A FAREWELL FOR THOSE GOING TO SPENCER

FOUR WILL LEAVE ON MONDAY EVENING

Lee McCutcheon Replied on Behalf of the Intending Students—Result of Campaign.

Last evening a very pleasant function took place at the George street Baptist Church, when a very large number of those who made decisions in the Kenyon Evangelistic Campaign with their families met in the vestry of the church to say farewell to a number who expect to leave shortly for the Bethel Bible Institution at Spencer, Mass.

An excellent program was carried out as follows:—

Miss Maud Camp—Solo.
Miss Lyda Gunter—Reading.
Miss Lena Mott—Solo.
Leo McCutcheon—Solo.
DeLong Quartet—Selection.
Barry Allan—Reading.
Miss Vera Jonah—Song.
All on the program were encored.

Word of Farewell.

After that Rev. Z. L. Fash gave a word of farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gray and Lee McCutcheon, Earle McKeen, Nina Gregg, Virginia Smith, Hazel Howland and Bernice Sharp. Others who expect to go were unable to be present, four of these students leave next Monday evening and the others expect to go in about three weeks. Lee McCutcheon made the reply in a very fitting manner.

After that a social time was spent and refreshments were served. A most pleasent evening was spent by all.

Prof. Fletcher and Miss Willey who expect to leave for Campbellton Saturday morning, were present and added much to the pleasure of the evening.

Thos who will leave next Monday are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gray and Miss Harris.

Deputy in Moncton

Harvey Mitchell, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, left last evening for Moncton on department business.

Sowing Begun.

Farming has got away to an early start this spring. There are reports that wheat has been sown in several sections and that oats were sown at Queensbury Thursday.

Has Come to Stay

Mimeographing has come to stay—The Dermatype stencil puts this form of duplicating in a class by itself. A. Milne Fraser, 157 Hollis St., Halifax, N. S.

Smallpox at Rolling Dam

The Department of Health has been notified of a case of smallyox at Rolling Dam, Charlotte County. Dr. J. A. Wade, District Medical Health Officer went to St. George a few days ago on another case and also will visit Rolling Dam.

Heat Continues.

The heat wave so pronounced yesterday has lessened only slightly today. The Meteorological Bureau at the Uuniversity of New Brunswick reported today that the maximum temperature was 81 degrees farenheat which is only one point below yesterday's maximum.

Married Thursday Evening

On Thursday evening at the Brunswick Street United Baptist Parsonage the pastor Rev. G. C. Warren united in marriage, Sterling Saunders and Miss Mildred Lena O'Donnell, both of Fredericton. They were unattended. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders will reside in Carleton street, this city.

Small Drives on North Shore

Chatham World: The J. B. Snowball Co. drive on the Tabusintac is out. The company's cut this year is all on that stream and is about one-sixth of the usual season's output. The Miramichi Lumber Co's drive is coming along nicely with plenty of water, but as in the case of the Snowball Co., very little lumber is being driven.

C.P.R. Train to St. John

Between May 1 and May 22 Train No. 106 will leave Fredericton and arrive in St. John one hour later than shown in schedules. The hour of departure from Fredericton will be 6.10 a. m. Atlantic time during the period mentioned. After May 22 Daylight Saving time will go into effect and the hour o fdeparture will be 5.10 a. m. Atlantic Daylight time.

A Large Funeral.

A number of citizens left here this morning by auto for The Barony to attend the funeral of the late Mr. John Anderson, ex-M. P. P., which is taking place this afternoon. A telephone message describes the funeral as the largest ever seen in that place. The service was conducted by Rev. Frank Baird of Chipman and Rev. Mr. Middleton, the pastor of the local Presbyterian Church.

Home From Europe.

Mr. P. Gallagher, who has been touring Europe with a party of friends for the past three months returned home yesterday. He looks hale and hearty and claims that he is five years younger than he was when he crossed the pond. While absent he visited England, France, Belgium and Italy. He was in Rome during Holy week, and had an audience with the Uope. He Spent several days visiting the battlefields of France and Belgium and was much impressed with what he saw. Mr. Gallagher expects to spend the summer here and in Woodstock.

