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## THE VOTERS' LISTS.

When and How They Will be Made up This Year.

Every Man Should See he has the Franchise.—The New Amendment Made in the law at the Last Session of the Legislature.—The Use of the Provincial Lists for Dominion Elections.

The Dominion Franchise Act has been repealed and elections for the general and provincial houses will be held on the same lists.

It is right that everyone who wants to vote, conservative, liberal or independent, should know just how the thing is conducted. The provisions for the revising the lists are in the act of 1889. An amendment, in 1899, to that act is that the local government names one revisor, who formerly was named by the county council. As it is now, the councillors for each parish with the nominee of the government form the revisors. On or before the first of August the assessors of each parish deliver to the revisors a copy of the names of all male persons entered on the assessment list of the parish.

It shall be the duty of the revisors, says the act, to see that the names of all persons qualified to vote in their parish are upon the voters' list, obtaining all possible information for that purpose, and such revisors shall meet before the 1st of September in each year, and with the aid of the list furnished by the assessors prepare an alphabetical list for each polling sub-district.

Not later than the 10th of September the revisors shall post up a list in three of the most public places in each polling sub-division of the parish; announcing that the revisors will meet at a date between the 20th and 25th day of October to revise the lists, adding any names which they think should be on the lists, and removing any names that they are persuaded should not be on the lists. Before the 10th of October the revisors shall make up lists of the names of those proposed to be added or struck off, stating they will meet between the 20th and 25th to consider the question. The person who proposes to strike off a name shall give notice to the person objected to on or before the 15th of October, and shall prove on oath the giving of notice to the satisfaction of the revisors.

The list having been completed must be handed to the county secretary on or before the 10th of November. The above are the main provisions of the act and electors should govern themselves accordingly. Sharpers on both sides will try and get names left off, but the elector who knows his rights will not be afraid. Almost everyone has a vote if he will look after his rights. Any one whose name shall be entered on the voters list, may vote, provided he shall have been a resident of any district for the 12 calendar months next preceding the first day of May in which the list is made up, and provided he is at the time of making up the list a bona fide resident of or domiciled in the electoral district in the list of which he is registered, and is at the time of tendering his vote a resident of and domiciled in such district.

An important amendment made last session is that after the lists have been deposited with the county secretary, application may be made to the sheriff, verified by oath or affidavit, that certain names have been omitted or wrongfully placed on. The sheriff may make inquiry into the case, and if the sheriff is satisfied that such names should be added or left off, he may so order. This section applies to the lists already made up as well as to lists to be made up after the passage of the act of 1899.

Fair minded citizens wish all names to be on the list that should be there. The party nacks however, will do all they can to aid the parties, and will not scruple to leave off names of political opponents, when they can conveniently do so.

Let the independent farmer of this county, and the citizen who wants to exercise his franchise, see that his name is on the list.

#### A Sad Event.

The gloom caused by the sudden death of Everett Kennedy was intensified by the arrival of his youngest brother, Norman, from Vancouver, B. C., who received a great shock on learning that the brother whom he hastened home to see, had died the week previous to his arrival. The deceased, aged 25 years, was the youngest son of Mr. Samuel Kennedy of York County, N. B. He had spent the winter with his eldest brother, William Kennedy, manager of a large lumbering operation in New Hampshire and, his health fail-

ing somewhat, he returned to his home on the 23rd of May. On the evening of his arrival he became very ill and Drs. Saunders and Griffin being called in, it was found that he had contracted pneumonia.

For a time his recovery seemed doubtful, but he improved and all had hopes that the crisis was over when on the morning of the 30th ult he suddenly passed away. The remains were interred in the cemetery of St. David's church, Kirkland. Rev. Kenneth McKay of Houlton and Rev. Wm. Fowler conducted the funeral service. Four of his cousins, Leslie, Thomas, Richard Kennedy, and Alfred Henderson acted as pall bearers. The procession was one of the largest ever seen in Kirkland. He leaves a father, mother, two sisters and four brothers besides a large number of other relatives and friends.

He was a very popular young man, a great social favourite, beloved and respected by all; also a faithful temperance worker and ever ready to aid in any good cause.

Deep sympathy is felt for the family in their bereavement. The floral offerings were tokens of the high esteem in which he was held.

