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## LOCAL NEWS.

Brunswick Encampment Royal Foresters will visit Court Lancaster, I. O. F., Fairville, this evening.

Robert Belding, one of the oldest residents of St. John county, died at his home at Musquash yesterday. Mr. Belding was eighty-three years of age.

See our window-odd dishes, less than half price to clear it up every evening. McLean's Department Store, 555 Main street.

There will be a special meeting of all old and present members of St. Mark's Junior Chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew at 7.45 this evening, in St. John's (Stone) church schoolhouse.

Mayor Daniel received a communication from the department of marine and fisheries stating that a port hand buoy would be supplied instead of the red cone buoy now in use in the channel of the harbor.

The musical evening of the Young People's Association of St. David's church, will be held tonight. A chorus of about 40 voices will sing selections from the works of Sir Arthur Sullivan.

C. A. Duff-Miller has notified Mayor Daniel that he is sending him two hundred bound copies of the Guildhall speech of the Prince of Wales for distribution.

E. R. Chapman, H. C. R., A. W. Macrae, P. H. C. R., and Rev. E. Bell of Oak Bay, P. H. C. O., will go down to St. George Friday night to attend a public meeting of the Foresters.

The ice in the Victoria Rink is now in better condition than it has been in winter, and there will be a band and a one mile match race by Joe McLaughlin and Roy Cook between the fifth and sixth band tonight.

The damages done to A. W. Gay's establishment and stock by the recent fire has been appraised at \$228.90. Mr. Gay carried insurance in the Anglo-American and the London and Lancashire companies.

A train-load of immigrants, numbering about two hundred and fifty, passed through the city from Halifax this afternoon on their way to the northwest. They came mainly from the British Isles.

The St. John Ice Co. stopped hauling ice some days ago, having filled all their houses and stored a quantity equal to what they had last year. The ice this season is of exceptionally fine quality, being clear and solid as a rule, and not generally seamy.

A cordial invitation is extended to the South African Veterans to meet with the New Brunswick Military Veterans, at Foresters' hall, Charlotte street, on Thursday evening the 13th inst., at 8 o'clock, as matters of importance will then be discussed.

The special services in the Queen Square Methodist church are being continued this week. Rev. W. J. Kirby assists the pastor, Rev. R. W. Weddall, in the afternoon services for children. All the meetings are being well attended.

The body of the late Miss Annie G. Partelow, formerly of this city, who died in Boston yesterday, was brought to the city by today's train and taken to the Mission church. Her funeral will be held tomorrow. Miss Partelow was fifty-six years of age.

A meeting of the special committee of the New Brunswick and P. E. Island Conference will be held in Centenary church at four o'clock this afternoon. Among the matters to be brought up for discussion will be the question of the date of meeting of the annual conference to be held, this year, in Sackville.

Supreme Grand Master David L. Carley of Windsor, Ontario, has arrived in the city and will officially visit St. John preceptory, No. 3, A. U. U. de Mole preceptory and Ivanhoe preceptory on Monday in the Masonic Temple this evening. After the examination of the work a banquet will be held.

The funeral of the late James McFarlane took place at half-past two o'clock this afternoon from his late residence 117 Simonds street. Services were conducted by the Rev. Geo. Steele and Rev. George S. Gardiner, and the choir of the Portland Methodist church assisted in the singing. Interment was in Cedar Hill.

Capt. Beverley Armstrong will deliver a lecture this evening, in St. Matthew's church, Douglas Avenue, on experiences in South Africa. The lecture will be illustrated with stereoscopic views and a number of curios will be exhibited. During the evening Robert Ritchie will sing "The Absent Minded Beggar."

### NUMBERING THE HOUSES.

The work of numbering the houses is nearing completion and as yet no one has been reported for failing or refusing to comply with the by-law. All persons who have no numbers on their houses have been requested by the police to have the numbers put on and the officers have not as yet found anyone who is unwilling to do so. In some cases occupants are a little slow but they claim that metal numbers cannot easily be had in the city, that since the enforcement of the regulations there has been such a demand for the numbers that the different firms supplying them are compelled to take the names of applicants and furnish them in regular order. A large number of enamelled figures are also being used.

### WEDDED LAST EVENING.

Last evening Frederick Charles Stubbs, of 59 Harrison street and Miss Jennie Hart, daughter of Edward Hart, of Spar Cove Road, were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George Steele at the Portland Methodist church parsonage, on Adelaide Road, and on account of the recent death of the groom's mother was a very quiet affair, only a few of the most intimate friends of the parties being present. Mr. and Mrs. Stubbs will reside on Harrison street.

