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LOCAL NEWS.

A Yale key, found on the street this morning is at the Star office.

The New Brunswick Historical society will meet this evening.

Judge Forbes requests the grand jury to meet at the court house tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

The Mina and Little steamed into Portland on Sunday with 16,000 live lobsters from Port Mouton, N. S.

A more favorable season for the farmer than the present, so far, it would be needless to look for or expect.—Woodstock Press.

The hardware firms of Ottawa have signed an agreement to close their stores at one o'clock every Saturday afternoon during July and August.

An additional building twenty by thirty feet has been added to the Maritime nail works plant. It will contain an additional annealing pot.

The Maritime Nail Works Co. has given all its employees the Saturday half holiday for three months. The men will receive full pay.

D. Magee's Sons want a young man as clerk in their retail department. The F. B. Williams Co. want a driver for their delivery team. See advts.

The South End League will open its season tonight on the Barrack Square. The Aberdeens and Franklins will be the opposing teams. Game will be called at 6.30.

William J. Betts, who met his death on the railway at Somerville, Mass., on May 29th, was 28 years old and the youngest son of Henry and the late Eleanor Betts of Shediac.

The marriage of Miss Clementina Lucas, daughter of Rev. A. Lucas, of Sussex, will take place tomorrow at her home to Rev. Mr. Halpenny of Quebec.

The service at the Exmouth street Methodist church Sunday evening will be in charge of the Sunday school. The officers and teachers for the year will be officially appointed.

There was a sale of crown lands at Fredericton today. All the lots offered went at the upset price of \$1 per acre, except one lot of 100 acres in Kent Co. for which Gurney R. Jones of Moncton, paid \$1.75 per acre.

At this evening's meeting of the Natural History society there will be read a "note on the possibility of developing power by the movement of slides at the falls," by Prof. A. Wilmer Duff.

Nearly all of the Woodstock battery boys who were in South Africa intend to take part in the shooting competition of the Dominion Artillery Association at Deseronto, Ont., on July 4, 5 and 6.

The Sunday school of Gormain street Baptist church have decided to hold their annual picnic on June 15. The plan is to go by train to Wolford. This is the first large picnic heard of this season.

W. H. Harrison, son of Hugh Harrison, for many years a fishery warden on the St. John river, committed suicide recently in a lumbermen's boarding house which he kept for the Redington, Me. Lumber Co. He was in very bad health.

A lunatic from Dalhousie was brought to the city today on the Quebec express. He had been working in the lumber woods and there became so violent that he had to be taken home. On his way to the city it was found necessary to handcuff him and tie his feet.

Dan Littlejohn will be tendered a testimonial next Monday night at the Pastime club. A good programme is promised. John Cregan will box ten rounds for a decision with Young Kelly of New York. Littlejohn and Cregan will don the mitts for six rounds. There will be two or three other four round contests between the best local boxers.

There was great excitement at Apohaqui the other day. Looking down from the bridge a something was seen in the river that one man thought was a salmon and another a sea-horse, and others various other things. Curiosity mingled with awe on the part of the younger folk ran high for some time. One man brought a gun and blazed away at the monster. Later it was discovered that the awesome thing was an old eel, with one end dragging at the bottom of the stream and the other bobbing up and down with the current. When the village returned to its normal state of calm.

THE LATE MRS. ARMSTRONG.

The funeral of the late Jane Jones Armstrong, widow of the late John Armstrong, which took place this afternoon, was very largely attended. At eleven o'clock a private service was held at the residence of Mrs. G. R. Pugsley, 80 Coburg street, and at three o'clock the body was taken to St. John's (Stone) church, where services were conducted by Rev. John de Goyres. Interment was made in Fernhill. There were no pall-bearers. Among the many beautiful floral tributes was a handsome pillow from the members of Mrs. Armstrong's family. It was formed of white roses, carnations, smilax, swansons and ferns and bore the word "mother" in purple.

THIS EVENING.

Monthly meeting Natural History society.

Entertainment of Lend-a-Hand circle of King's Daughters in Guild parlors.

Meeting of N. B. Historical society.

Literary and musical entertainment in old church building, Main street Baptist church.

Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Victoria Temple of Honor.

Vernon L. O. L.

Granite Rock division, S. of T. Dominion L. O. L.

PERSONALS.

Rev. W. Camp, of Sussex, is in town today.

L. J. Tweedie arrived in the city today.

Harry Eiman, an agent of the International Correspondence School at Scranton, left today for Charlottetown.

