

LOCAL NEWS

THE ONLY REMEDY.

When the dust is on the counter and the cobwebs on the shelf, and there's no one in the store but your own disheartened self, and your stock is getting shop-worn, and everything looks stale, and bills enough are coming in to make a banker pale. Oh! then's the time a fellow is a feelin' kind o' blue and is puzzled with the thought of the proper thing to do. In such a situation but one remedy applies. If you want to get the customers, you've got to advertise.

WATCH TOMORROW'S PAPER.

Big special in boys', girls', and children's boots at Williams', St. Mary's.

RECENT ARRIVAL.

Mr. Fred Seymour of Messrs. Le-mont & Sons' establishment, is rejoicing over the arrival at his home of a baby girl.

WILL PUT ON PLAY

The Nashwaakiss Dramatic Society will put on a four-act rural drama at that place in the near future.

TO OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY

The members of the local lodge, Knights of Pythias, will observe the anniversary of the founding of their lodge by holding a dinner at the York Hotel on the night of Tuesday next the 25th inst.

WAS LET GO

A resident of the city who was arrested on the charge of wife-beating was let go this morning by Police Magistrate Marsh his wife not appearing against him. The man promised to sign the pledge.

CATHEDRAL CHIMES.

Bumper houses should greet Mr. Ralph Fowler's theatrical troupe on Monday night at the Opera House. The cast is a strong one, including many of Fredericton's best amateurs. The performance is in aid of the Cathedral chimes.

UNIQUE TODAY

The Italian trio the splendid act now at the Unique are making the "hit of the season" Tonight will be the last chance at hearing these talented singers. The pictures are A Timely Lesson (Lubin) Pathe Weekly No. 49 and a great Edison Western drama The Sheriff.

AUTO ASSOCIATION

The York County Automobile Association met last night at the Fredericton Garage. It was decided to hold a meeting on Friday night for the purpose of deciding concerning the furnishing of the association quarters at the garage. The rooms are now ready for occupation.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP

Mrs. W. G. Clark, who has for some time been an active member of the Women's Missionary Aid Society of the Brunswick Street Baptist Church has been presented by her husband with a life membership in the organization. The presentation was made at a meeting of the society last evening.

SCOTT FAIRLEY ESTATE

The case of the estate of the late Scott Fairley was taken up yesterday afternoon before the master of the Court, H. G. Fenety, P. A. Guthrie and J. J. F. Winslow appeared before the court and filed statement. The amount involved is about \$5,000. Adjournment was made until a future date. Dr. W. B. Wallace, K. C., who is interested in the case is expected to arrive here this evening.

MISSIONARY MEETING

Miss Clara Clark, returned Missionary from India, delivering an interesting address at a meeting of the Missionary Aid Society of the Brunswick Street Baptist Church yesterday afternoon. She devoted her remarks principally to the child widows of India telling of the harsh treatment they are called upon to endure and urging the importance of greater missionary effort. She also spoke at a meeting in the evening.

MILITARY EXPENDITURE.

The report of the Military Council for the year ending in March 31st, 1911, is to hand, and contains some interesting facts concerning the expenditure at No. 3 Regimental Depot in this city. Pay and allowances of the officers and men amounted during the year mentioned to \$21,514.23. Rations, supplies, etc., which were furnished them were valued at \$10,076.00. The figures show that the existence of the military depot in Fredericton, although the establishment is much reduced, brings a considerable amount of money into the town. During the period mentioned the strength of the depot was 57, made up of 3 officers, 2 warrant officers and 53 men.

BARRISTERS' SOC.
WANTS REVISION OF
JUDICATURE ACT

Strong Committee Appointed to Obtain Suggestions on Subject--Financial Position of Society Strong

NO REPORT CONCERNING
ESTABLISHMENT OF LAW SCHOOL

The Barristers' Society of New Brunswick, at the annual meeting held in the Supreme Court Chamber last night, appointed a committee for the purpose of obtaining suggestions for the amendment of the Judicature Act and preparing the draft of an act for submission to the provincial legislature, having embodied in it the suggestions which may be made. As the matter is one which will demand careful consideration, it is not probable that the act will be submitted at the approaching session.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The election of officers took place, resulting as follows:
President, R. W. Hewson, K.C.
Vice-president, J. B. M. Baxter, K.C.

Members of Council, M. G. Teed, K.C.; A. R. Slipp, K.C.; J. D. Phinney, K.C.; H. A. Powell, K.C.; A. B. Connell, K.C.; A. J. Gregory, K.C.; J. W. McCready.

Secretary-treasurer and librarian, T. C. Allen, K.C.
The attorney general, Hon. W. C. H. Grimmer, and Dr. T. C. Allen, registrar of the Supreme Court, are ex-officio members of the council.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

The report of the auditors was received and showed that the financial position of the Society was strong. In consequence of the increase in fees decided upon some years ago, the Society now finds itself with sufficient funds on hand to permit of the purchase of certain works which previously could not be procured. Within a few years the library of the Society will compare favorably with any in the Dominion.

JUDICATURE ACT.

The question of the revision of the Judicature Act was considered. As a whole the act was generally approved of, but it was thought changes could well be made. The following committee was appointed to take up the revision:

M. G. Teed, K.C.; J. B. M. Baxter, K.C.; J. D. Phinney, K.C.; Dr. T. C. Allen, K.C., and Hon. W. C. H. Grimmer.

This committee will write letters to the various members of the profession, asking for suggestions which will later be embodied in an act to be submitted to the legislature.