## CIRCUIT COURT.

**Judge Gregory Speaks About Grand Jury Privileges.**

The March circuit of the St. John circuit court opened this morning. Judge Gregory presiding. There was no criminal business to come up, and the docket is a small one. His honor, in addressing the jury, referred to the right the members of that body had of investigating matters of public interest. In this connection he said that if this privilege had been observed in the past, possibly some unpleasant things that have come up might not have arisen. The jury decided, however, that there was nothing for them to investigate and asked to be discharged. The grand jurors are: W. E. Raymond, foreman; William Hawker, N. C. Scott, Walter Wilson, W. P. Court, W. J. Phillips, John E. Wilson, James V. Russell, John R. Vaughn, Daniel N. Vanwart, Henry Finnegan, D. F. Brown, John Carritte, Benjamin Roden, Thomas F. Sutherland, John A. Stanton, Peter Mahony, T. J. Dillon, Angus A. Chaisson, H. F. Finley, John J. Barry, Robert B. Paterson, Richard P. Pearce, William Searle.

The petit jurors are: Stephen S. Thorne, Fred C. Melick, James Rodgers, Charles W. Segee, Frederick S. Thomas, B. Myers, Robt. Bardsley, Edward Walsh, A. R. Campbell, Michael Hogg, Thomas Dunning, E. H. Fairweather, William Hatfield, John Gowland, E. L. Strange, Thomas W. Seeds, Thomas W. Morrison, G. G. Robertson, Albert McArthur, James Keenan, William H. Shaw.

His honor, in addressing the grand jury, said that it afforded him much pleasure to meet them in the discharge of their mutual public duties. It was a pleasure to state that their business would be very light at this circuit. There was no criminal business to come before them. The burden of that part of the work falls upon the county court, where speedy action may be taken, thus relieving the higher court of a large amount of work which it had to do in the past. The investigation of criminal charges was not their only duty. Representing the people at large, it was their privilege and duty to investigate anything that had to do with the public weal, such as the alms house, jail, hospital and the like. It was their privilege and right to have the supervision over these institutions. The initiating of enquiry remains with them.

Possibly if a little more attention were paid by the grand jury to that part of their duties certain unpleasant things that occasionally arise might not do so. At present there is an investigation going on about hospital affairs, and towards it the eyes of all the people of the province are turned. While it would not be for them to have anything to say concerning the matter, which was in the hands of a commission, it was hoped by all that the affairs of the hospital would be found all right, if the grand jury had nothing to bring before him he would be happy to discharge them at any time.

The grand jury retired and were absent only a few minutes. The foreman reported that they had nothing to bring before the court, and they were accordingly discharged.

### Jury Cases—Remanets.

1. White v. Hamm—G. H. V. Belyea.
2. Jury Cases—New Docket.
3. Cormier v. Dom. Atlantic Ry. Co.—C. N. Skinner.
4. Harris Admin v. Jamieson—D. Mullin.
5. Corkery v. McQuade—D. Mullin.
6. Hayes v. City of St. John—Barnhill & Sanford.
7. Jennings v. City of St. John—A. P. Barnhill.

### Non-Jury Remanet Docket.

1. Gregory v. Union Insurance Co.—J. Coster.
2. Mayes v. Connolly—J. B. M. Baxter.

The case of Mayes v. Connolly is the second case in the suit. Judgment was given in the first part yesterday afternoon. This case will probably be heard in April.

The court adjourned until this afternoon, when the case of White v. Hamm was taken.

### WILL SPEAK THURSDAY NIGHT.

Capt. Bernier will deliver an address in the York Theatre on Thursday evening. It will deal with Arctic exploration, and his great project of reaching the north pole. It will be illustrated by about a hundred lantern slide views from photographs taken in the polar regions, many of them by Nansen's expedition. Capt. Bernier is an able speaker and has devoted 23 years to the study of this subject; his address, which is the splendid picture, the finest view of Arctic scenery ever brought down, will be one of fascinating interest. Mayor Daniel will preside. In order to cover part of the expenses connected with Capt. Bernier's visit to St. John an admission fee of 25 cents will be charged.

### EQUITY COURT.

In the equity court today J. A. Belyea applied to have an order of reference made in December, 1901, in the partition case of Sutherland v. Sutherland, vacated and the usual order for sale of premises and lands made. Order made.

In David McCleave, et al v. City of Moncton, C. H. Hanington moved to make an order of Judge Hanington a rule of court. Ordered as moved.