Miss Gertrude McDermott of St. John is visiting her Misses Bourque, Latta street, Moncton.

Manford Ritchie, of St. John, N. B., has been visiting friends in this vicinity.—Cambridge, Mass., Times, 1st inst.

Dr. Inch, chief superintendent of education, will make a trip to England this summer.

Mrs. Hilyard and Miss May Hilyard, of Fredericton, are in the city to attend the marriage of Miss Mabel Smith.

Miss Gertrude Coulthard, of Fredericton, will sail on Thursday for England.

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Judge and Mrs. Steadman arrived in Fredericton on Saturday from Florida, where they had spent the winter. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chestnut.

SALVAGE CORPS MEETING.

At the regular meeting of No. 1 Company Salvage last evening the invitation to the tournament in Halifax was discussed. Owing to the great expense it was decided not to accept.

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STILL THEY COME.

Yet another criminal assault has come to light and again the victim is a comparatively young girl. The man in the case is Michael McCann, and he was arrested between twelve and one o'clock on Erin street.

The information was sworn to by Ada May King, a girl of about fourteen years of age. The alleged offence is said to have been committed on the twenty-third of May. McCann is an old offender, having often appeared in the police court for drunkenness. Both parties live in the same house on Erin street; Miss King in the upper flat with her parents, and McCann on the lower floor. It was in this house that the offence was committed.

McCann was brought before the magistrate this afternoon and remanded.

HARVEY'S SPECIAL DEPARTMENT.

Harvey, the Union street clothier, has issued a neat leaflet giving particulars about his C. M. fine tailoring department, by means of which he provides men with clothes made to measure from cloth which the customer selects in his store, and at prices very little higher than for ready made clothing.

"While we like," he says, "to have from 10 to 14 days' notice to complete the orders, and there are no disappointing delays in delivery," Mr. Harvey invites all interested in male attire to call and examine the clothes and get his prices in this special department.

INDIANTOWN NOTES.

This forenoon an express wagon, belonging to Frank M. Goreham, of Indiantown, broke down in Carleton and was hauled back to the city.

The schooner Delta B. came in today with a load of sand from the Devil's Back for P. Nae & Son.

The Hampstead had a small freight both ways today, among her cargo going up were a number of plates and heavy timber for the new bridge at Hampstead.

The woodboat Minnie came down today from the head of the reach with a load of kiln wood for Purdy & Green.

TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED DOGS.

So far about one hundred and twenty dog licenses have been taken out. There are, according to some estimate of the officials about twenty-five hundred canines of all sizes, colors and breeds in the city. Of these during the season about ten hundred will be licensed. A number of the remainder will come to an untimely end during the annual slaughter of the innocents. The rest will enjoy unlicensed freedom.

THOSE KING'S CO. CASES.

At Hampton yesterday Andrew Black and William Brown, charged with arson and theft, were committed for trial at the county court. Judge Wedderburn severely censured the Sussex magistrate for not filing a deposition with the clerk of the court as required by law. Watson and Welsh, charged with burglary at Penobscot, were remanded until tomorrow.

BISHOP SWEENEY'S WILL.

In the probate court yesterday afternoon the matter of the will of the late Bishop Sweeney was further considered. Bishop Casey gave evidence and the matter of the bonds held by the late bishop was enquired into. His lordship stated he did not know where any of the bonds were. Mr. Pugsley asked that the bonds be produced. The case was further adjourned until Monday next.

The magistrate announced today that all cases of desecration of the Sabbath would be heard next Saturday at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

The pastor of St. David's church will officiate at two weddings tomorrow, one of which will take place in the church.

POLICE COURT.

Varied Proceedings—Youthful Offenders—A Liquor Case—Mushral Committed.

M. B. Paddock was reported by Sergt. Kilpatrick and Officer Totten for selling soda water in his drugstore on the corner of Charlotte and Union streets on Sunday evening. The alleged offence is said to have been committed a few minutes before ten o'clock and at that time the police saw two young men standing in front of Paddock's soda fountain, drinking from the glasses used there. They did not use straws, and having finished the drink, wiped the froth from their faces and came away.

As Sgt. Kilpatrick was not present, the matter was adjourned till this afternoon.

The bakers' assault case again came on and several witnesses were called. One man, by the name of Scuse, said he saw McKinley make a kick at Foran's stomach, or at some part of him, wherever the foot would be likely to land. That was the last thing McKinley did before being arrested.

