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LOCAL NEWS

POLICE COURT.

In the police court this morning two prisoners charged with drunkenness pleaded guilty and were fined \$8 or two months in jail. They were sent below.

HEIGHT OF THE FRESHET.

That the freshet in the river has reached its maximum is the opinion of men closely in touch with the situation. The water seemed if anything to be a little lower today.

DEATH OF CHILD.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Shubee Carvell will sympathize with them in the death of their infant son, Norman, Grundmark Carvell, which occurred on May 8 at their residence, 241 King street, West St. John.

HIS ARM BROKEN.

A young boy, Harold Gogan, of 88 Simonds street, while riding down Moore street hill on his bicycle last evening, fell and broke his arm. He was taken to the General Public Hospital and given treatment.

SMALLPOX.

Two new cases of smallpox were found last night and the patients sent to the isolation hospital. One case was in Carleton and the other in East St. John. Yesterday several school rooms in the city in which were children of families under suspicion were fumigated. This was purely a precautionary measure.

ST. JOHN INTEREST IN AMERICAN CASUALTY

E. H. R. Appleton Wounded—
Wife Was Miss Ada M. Galbraith of Carleton

Mrs. Ernest H. R. Appleton, daughter of James W. Galbraith of the West Side, has been officially informed from Washington, D. C., that her husband has been wounded in France. Mr. Appleton is serving with the 101st United States Infantry and is connected with the chief officers' mess. Before going into the army he was in the hotel business in Leominster, Mass. He is a veteran of the Boer war and of the British campaign, being born in Hull, England. Mrs. Appleton for some time has been residing in Springfield, Mass.

GOVERNMENT MEETING

Increased River Subsidy and Assistance for Veterans' Club Asked For

A meeting of the provincial government, which was opened last evening in the government house in Prince William street, was continued this morning. The members of the government met as commissioners of the Provincial Hospital at half past two o'clock this afternoon and as the board of education at four o'clock. This evening they will go on with the docket and it is probable that the meeting will be continued tomorrow.

A delegation asking for increased subsidy for the river boat service between St. John and Fredericton to enable the owners to continue the service was heard this morning and consideration was promised by the government.

Another delegation heard was that representing the Great War Veterans' Association, who appeared to ask for provincial assistance for the association's club which is being opened in Wellington row for the benefit of the returned men.

ANNUAL MEETING OF CATHOLIC GIRLS' GUILD

The annual meeting of the Catholic Girls' Guild was held last evening in the Y. M. C. I. auditorium, Rev. Wm. Duke presiding. The object of the guild is the spiritual, mental and physical development and betterment of young women, especially strangers to the city. There are various committees, such as an educational committee, conducting a night school from October to April.

The society lacked funds, but these were raised by the sale of socials, recitals, etc., under the able direction of Mrs. E. J. Power.

The evening classes under the direction of Mrs. Reynolds, Miss White and Miss Winslow, proved very successful. By the energy of Miss White the sum of \$100 was raised by the weekly sewing circle.

Two large items of expenditure were saved by the kindness of His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc, as he allowed the house rent free, and a generous supply of coal free.

Some additions were made to the house by the energy of the board of directors—supplying a piano, desk, chairs and other needed articles.

During the year ninety-two young women passed through the guild, which number shows the necessity of this institution and like ones.

For twenty young women positions were found. A junior society was formed also.

Miss Kathleen O'Neill acted as secretary for the society during the last year, and has performed her duties most acceptably.

Miss E. F. McInerney is president, and always has the girl's interests at heart.

BURIED TODAY.

The funeral of Private George R. Manning took place this afternoon from his late residence, East St. John, to St. Mary's church, where burial services were conducted by Rev. R. Taylor McKim. Private Manning was buried with full military honors. The band and a firing party from the depot battalion accompanied the body to the grave. Monuments were placed on the grave.

The funeral of Harold A. Pyne took place this morning from St. John Baptist church. Services were conducted by Rev. F. J. McMurray and interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery. Many friends attended.

The funeral of Mrs. Henry L. Everett took place this afternoon from her late residence, 29 Mecklenburg street. Services were conducted by Rev. F. J. McMurray and interment was made in Fernhill.

The funeral of Mrs. Florence Mary Rogers, who died in Hamilton, Ont., and whose body was brought here for burial, took place on the arrival of the Montreal train today. Services were conducted by Rev. G. F. Scoville. Interment was made in Fernhill.