### THE BOY HYPNOTIST.

Johnny Taylor, the young hypnotist, gave a performance in Fairville last evening. He was greeted with a crowded house and the entire programme was heartily applauded. Mr. Taylor's work was well done and deserving of applause. He will give another performance this evening in Carleton, where a programme somewhat similar will be carried out.

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## POLICE COURT.

**The Sad Plight of Timothy Burke This Morning.**

Timothy Burke proved a most interesting prisoner in the police court this morning. He had been arrested for being drunk on St. John street last evening, and while being taken from the cell to the court room this morning developed a stroke of paralysis in his leg, which prevented him from walking upstairs. After a short rest he was carried to the bench and pleaded not guilty. He claimed that he was not drunk when arrested and announced that after he had been locked up Officer Marshall had given him a drink of gin out of a bottle taken from him. Burke made other charges against the officer, which were emphatically denied, and he was remanded. A few minutes later, while another case was being heard, Burke fell in a fit on the floor and was carried in to jail. From his appearance he seemed completely exhausted from the effects of liquor.

James Kerrigan, who was remanded on the charge of drunkenness in order that he might obtain a lawyer and secure evidence in his own behalf, appeared this morning with a number of witnesses, and through his counsel, Daniel Mullin, denied the charge against him. The evidence given was to the effect that he had been sober at seven o'clock on Saturday evening and only had one drink of ale and ginger beer before he was arrested. The magistrate, in reviewing the case, pointed out that the weight of evidence seemed to be in favor of the prisoner and dismissed him.

### THE YACHT CLUB.

A meeting of the executive of the Royal Kennebecasis Yacht Club was held in their rooms on Prince William street last evening. Commodore Robert Thomson presided.

James Osborne, general superintendent of the C. P. R., and Robert Ross, terminal superintendent of the I. C. R., were unanimously elected members of the club.

In furtherance of the adoption of the English form of uniform in preference to the American it was decided that a change should be made in the style of uniform caps. The new ones will have glazed leather peaks instead of cloth, as formerly.

Commodore Thomson announced his intention of presenting a handsome silver trophy, to be called the Coronation Cup, and to be awarded annually to the winner in a race to be held on June 26th, Coronation day, of each year. The races are to be held on the Kennebecasis and will be open to any club in Canada, to yachts with under a 30ft. racing length.

The fixtures for the year were referred to the sailing committee. The committee reported that the dredge New Dominion had been secured for a week's work after the ice breaks up to dredge at the clubhouse landing.

### TRINITY ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

A general meeting of the Trinity Athletic Association will be held in the Sunday school room this evening to discuss plans for the season's work. The association has found it impossible to raise the amount required to justify the leasing of the grounds for the summer, as the care of the grounds would amount to fully as much as the rent. No definite action in regard to this will be taken until it is known what the Alberta Baseball team will do. It is probable that a sub-lease of the grounds, granting their use to the association on certain days, may be arranged.

### VICTORIAN ORDER.

A meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses was held last evening at the residence of Mrs. Robert Thomson. It was the first meeting since the annual meeting. Judge Forbes was appointed chairman; J. G. Taylor, vice-chairman; M. D. McLeod, secretary treasurer; Mrs. D. McLellan, convener of ladies' committee and representative to the Women's Council; Miss Fanny Palmer resigned from the directorate and Mrs. W. H. Tuck was appointed in her place. Hon. R. J. Ritchie was appointed representative to the central board at Ottawa, and left today to attend its meeting.

### PERSONAL.

Dr. A. H. Gordon of Montreal arrived in the city today. Frederick J. Nash, editor of the Charlottetown Patriot, is in the city today on his way to Halifax. Thomas Tait, of Montreal, manager of transportation of the C. P. R., was a passenger to the city by the noon train today.

Mrs. J. A. Christie of Amherst, who has been visiting friends in the city, left for home today.

Benjamin Rodgers and Mrs. Rodgers of Charlottetown passed through the city today on their way home.

A. B. McLean of the McLean Oil and Supply Co. of Boston and St. John is now in town for a week.

Joseph A. Likely, with his son Gordon, left yesterday for Apalachicola, where Mr. Likely, Jr., will remain for a time at least.

Bishop Kingdon is reported unwell. Sunday he had to leave the service at the cathedral, Fredericton. He was threatened with pneumonia, but was better yesterday.

Miss Blenda Thompson, daughter of Fred. Thompson of north end, sang a solo in Main street Baptist church Sunday evening which charmed all who heard her. She has a rich contralto voice.

