

LOCAL NEWS

BOARD OF TRADE

The Board of Trade executive will meet tonight in regular session. Routine business is to be considered.

ON VACATION.

Driver Leo Ward of the Fire Department, is now taking his vacation. His place is being filled by J. Weasel.

SETTLING UP.

It is requested that all accounts against the Fredericton exhibition be sent in at once to Secretary Hooper for settlement.—2ins.

THE HOSPITAL REPORT

Parties interested in the welfare wishing a copy of the annual report of the Victoria Public Hospital and part of the institution may obtain the same on application to The Mail Office.

FRESHMAN DRESS

Dress regulations as prescribed for U. N. B. freshmen by the sophomore class include straw hat of the well known "cow's breakfast" pattern and neckties of bright green. The hats are to be worn all this week and the ties longer. The new class is to be initiated Thursday night.

VIEWS OF EXHIBITION

While the exhibition was in progress last week several very fine views of the grounds and the crowd were taken by Mr. W. A. Walsh and give good ideas of what the fair looked like. Both midways are shown also the crowd watching a performance of "The Cycling Dem..." on the grounds.

HAS SEEN MUCH SERVICE.

The two reserve hose-reels which were at the exhibition grounds last week, have been returned respectively to No. 1 and No. 4 Fire Stations. The reel at No. 1 Station has been sixty-one years in service and is still good for some more. It was built in 1852 by John Maloney of this city. It was used for almost fifty years as a hand-reel and then was equipped to be drawn by a horse.

BACK FROM OROMOCTO

Times: Herbert J. Fleming, J. Chesley and others who went to Oromocto last week to watch the new dredge recently built for the government by Jas. Fleming & Sons, begin her work returned home yesterday. The new suction dredge which is one of the most modern of her kind, as well as being very powerful, will be kept at the Oromocto shoals for a time before returning to the city.

DEATH AT BURTON

The death of Mrs. William Cannon occurred this morning at her home in Burton, after a lingering illness at the age of seventy-eight years. The deceased is survived by her husband, William Cannon, also by two sons, William and Joseph of Burton and one daughter, Mrs. John McMinn of Shirley Settlement. The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon. Rev. Frederick Stram will conduct the service. Interment will be made at Burton Cemetery.

WAS MADE HERE.

The electric lights which surmount the new iron fence around the Soldiers' Barracks, were turned on during exhibition week. There are six clusters each composed of five incandescent lights in globes and they give the military property a bright and attractive look. The new iron fence at the Barracks was made by the Smith Foundry Company of this city. The design is appropriate and it has a substantial look. The same concern also made the iron fence which surrounds the Officers' Squares.

SEIZED LIQUOR DESTROYED.

The liquor seized by the police in a raid on Long's Hotel some days ago was destroyed by orders of the police magistrate this morning. The liquor valued at about \$600 and consisting of various kinds of liquor, was destroyed by Chief McCollom and Police-men Saunders and Marshall. The bottles were smashed on the brick floor of the cell room at the police station, the liquor running into the sewer. The order was issued yesterday when a fine of fifty dollars was also imposed on the defendant.

WON MANY PRIZES.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Darcus, who came here from Ireland a few years ago and located on the Maunsell farm at Kingsclear, are being congratulated upon their success in winning prizes at the Fredericton exhibition. They carried off a large number of prizes for fruit, including six firsts on apples. They also won many prizes in other departments. In the old days the Maunsell farm produced such a large crop of stones that it was customary to send the military up there once a year to assist in collecting them. Mr. Darcus however, seems to have been able to bring about a radical change.

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DEMAND FOR HOUSES
CANNOT BE MET
WITHIN THE CITY

Influx of People Has Caused all Residences for Rent to be Occupied--Impetus to Building is Expected

The demand for houses to rent in this city never was so great as it is at the present time. Landlords are unable to supply the demand, all desirable residences being rented. This state of affairs is one of the surest indications that the population of Fredericton is increasing and the influx of people judging from the demand for residences, has been considerable.

The construction of railroads and other public works in this section during the past few years has brought quite a number of families into the city, engineers and others connected with it having located here. In addition to these there are families who have made Fredericton their permanent place of residence. With the C.P.R. taking over and operating a new division, Fredericton to Norton, within the next few weeks and the Intercolonial taking over and operating the St. John & Quebec Railway at no very distant date, a greater influx of people is to be expected.

The present demand for rentable houses will undoubtedly give an impetus to building next spring. During the present year the building of residences has been considerably curtailed. The prevailing financial stringency coupled with strikes in the building trades last spring, caused several citizens who intended to build on speculation to change their

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WORST CROWD
OF FAKIRS IN
NEW ENGLAND

Fredericton Exhibition Had Them on Midway---Authorities Did Well Handling Them as They Did ---Losses Reported

Those competent to say state that the Fredericton Exhibition of 1913, which closed on Saturday, had on its Midway the worst crowd of fakirs of the New England States and that means the worst crowd of people of that kind that ever attended a fair in the Maritime Provinces. Men from New England who attended the local fair recognized several of those who had concessions as notorious crooks with well known records.

The fact that the fakirs were not able to operate upon a very extensive scale reflects great credit upon the police in charge at the exhibition grounds. The fakirs made continuous attempts to work their games but always had to work quietly and in fear of the police. In spite of vigilance several persons were fleeced. Some cases on being reported, resulted in the recovery of the money. In others the crooks got away with it.

Since the fair closed there have been numerous reports of losses that were not reported to City Marshal Roberts, who was on duty at the exhibition grounds and which indicate that pocket picking, purse snatching, etc., was indulged in on quite a scale. Women had money in hand-satchels and were surprised to find the satchels opened and their valuables gone. Not being able to say whether their property had been lost or stolen they made no complaints.

WHAT YOUR EYES
NEED IN GLASSES

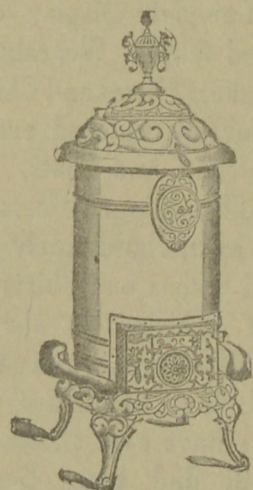
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