

LOCAL NEWS

At the Gaiety.

Friday and Saturday Fredericton's favorite, Mary Pickford, in "The Grind," a Famous Players production.

Condition Unchanged.

The condition of Mr. Eben Miller, who was seriously injured on Wednesday, is unchanged. He is still unconscious.

Reported for Speeding.

A local physician has been reported by the police for exceeding the speed limit in his motor car last night, and for not sounding a signal when turning a corner.

Coal Shipments.

Fredricton and Grand Lake are now handling from twelve to fifteen carloads of Minto Coal daily, and re-shipping it. The bulk of it is consigned to the C. P. R.

Will Re-enlist.

Private James King, late of the 13th Battalion, is to re-enlist in the special service company of the 236th Highlanders. He was three times wounded in France. Since last spring he has been employed at the Barker House.

Will Remain Here.

Rev. Dr. Roberts says that the report published in some Marysville correspondence that he contemplated returning to the old country is incorrect. He has resigned as pastor of Marysville Baptist church, but will remain in Fredericton.

Golf Club Opening.

The lady members of the newly organized Fredericton Golf Club are meeting at the Board of Trade rooms this afternoon to arrange for the formal opening of the links on Thursday next.

Late Mrs. George Fleet.

The funeral of the late Mrs. George Fleet took place this morning from her late residence in St. Mary's. Solemn High Mass of Requiem was celebrated at St. Anthony's Church by Rev. Father Murphy. Interment was made at Sunny Bank cemetery.

Deaths During the Month.

The Board of Health returns for the month of August show ten deaths. They are classified as follows: Senile debility 3, heart disease 2, rheumatic fever 1, whooping cough 1, tuberculosis 1, diphtheria 1, paralysis 1. In August 1915 deaths numbered seven.

A Welcome Visitor.

Mr. Robert Doohan, a local visitor from Foreston, Carleton county, is in the city today. Mr. Doohan conducts a general store at Foreston and does a large business. He is a native of this city and a cousin of Mr. M. E. Doohan, the Regent street merchant. He has many friends here who are extending to him a hearty welcome.

Labor Sunday.

Organized labor will attend divine service at Brunswick Street Baptist church Sunday morning. Rev. A. F. Newcomb, the pastor, will preach a special sermon. The members of the various unions will assemble at the Labor Hall, Regent Street, at 10.30 a.m., and will march to the church headed by the Fredericton Brass Band.

Made Trip in Dingy.

Mr. D. Arnold Fox, well known St. John organizer, arrived here yesterday in his fourteen-foot dingy. He claims to be the first to have sailed from St. John to Fredericton in a craft of this kind. His actual sailing time for the trip was sixteen hours and thirty minutes. Mr. Fox made the trip alone and acted as captain and cook. He is sending his dingy to St. John in tow of the tug Hero, and will himself return by train.

Died at Doaktown.

Samuel Freeze, a well known resident of Doaktown, passed away this morning at his home at the age of 75 years. He was a land surveyor and was well known throughout the northern and central parts of the province. He was the discoverer of the tungsten deposits on Burnt Hill Brook, which are now being mined. Messrs. Herbert D. Freeze and Walter Freeze, of Doaktown, are sons of the deceased.

Big Time Labor Day.

Many valuable prizes have been secured for the grand festival to be held on Old Government House grounds on Labor Day. The affair will be under the auspices of the Fredericton Brass Band, the Trades and Labor Council and the 236th Highlanders. Mr. W. A. Walsh has donated a life-sized portrait for each prize winner in the baby show contest, and Harvey's studio will present life-sized photos to each of the babies winning the second prize in each class, and also \$5 worth of photos as a prize. Prizes donated by merchants are being sent to the store of Colwell & Jennings to be placed on exhibition.

Funny Play, Dainty Comedienne.

Miss May Robson is to be comedienne at the City Opera House Tuesday next. Her vehicle was written by Jas. Forbes, the author of "The Chorus Lady" and other big successes, and is entitled "The Making Over of Mrs. Matt." The stellar role is said to fit Miss Robson like the proverbial glove. It sparkles with quaint sayings, scintillates with witticisms, develops a picturesque love story, and is said to offer clever and rare characterizations of which the star makes the most. The play has a wholesome moral and exudes sunshine and laughter, as well as rich and choice comedy. Miss Robson is said to have staged this piece quite effectively.