Captain Jenkins was also called upon to give evidence, but had not much to say upon the subject. A friend, by the name of Farnham, who was walking down Union street with McKinley, described how they met Foran and how the two got into an argument as to which could turn out six hundred leaves a day. He heard a scuffle and they both clinched. Then they were arrested. Foran had a few glasses of beer, and was this morning shown what trouble it had got him into. If he had not touched any beer the magistrate pointed out that he might have had his little fight in a retired place and not have been so foolish as to begin it on the public streets.

The two little boys, James Allen and Sandy Patterson, who were on the bench dangling their legs and wishing their turn would come, it was very tiresome to them to have to sit there so long waiting for other people to get through, and when at last they were allowed to go, they again sat below while the supposed instigator of the crime was sent for. Sandy Patterson is a bright little fellow of about eight years. He answered all the questions in a clear, respectful manner, and was entirely at ease. James Allen, who is a couple of years older, appeared to be suffering from a heavy cold, and a consciousness of guilt. He preserved a dignified silence when asked any questions, but whenever a statement was made which did not altogether correspond with his view of the case he corrected the speaker. Allen met Patterson about half past six in the evening, and asked him to come and get some oats. Their statement in that a few days previous Mrs. Taylor, who lives on Forrest street and keeps a horse, had told the boys that if they got any oats to bring them to her, as she would pay ten cents for every half bushel. So the boys went and in their hand bushel basket they were indulging in pleasurable expectations of a happy future to be secured with the ten cents, when childhood's happy dream was disturbed and themselves arrested.

When Mrs. Taylor appeared in court the complexion of the case was somewhat changed. Mr. Taylor, she said, had once bought for ten cents some oats which the boys had gathered by sweeping out empty cans and, although he refused to buy any more, the youngsters thought they could still find a market for their goods. On the former occasion Allen had four cents from the proceeds, Patterson three and another companion the remaining three. Patterson and Allen buy candy and cake with their money, but one of the other boys bought cigarettes. Allen has been in court before, about this time last year, for being on the railway track.

The two boys, after having an earnest conversation with their mothers, were dismissed with a warning.

Mary Donovan, who was charged with selling liquor in her premises on Smyth street, pleaded not guilty, and stated that she had not handled any liquor lately. Her trial was fixed for ten o'clock on Friday morning.

Mushral, charged with criminally assaulting a little girl in a field off Elm street, again came up. Evidence with his arrest was given by Captain Hastings. The prisoner had no statement to make and was formally committed for trial.

WEDDED THIS MORNING.

A quiet and pretty wedding took place this morning at 6.45 o'clock in Carmarthen Street Methodist church. The contracting parties, Miss Josephine E. Kinney and Arthur R. Carless, both of St. John, were united in the bonds of matrimony by the pastor, Rev. Geo. A. Sellar. The bride was charmingly attired in a travelling suit of green, with hat to match. The wedding march was played by Miss Cochran, organist of the church. The happy couple left the church amid showers of rice, and proceeded to the wharf where they boarded the steamer for Digby. Mr. and Mrs. Carless will reside in St. John.

COUNTY COURT.

In the county court this morning the cases of The King v. W. Manson and V. W. Rourke were up. They are cases for criminal assault upon little girls. Manson elected to be tried under the speedy trial act, and his case was set down for Thursday. Rourke preferred to stand trial before a jury, and the grand jury is called for tomorrow at ten o'clock.

The case of Beatty v. Walton was then taken up. H. A. McKee for plaintiff; A. A. Stockton for defendant.

WEDDING AT APOHAQUI.

In the Methodist church at Apohaqui tomorrow evening, Harley S. Jones, of the well known firm of Jones, Bros., will marry Miss Fannie Burgess, daughter of Thomas Burgess, of that place. After the ceremony a reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents. The happy couple will visit P. B. Island on their wedding tour.

The bride's sister, Miss Ethel Burgess, is home from Ottawa, and her brother Palmerston from Orillia, Ont., to attend the wedding.

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SPECIAL SALE OF SHIRT WAISTS.

We opened three lots of SHIRT WAISTS, yesterday, which have been placed on sale at the following prices.

No. 1 lot will be 60c. Made from a good quality of American percale. New Bishop sleeves, with lap hand cuff, large assortment of colorings.

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Miss Bessie G. Everett arrived from St. John by boat on Monday on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. R. Everett.—Fredericton Herald.

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