Thou art gone to the grave in the morning of life,  
When to thee the world was most fair,  
Ere life's battle was fought or ended its strife  
Thou hast laid down the garment of care.

We mourn that thy time with us here did not last,  
That thy life was cut short in its bloom,  
That death its dark shadow around us should cast  
And bury us deep in its gloom.

And the home that loved thee and cherished thee so,  
Its loved and its lost one shall mourn,  
For the Springtime may come and the Summer may go,  
But thou never more shall return.

Thy spirit was cheerful and shed a warm ray  
Around the home circles so bright,  
Ah, little we dreamt there would soon be a day  
Our hopes and our pleasures to blight.

We think in life's morning when bright shines the sun  
That grief can ne'er trouble the breast,  
But alas! ere its course to the west is half run,  
Our loved ones are laid down to rest.

Then sweet be thy rest in the Land of the Blessed  
The ransomed and sinless are there,  
No sad aching hearts, no wrongs unredressed,  
No suffering nor sorrow to bear.

But we'll meet thee again when life's trials are o'er,  
And thou'll welcome us then to thy side,  
And we'll think of the sighing and sorrow no more  
When we've crossed o'er the deep rolling tide.

#### Romeo and Juliet.

The Butler company has done good work since coming to St. John, but its masterpiece was the presentation last night of Romeo and Juliet to a fine and appreciative audience. The Juliet of Miss Henriette Browne was a revelation of St. John in its earnestness and simplicity. All modern critics to the contrary, can be no new Juliet. The ardent, quickly matured, sensuous, beautiful, but foredoomed Juliet, over whom the shadow of fate spread its sable wings from the outset, is the one Juliet of poetic imagination possible to the general undertaking of Shakespeare's Veronese maiden. Miss Brown followed the traditions. She is the best Juliet ever seen on the Opera Stage, and her work is that of a painstaking student. Her presence is pleasing, her taste in dress unimpeachable. The supporting company, if Mr. Butler will pardon the expression, includes several good actors, more or less accustomed to the Shakesperian manner. Mr. Butler's Romeo was what might be expected from this conscientious actor, and Miss Lathrop was excellent as the nurse; while the Friar Lawrence of Mr. Chappelle was a satisfying portraiture.

The large audience heartily applauded the entire performance, and especially the garden and chapel scenes. During the evening specialties were introduced by J. S. Terry and Miss Lambert.

This afternoon at the matinee the company will repeat Romeo and Juliet, and in the evening will present Lost in London.—St. John San.

#### The Horse Recovered.

William R. Wright of Upper Woodstock lost a horse, and had reason to suspect one Chas. Stewart of having misappropriated the animal. The deputy sheriff was put on the track, and Stewart being arrested by the head authorities, admitted the offence and the animal has been restored to its rightful owner.

#### St. John Exhibition.

St. John's great annual exhibition will this year open on the 11th of September and close on the 20th. In deference to the wishes of the Live Stock and Agricultural exhibitors, the term has been made shorter than in previous years.

Splendid open air amusements will be a feature of this year's exhibition and a programme of different attractions, for all the different days of exhibition, is being prepared.

The various committees, in charge of the different departments, of the St. John Exhibition, are now well along with their work, and the premium lists will soon be issued. The prizes this year will aggregate over \$13,000.

Noting the increased interest in fruit growing in the Maritime Provinces, the St. John exhibition management are arranging to extend their prize list for fruits and it is hoped that our horticulturists will do their part and make a display worthy of this great interest.

W. F. DIBBLEE & SON have just received 50 McFarlane horse forks, 200 blocks, and 50 pairs grapples, and one ton Manila rope. They have also a full assortment of sections, guards, cutter bars, etc., for all makes of mowing machines. Their stock of scythes, forks, rakes, etc. are now on exhibition at their store. All kinds of steel and iron goods have advanced in price very much in the last two months. Dibblee & Son purchased their goods before the advance was made, and they are now prepared to give their customers the advantage of the same.

## GOOD HORSE RACES

Will be Seen on the Track Dominion Day.

A First Class List of Entries.—Names of the Trotters Which Will Compete.—Cornet Band Excursion From St. John.—Good Music For All.

If Dominion Day is fine it will be well celebrated in Woodstock. Let there be a good display of flags and bunting, and let everyone be good natured, and bent on having a big day of it.