The changes and re-arrangements at the Society's library were considered and approved. It was decided to catalogue the library, the secretary being instructed to see to that important matter.

NO REPORT RE LAW SCHOOL.

No report was received from the committee appointed to take up the matter of establishing a law-school in this city in connection with the University of New Brunswick.

SALE ON

All this week at Williams' St. Mary's Big Bargains in all Dept.

COUNTY APPEAL CASES
BEFORE SUPREME COURT

The Supreme Court resumed this morning at ten o'clock Mr. O. S. Crockett, M. P., presented a commission as one of His Majesty's Counsel and was called within the inner bar. The county court appeal paper was taken up.

In the case of Alex. C. Roy, defendant, appellant and J. and D. C. Harquail Company, Ltd., plaintiff, respondent, A. T. LeBlanc supported appeal from the Restigouche County Court. W. A. Trueman Contra. Court considers.

In the case of Herbert J. Tompkins defendant, appellant, and Waldron B. Hale, plaintiff, respondent, P. A. Guthrie supported appeal from the Carleton County Court. A. B. Connell, K. C., contra, applied to have return sent back for amendment. The case was still before the court when recess was taken.

TO REMOVE TO BOSTON.

Mrs. A. N. Laforest and family intend to remove to Boston about April 1st to join Mr. A. N. Laforest, who has been there for some time.

ST. MARY'S

I got it in St. Mary's at Williams' Big Sale and it is the ugliest Bargain I ever got. That is what they say.

SCULLY PROPERTY PURCHASED
BY ST. JOHN AND QUEBEC RY.

Fourteen Acres of Land Lying on Both Sides of the C.P.R. Track and Including Scully's Grove Transferred to Company--Price Considerably Exceeded \$500 Per Acre--Expected to be used as Site for Station and Other Railway Buildings

It is learned on excellent authority that the St. John & Quebec Railway Company have closed with the heirs and executors of the late Charles Scully for the purchase of the real estate in the rear of the city owned by the deceased which includes Scully's Grove and other lands. Mr. J. F. Winslow of Gregory & Winslow solicitors for the estate, when interviewed concerning the reported transfer stated that he was not in a position either to confirm or deny it.

FOURTEEN ACRES

The property which the railway company has purchased includes Scully's Grove and other land lying on the northern side of the C. P. R. tracks east of Regent Street and also the land on the southern side of the track extending to the northern line of the Pennyfather property which is marked by a preserved street. The land purchased comprises about fourteen acres.

PRICE EXCEEDS \$7,500

The Ministerial Association some months ago strongly urged the City Council to purchase Scully's Grove for use as a public play-ground. It is understood that the price placed upon the property by the Ministerial Association was \$7,500. Those concerned in the transfer will not state the price paid by the railway company but it is positively known that the price received by the Scully estate considerably exceeds the amount mentioned. Mr. A. J. Gregory is executor of the estate.

FOR RAILWAY BUILDINGS

It is supposed that the field known as Scully's Grove will be used as a site for a station, freight sheds and other buildings necessary to a railway. The St. John & Quebec Railway it is understood is negotiating for other land along its probable line in this city and it is not supposed that the purchase of the Scully property will prevent further purchases of land.

HISTORIC SPOT

Scully's Grove has been Fredericton's athletic centre for a couple of generations and last year was improved to a marked extent by the Fredericton Baseball Club. It is not

likely that the railway company will make use of the property during the coming summer but Scully's Grove as the scene of athletic contests and entertainments of various kinds will become a thing of the past within a few years!

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Black of Napudogan were at the Queen yesterday.

FALL RESULTED
IN SERIOUS INJURIES

Mrs. Lizzie Currie Fell Through Trap-door in Gibson and was Hurt about Head

Mrs. Lizzie Currie who makes her home with her daughter Mrs. Robert Barr of this city was seriously injured yesterday afternoon by falling through a trap-door at the home of Mr. George Hyde, Gibson. The fall was sufficient to render her unconscious and she remained in that condition for some time. Dr. H. H. McNally was summoned and rendered medical aid. Mrs. Currie recovered consciousness in the evening. Today it is reported that her condition is not serious as was thought at first. It is probable that she will be removed to her home during the latter part of the week.

Dr. McNally on examining Mrs. Currie found that no bones were broken but she had sustained serious bruises about the head. It will be some time before she completely recovers. The injuries were the more serious on account of her being well along in years.

Mrs. Currie was assisting in the house work at the time the accident occurred having gone over from this city in the morning. A trap-door in the floor had been left open on account of repairs which were being made to the water-pipes in the cellar. Not observing the open door Mrs. Currie stepped into it. The cellar was about six feet in depth and the injuries mentioned.

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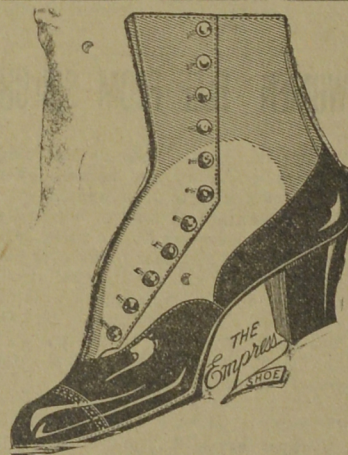
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