### HARRY MCCLASKEY ARRIVES.

Harry McClaskey came in on the Boston train today. Mr. Witherspoon is expected tonight. Plenty of good seats may yet be secured for tomorrow night's concert, when our two phenomenal young local voices will be heard in conjunction with Witherspoon, the New York basso. A great musical treat is promised, and none should miss it.

Otto Hiltz of the cruiser Curlew left today for Quebec, where he will take a special course of training.

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THE Octavius Newcombe Co. are operating their extensive factories in this city to full capacity, endeavoring to keep pace with orders for their popular Newcombe pianos. The Newcombe pianos have been extremely popular throughout the Dominion of Canada for a number of years, and the company have been obliged to increase their manufacturing facilities from time to time in order to keep pace with their constantly growing business. While these pianos have always met with a great deal of favor among the musical critics of the country, they have increased in popularity to a great extent since they received a gold medal at the Paris Exposition in 1900. The Newcombe piano is a strictly high-grade instrument, and possesses excellent tone quality, and has received the endorsement of many of the leading musicians and artists in Canada; they have also been highly recommended by visiting artists, who have used these pianos for concert and recital work in this city and in other parts of the country. They make a specialty of their case designs and their pianos are always finished in the highest possible manner; they are made throughout of carefully selected material by the most competent mechanics which it is possible to secure.—N. Y. Music Trades Review.

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- 3 Green with Gold Edge, 40 pieces, \$2.50 each.
- 1 Pink Spray with Gold Edge, 40 pcs., at \$2.60 each.
- 4 Assorted Colors, 42 pieces, at \$2.50 each.

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### TOMORROW AND THURSDAY.

Householders and all lovers of the artistic in house decorations, are to have a rare treat on Wednesday and Thursday of this week, as will be seen by the announcement made by Messrs. Manchester, Robertson & Allison. The preparations being made by this firm are much more elaborate than they have made on any previous occasion of this nature, and not only will their six large show windows be artistically draped, but the interior of the three departments, viz. carpets, upholstery and curtains, and furniture, will all be beautified with the newest and most up-to-date artistic household goods. Those who visit Messrs. M. R. & A.'s establishments on the above two days will also have an opportunity of viewing an exposition of all the latest spring and summer novelties throughout every department. The public is cordially invited to attend this grand opening.

### HARVEST HOME SOLD.

The woodboat Harvest Home has been sold, as she now lies ashore near the Grand Lake, to a couple of Queens county men. It will be remembered that the unfortunate vessel went aground last spring at freshet time. All attempts to get her off before the water fell were found to be useless, and the Harvest Home remained secure; somewhat like Moses' little craft among the bulrushes. Her new owners will make an attempt to remove her from her summer home during the spring freshet. It is understood that there was a fall of water near her of only about eighteen inches. Under these circumstances there ought to be but little difficulty in getting the craft off at high water.

Have you tried Red Rose tea? It's good tea.

### CONCERT LAST EVENING.

A concert was given in the Carmarthen Street Methodist church last evening by the Cheerful Tilters Mission Band. The schoolroom was crowded and the concert a great success. Mrs. H. B. Cassidy, Miss Anna Cassidy and Mrs. C. H. Hutchings trained the children, who acquitted themselves most creditably in the varied programme, which was as follows:

Chorus, Joyful Praises; recitation, Beattie Pike; dialogue, five girls; recitation, Edna Eagles; song, by four girls; recitation, Kathleen Johnston; recitation, Anna Cassidy; chorus; recitation, Ada Johnston; recitation, Minnie Robertson; exercise, the Crusaders; recitation, May Johnston; solo, Lena Evans; doll drill, by twelve girls; reading, Emma Lawson; reading, Myrtle Fox; recitation, Annie Johnston; solo, Annie Cassidy; recitation, Ada Calhoun; recitation, Helen Cochrane; reading, Myrtle Fox; good night drill, by eight girls; part song, doxology.

In addition to those named in the programme the following took part: Lottie Brown, Emma Eagles, Stella Earle, Ethel Lawson, Annie Clark, Edna Brown, Ida White, Millie Brown, Alice Tyner, Grace Cochrane, Harold Johnston and Mrs. C. F. Robinson.

### FATAL BARRAGE FIGHT.

ARDMORE, I. T., March 10.—In a saloon near Rush Springs, Judge Green and James McGee quarrelled and in the fight that followed both men were killed.

The Portland Methodist church began last evening a series of special services to be continued for three weeks. After this week services will be held twice a day. The people after next Monday will be assisted by J. Ritchie Bell, of Montreal, who has during the last few winters conducted special services in various parts of New Brunswick and P. E. Island.

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