The great event will be the races at the park. Coun. H. E. Gallagher has spared no pains to make the races a success. He has a fine list of entries, there will be no jockeying but straight racing on its merits, and the best of order maintained. The following is the list:—

#### 2.24 CLASS.

Anna T., br. m., by King Nutwood, Harvey McCoy, Fredericton, N. B.; Almont Charter, b. s., by Hernando, F. Duncanson, St. John, N. B.; Mattie-C., ch. m., by Alhambra, Geo. Foss, Fort Fairfield, Me.; Me.; Direct Line, b. g., by Alhambra, Geo. Foss, Fort Fairfield, Me.; Lady B., ch. m., by Springtime, H. W. Birmingham, Victoria Corner; Ibsen, b. g., by Yataghan, Dr. C. R. Wellington, Bangor, Me.; Scooter, b. g., by Cerro Gerdo, J. B. P. Wheelden, Bangor, Me.

#### 2.30 CLASS.

Montrose, b. s., by Wilkes, Harvey McCoy, Fredericton, N. B.; Honest Farmer, g. g., by Sir Charles, F. Duncanson, St. John, N. B.; George S., b. g., by Frank S., R. J. McKee, Fort Fairfield, Me.; Kitty L., br. m., (breeding not given) J. E. Long, Long Settlement; Typo, b. g., by Aurora, Mayberry & Rogers, Andover, N. B.; Goldnut, ch. g., by Abdallah Wilkes, T. J. Boyer, Woodstock; Schofield, ch. g., by Egalite, Dr. C. R. Wellington, Bangor, Me.; Gladwin, b. g., by Prescott, J. B. P. Wheelden, Bangor, Me.

#### 2.50 CLASS.

Gypsy, br. m., by Fearless, Dan Hains, Fort Fairfield, Me.; Mary Hawks, b. m., by Jim Lambert, G. F. Saunders, Woodstock; Goldnut, ch. g., by Abdallah Wilkes, T. J. Boyer, Woodstock; Blue Grass, bk. g., (breeding not given) Dr. C. R. Wellington, Bangor, Me.; May Belle, b. m., (breeding not given) J. B. P. Wheelden, Bangor, Me.

The City Cornet Band of St. John will run their excursion to Woodstock arriving about noon. This is a capital band, and five or six hundred of the St. John people are bound to come along.

Remember the races begin at one o'clock sharp.

#### Revisors for the Town.

At a meeting of the town council last Friday evening it was decided to investigate the premises at the water works recently visited by fire, with a view of rebuilding at once. The mayor said that the adjuster of the Western Insurance Co. had been in town and had said that a cheque for \$1000 would be forthcoming at once.

There was quite a discussion about buying a new hose cart for No. 2 company. The matter was finally left to the fire committee. H. Paxton Baird and Wm. Saunders were appointed revisors of the voters' list for the town.

J. S. Leighton, jr. has been appointed the third revisor, by the local government.

#### Home From The West.

C. F. K. Dibblee, C.E., arrived home yesterday.

#### Married in the West.

The following clippings from the Oregonian of Oregon City, are self-explanatory:

HUMPHREYS-HOYT.—On Monday afternoon at 2.30 p. m. in Christ's church at Vancouver, British Columbia, Mr. John R. Humphreys of Oregon City and Miss Ada B. Hoyt, of Woodstock, New Brunswick, were united in marriage by the Rev. L. Norman Tacker.

Mr. Humphreys went to Vancouver, B. C. to meet his bride, who also arrived simultaneously from Woodstock N. B. Mr. Humphreys is one of Oregon City's most exemplary young gentlemen and possesses a host of friends who will extend many good wishes for a life of prosperity and happiness to the newly wedded couple. Mr. and Mrs. Humphreys will return in about 10 days and will occupy a cottage on Seventh street.

The local lodge of the Order of Eastern Star is preparing to give a reception to Worthy Patron John R. Humphrey and his bride on their return. Mr. Humphrey was married last week in British Columbia and is now on his way to Oregon City. The happy couple is expected to arrive this evening.

The bride is the daughter of William Hoyt, Rosedale. She has many friends in Carleton County.

Laxa-Liver Pills have become the ladies' favorite cathartic. They act without any griping, purging, or sickening, and if persisted in for a time cure habitual Constipation.