CHAS. RALSTEN CHARGED BY WIFE WITH BIGAMY

ARRESTED AT ST. JOHN, WILL BE BROUGHT HERE

First Wife Formerly Miss Harris of Devon, Alleges His Second Wife is in England.

Charles Ralsten a former resident of Devon and a returned soldier, was arrested in St. John on the information sworn out by his wife who with a little child is living in Devon. Chief of Police Finley went to St. John this morning and will return with the accused tonight.

Claims Non Support

The statement made by the wife living in Devon to Magistrate Limerick is that she and her child have not been supported by her husband who has been a resident of St. John for some time. She became aware that the accused while overseas with the C.E.F had married a second time and that the second wife was corresponding with her husband. The charge of bigamy arose out of that knowledge. The wife in Devon formerly was Miss Harris, daughter of Thomas Harris.

Told Wonderful Stories

Letters were shown the magistrate supporting the statement of the existence of another wife in England. They contained reference to stories which had ben told the woman by the accused to the effect that his father was an owner of extensive lands and that the son expected to obtain one of his fathers farms and would locate upon it with his English wife. These stories were entirely fabrications. The accused however, is reported to have brought back from England large sums of money the proceeds of heavy card-playing indulged in among overseas troops.

Left Early in the War

The accused enlisted here with the field artillery in the winter of 1914-15 and went overseas in February. He saw long service with the artillery. Several of his brothers also served overseas.

Similar Case.

A case which presented similar features was tried before the police court here a couple of years ago. Henry Simmonds was the accused and he was convicted and sentenced but while in York County Jail in this city he escaped Simmonds was married while in England with the C. E. F. and after his return to Fredericton married a young lady named Armstrong residing here. The existence of the wife in England became known. Police Magistrate Limerick before whom Simmonds was tried recognized him last summer in Harvard Square, Cambridge Mass., where he was driving a taxi. Simmonds recognized the magistrate also and resigned from his job with a taxicab company with great rapidity. The Massachusetts authorities had a record of the man for other offences.

CONTRACTS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF HIGHWAYS

SECTIONS IN ST. JOHN AND RESTIGOUCHE

Whitman Brewer and Associates Will Build from Spruce Lake to Musquash—Motor Traffic.

B. M. Hill Chief Highway Engineer announced this morning that contracts for the construction of two stretches of highway under Federal Aid provision had been awarded and work would begin as soon as possible.

In St. John County

The contract for the construction of 4.8 miles of highway from Spruce Lake to Musquash has been awarded to Whitman Brewer of Devon, W. H. Maxwell of Fredericton and A. Brewer of Devon. The contract price is in the vicinity of 338,000 and the road is to be of improved gravel type. The work will be on the St. John-St. Stephen trunk road and will be entirely within St. John County.

In Restigouche County

The contract for the construction of 2.2 miles of highway from Shaw Bridge to Dalhousie, Restigouche County, has been awarded to J. E. McIntyre and Herman Girouix of Charlo Station. The contract price is in the vicinity of $15,000. The road also is to be of gravel construction.

Motor Traffic

The Minister of Public Works has announced that until May 15 highways shall be used by motor vehicles for business purposes only and that until that date no heavily loaded trucks shall be allowed upon them. Trunk roads shall be open for motor traffic on May 3rd and all secondary trunk roads on May 10th. The opening of the highways for motors is about a fortnight earlier than usual and the Minister requests motorists to refrain from using the highways for purposes of pleasure after heavy rains.

Paving Operations Resumed.

The paving of Brunswick street which was interrupted last year by the coming of cold weather, has been resumed and a large crew is at work west of York street. Labor conditions are more favorable than they were last year.

Case Was Dismissed.

The case against Benny Budovitch charged with selling liquor in violation of The Intoxicating Liquor Act, 1916, was dismissed this morning by Police Magistrate Limerick because of lack of evidence.

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