

LOCAL NEWS

MUST SIGN PAY SHEET.

In future employees of the Roads and Streets Department of the city will be required to sign the pay sheet on receiving their monthly pay.

FOR BAND MUSIC.

The sum of five hundred dollars is to be placed at the disposal of a music committee of the City Council of three members, who will be appointed tonight. It will be used to furnish band music.

CARD OF THANKS.

The members of the European War Veterans Association desire to thank the Fredericton Brass Band, the Boy Scouts, the Penian Veterans and others who assisted in making Sunday's memorial service a success.

PROTESTED AGAINST ITEM.

In connection with a bill for type-writing the minutes of the City Council meeting, before the Council last night, Ald. Wilkinson protested that such bills should not come into the City Council as the city clerk should do the work. The item was passed.

CHEQUE HELD UP.

The cheque for the payment of seven days' service as a policeman, due William Saunders, a former member of the police force, has been held up by the City Council until he turns in all his police equipment.

OFFERS TO HIRE HORSES.

In connection with the use of the city of its own horses on the streets, Mr. H. P. Baird has offered to hire a pair of horses, weight thirty hundred pounds, for twenty dollars per month, the city to supply "good teamsters." The offer has been referred to the Road Committee.

DEATH IN MARYSVILLE.

Carl E. Estabrooks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Estabrooks, of Marysville, died from diphtheria Monday, aged four years. The parents, a brother and a sister survive. The funeral took place this afternoon, Rev. Dr. Roberts conducting the service. Interment was made in the Baptist cemetery.

ADJOURNED TILL WEDNESDAY.

The case against William Donohoe charged with rape on Charlotte McCoy of St. Mary's, was continued yesterday afternoon. The victim of the assault and her father, Andrew McCoy, were the witnesses. The case was adjourned until Wednesday morning.

LATE W. D. SANSON.

The funeral of the late W. D. Sanson took place yesterday afternoon from his late home in Nashwaakasis and was largely attended. The choir of the Brunswick Street Baptist church was present and sang a number of hymns. Rev. A. F. Newcomb conducted the service. Interment was made in the Pickard Burying Ground.

ON HIS LAST YEAR.

Lieutenant Governor Wood, who prorogued the Legislature on Saturday, was appointed to office on March 6, 1912, so that his term expires next year. Unless he is reappointed to a second term, the next session of the Legislature will be opened by a new lieutenant governor. Should an election be held in the meantime, the chances are that there will be a new government.

MARRIED IN PHILADELPHIA.

Miss Dorothy Boswell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boswell of Philadelphia, was married to Frank Alexander Barbour on Saturday, April 29. Mr. Barbour is a native of St. John and a graduate of the University of New Brunswick. He was engineer in charge of the installation of the sewerage system and filtration plant in this city. He resides in Boston.

ST. JOHN APPOINTMENTS.

The St. John members, at a meeting yesterday, decided to recommend to the government that Mr. H. O. McInerney be appointed judge of probates, and Mr. S. B. Buston registrar. Mr. McInerney was an applicant for the judgeship at the time the late Mr. E. T. C. Knowles was appointed but was turned down. Mr. Buston achieved some distinction recently by his work in preparing the prohibition bill.

OFFERS FOR WHARF TOLLS.

Mr. H. C. Mackey has made the city three offers with regard to the wharfage and anchorage tolls. He has offered \$200 for all fees and tolls. He has offered to collect for the city for half the gross amount collected. He has offered to collect on a salary of \$25 per month from May 1 to November 30. His offers have been referred to the Wharf Committee. The upset price of \$400 was not secured when the fees and tolls were put up at auction and they were withdrawn. Mr. Mackey has been harbor master for some years past.

Hon. John Morrissey returned to Newswich last evening.

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SETTLEMENT RE
SALARY OF JUDGE
OF CITY COURT

Full Salary is \$1,500 --Change to be Made Re Collections--City Stenographer Likely to be Appointed.

A misunderstanding between the City Council and Mr. Walter Limbrick, police magistrate and judge of the City Court, with regard to his salary, has been settled. The latter is to remain at the former figure of \$1,500 per year and the system of making collections through the court is to be changed.

Ald. Reid, chairman of the Finance Committee, made a statement before the City Council in committee last night relative to the matter, saying that the attorney general, Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, had been consulted and had stated that the magistrate should not use his office for the collections in the way in which he had. On Ald. Reid's motion the salary was fixed at \$1,500 per year, the former figure.

City Stenographer.

Ald. Reid also brought up the matter of furnishing a stenographer for the magistrate. He said the proposal was that the city pay \$3 per week on the salary of the stenographer, the court to pay the balance. It was suggested that the stenographer be available for work of the city offices as well as for court work. This matter was referred to the Finance Committee.

That Telephone.

Mayor Mitchell said he had spoken with the attorney general concerning (Continued on page five.)

REV. DR. SMITH
RECEIVES CALL TO
VANCOUVER, B. C.

Offered the Pastorate of St. John's Church of That City--Is Now Considering the Offer--A Gifted Preacher.

A unanimous call to the pastorate of St. John's Presbyterian church of Vancouver, B.C., has been received by Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith, the able and popular pastor of St. Paul's church in this city. The doctor made the announcement at a meeting of the Session on Friday evening last, and intimated that while he had reached no decision he was giving the matter careful consideration. Some of his friends say that it would not be a matter of surprise to them should the doctor decide to accept the call to a larger field, where his recognized ability will find wider scope for usefulness.

Speaking today in regard to the call, Rev. Dr. Smith said that the matter would be dealt with at the next meeting of the St. John's Presbytery, probably in June, and in the meantime it would be necessary for him to reach a decision. It was his intention to leave for Winnipeg at the end of May to attend the General Assembly and also the Board of Education, of which he is a member.

Rev. Dr. Smith has filled the pastorate of St. Paul's for nearly eight years, coming here from Sydney, N. S. He is an eloquent preacher, a most energetic pastor and has performed valuable work in the interest of temperance and moral reform. The salary paid the last pastor of the church to which Dr. Smith has been called was \$3000 a year.

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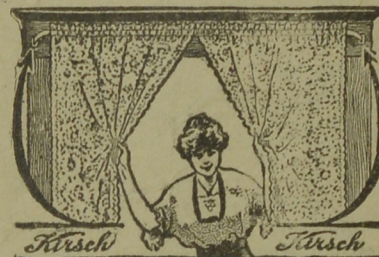
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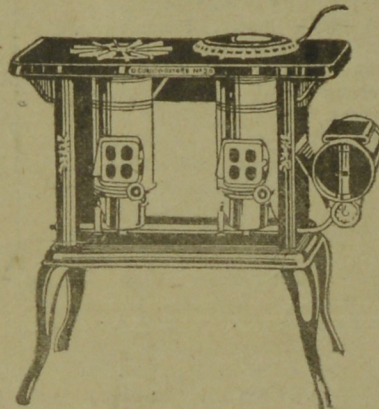
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