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LOCAL BANDSMAN
TO WED IN ENGLAND
AFTER HIS RETURN

Walter Hanlon Writes That He Was About to Leave For France--Lieut. Walter R. Clarke Arrived in England.

A letter received today from Private Walter Hanlon, formerly of the 12th Battalion Band, stated that before the letter was received here he would be in France. He is the last of fourteen Fredericton men to be drafted from the 12th Battalion Band to the 6th Battalion in the trenches.

Bandsmen Theo Sloat and Irving Tapley are the only local men left with this band, which originally was a Fredericton organization.

A most interesting part of Private Hanlon's letter is the announcement of his engagement to a young lady residing near Shorncliffe. The marriage is to take place after Private Hanlon's return from France.

Arrived in England.

Friends here have received word from Lieut. Walter R. Clarke of this city, who is now at Dilgate Camp, Shorncliffe. He writes that he was quarantined on arrival because scarlet fever had broken out among the troops on board the transport. He will be posted to the 23rd Battalion. He left Halifax with a draft from the Composite Battalion.

Funeral Tomorrow.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Amelia C. Sealey, of Oromocto, will take place at 10.30 tomorrow morning. Service will be conducted at St. John's Church, Oromocto, by Rev. Mr. Belyea. Interment will be made at the Old Protestant Burying Ground in this city.

WILLIAM STURGEON
APPOINTED TO POLICE
FORCE BY COMMISSION

Will Go On Duty Today--Succeeds Nathaniel Jones--Latter Denies Story of Trouble With Police Commission.

Mr. William Sturgeon, of Barker's Point, was appointed this morning by the Police Commission to fill the vacancy in the Fredericton police force caused by the resignation of Policeman Nathaniel Jones to take over the management of the York Hotel.

Policeman Sturgeon, according to the statement of Chairman William McKay, of the Police Commission, will go on duty tonight.

Policeman Sturgeon served on the local police force for several years, resigning some years ago to enter the employ of the C. P. R.

He has been employed by that railway as a foreman carpenter at Montreal, McAdam and other places.

The new policeman is a man of good physique and upwards of six feet in height. When on the force before, he was a very popular officer.

Mr. Jones, who resigned from the police force early in the week, gives a direct denial to the published statement that his resignation was due to trouble with the Police Commission through the latter failing to appoint him sergeant. His leaving the force was entirely a matter of business, as he was obtaining a better situation. He had no trouble with the Commission.

Policeman Sturgeon appeared before Police Magistrate Limerick this afternoon and was sworn in as a member of the force.

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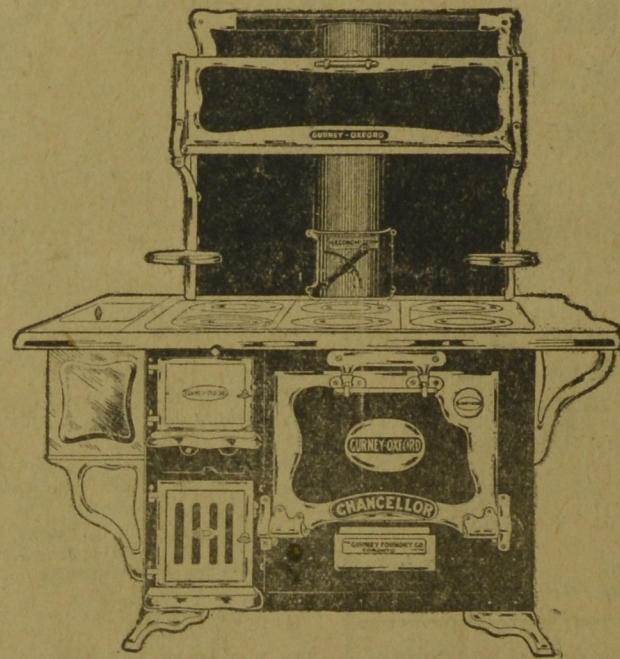
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