HIGHER WAGES FOR EMPLOYEES IN PUBLIC WORKS

Council Committee Recommends Increases of Twenty-Five And Fifty Cents A Day For Certain Classes of Workers

The matter of wages for some of the employees in the public works department occupied the attention of the council committee during their entire session this morning. After a prolonged discussion increases of twenty-five and fifty cents per day were recommended to the council.

In the absence of Mayor Hayes, Commissioner Bullock presided and Commissioners Fisher, McLellan and Hilyard were present.

Commissioner Fisher presented a petition from the men employed on the city stone crushers for an increase of fifty cents a day on account of the higher cost of living, and announcing that they would quit work if the increase was not granted. He presented a motion similar to that before the council on Tuesday, with the exception that it was applied only to transient employees, giving the commissioner of public works authority to fix wages at his discretion. He expected to pay laborers \$8 a day and skilled workers about \$8.75 a day.

Commissioner Hilyard agreed that labor was scarce and it would be undesirable to have the work held up. Commissioner McLellan said that the employees were the poorest paid of any city employees.

Commissioner Bullock thought the different departments should pay the same rates. If one department paid higher rates the men of the other departments would want the same.

After some discussion a scale of fifty cent increases for skilled workers, including motor truck drivers, and twenty-five cents for laborers was suggested.

Commissioner McLellan felt that there should be no reduction in the amount of work planned and, if increased wages were authorized the excess might well be charged to next year's appropriation.

Commissioner Fisher moved that the rates be fixed as follows: Stone crusher employees, blacksmith drillmen, \$8.75 a day; ordinary drillmen and engineers, \$8.50; quarrymen, \$8.25, and laborers \$8; street employees, motor truck drivers, asphalt men, and cement finishers, \$8.25 a day.

Commissioner McLellan moved that the proviso be added that there should be no curtailment of the programme of work and the excess cost be provided for temporarily and cared for in the 1919 appropriation.

The motion as amended was carried and the committee adjourned.

REV. C. P. CARLETON TO SILVER FALLS

Petersville Pastor Appointed As Successor to Rev. A. J. O'Neill

That Rev. Charles P. Carleton will be the new pastor of Silver Falls, St. John county, in succession to Rev. A. J. O'Neill, who goes to the parish of the Assumption, was the interesting announcement made at the Palace this morning by Bishop LeBlanc. Father Carleton has been parish priest for the last thirteen years at Petersville, N. B., where he has proved himself an earnest worker, a zealous priest and an efficient pastor.

Rev. Father Carleton received his early education in the city schools here and later pursued his classical studies at St. Joseph's College, St. John's, N. B., where he took his degree. He concluded his theological course at Quebec seminary and was ordained to the priesthood by the Right Rev. T. Casey. He remained for two years on the Cathedral staff and was then transferred to the large and important parish of Petersville, which covers a large area with many missions, the important ones of which are Gagetown and Oromocto.

Father Carleton's return to the vicinity of St. John will be the matter of much congratulation and satisfaction. He will take over his new charge on the first Sunday in June.

John L. Carleton, of Woodstock, and William Carleton, a prominent theatrical man in the states, are brothers. Father Carleton's mother, Mrs. William Carleton, resides in Padlock street.

It was officially announced this morning that Rev. A. J. O'Neill will officiate for the first time in his new parish in Carleton a week from next Sunday.

AFRAID ST. JOHN WILL NOT REACH TOTAL AIMED AT

Red Triangle Fund Campaign Ends Today—N. B. Figures at Noon About \$65,000

With half of the last day of the Red Triangle campaign over and with but a few calls yet to make, the canvassers are very doubtful if St. John will subscribe her full portion.

The canvassers went to work this morning bright and early with the spirit which makes for success. They made many calls throughout the city and, while not being turned away without a donation, yet some of the donations were not so substantial as they had hoped.

It was figured at the campaign headquarters this morning that at noon at least \$65,000 had been subscribed with many places to hear from.

Chief Justice Hasen wired from Vancouver today a subscription of \$200; W. S. Fisher from Winnipeg, \$200; D. C. Dawson from Virginia, \$50; Mrs. T. S. Simms from Portland, Me., \$10; M. G. Teed, \$50.

Judge McLatchey of Campbellton wired that Restigouche, which was asked to raise only \$4,000 or a little more, had subscribed \$9,000.

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