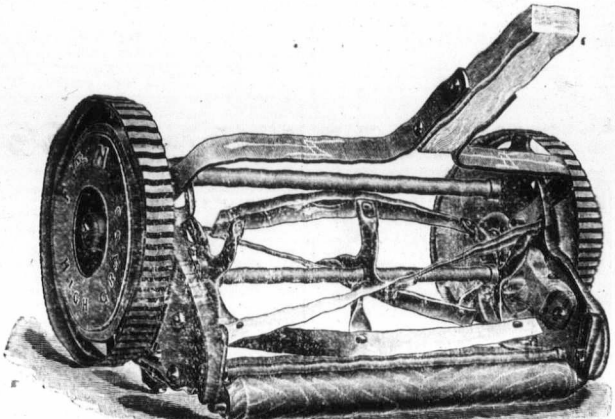
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