

LOCAL NEWS

On a Fishing Trip.
Lord Ashburnham will leave today for the Southwest Miramichi to spend a few days fishing for salmon.

Assessment Appeal.
Mr. D. R. Knight has appealed from his assessment and his case will go before the Assessment Appeals Committee.

Bill Held Up.
A bill from Mr. J. M. Chappell for concrete curb and gutter was held up by the City Council last night because a detailed statement was lacking.

Putting in Concrete Base.
The wooden carriage supporting one of the old cannon near the A. & B. Club House is being replaced in concrete. The carriage became so rotten that it almost fell down.

Summering Near Milville.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gird of this city, who are summering near Milville, came to Fredericton by motor yesterday. Messrs. J. A. Turcotte and H. St. Michel of Quebec, were with them.

R. K. Y. C. Squadron Arrives.
A large squadron of the Royal Kennebecasis Yacht Club arrived today on a cruise and anchored off the A. & B. Club wharf. Both yachts and power boats are included in the squadron.

Here by Motor.
His Honor Judge White, Mr. Andrew Forsythe and Mr. Donald V. White of Sussex, and Prof. Tweedie of Sackville, arrived in the city yesterday by motor. They went on to Woodstock this morning. While in this city they were at the Barker House.

At the Police Court.
One drunk arrested yesterday was fined \$5 in the police court this morning. A local man acknowledged breaking the traffic law and was fined \$3. A Devon man charged with a similar offence, contested the case, and was fined \$5.

C.P.R. Wishes to Appeal.
The Canadian Pacific Railway has appealed from the assessment valuation of \$200,000 for the Patriotic Fund and has asked for leave to appeal before the Assessment Appeals Committee. The City Council has referred the matter to the Assessment Appeals Committee with power to act.

Late Mrs. Abbie Crowley.
The funeral of the late Mrs. Abbie J. Crowley took place this morning after the arrival of the C. P. R. train from St. John. The body was taken to Christchurch Parish Church, where service was conducted by Rev. Canon Chisholm. Interment was made in the Rural Cemetery.

Fined for Assault.
The local man arrested yesterday on the charge of assault, withdrew his plea of not guilty in the police court this morning and pleaded guilty. A fine of \$20 was imposed. Mr. C. D. Richards appeared for the complainant and Mr. G. T. Feeney for the defendant.

Cow Cut By Scythe.
Mr. George Stillwell of Devon had the misfortune this morning to lose a valuable cow. The animal cut herself very badly on a scythe which Mr. Stillwell had left in a cartload of hay. She was so badly cut that she had to be shot this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Stillwell have the sympathy of friends as their loss will be keenly felt.

At Hart's Island.
There has been a good run of salmon at the Hart's Island pool during the past week and quite a number have been taken by local fly fishermen. Mr. H. G. Chestnut, who has a house near by is the high liner so far. The water in the pool is quite low and prospects for the sport are excellent.

Death at Penniac.
George Moore, an aged resident of Penniac, died at his home this morning aged seventy-nine years and eight months. Two sons, Herbert and Ernest, and one daughter, Mrs. J. Saunders, survive. The funeral will take place at 2.30 Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Harrison conducting the service. Interment will be made at the Methodist cemetery, Penniac.

Receives Important Appointment.
Mr. H. D. White, superintendent of the Fredericton Gaslight Co., has received word that his son, Mr. Stewart White, has been given an important appointment with Fraser Limited at Edmundston, where he will be in charge of the installation and operation of electrical plant. He will take his new position on August 25th. At present he is engaged in similar work at Norristown, Pa.

Inquest Cost \$31.45.
The inquest on the body of Joseph Francis, the "Kingsclear" Indian who was drowned in the St. John river, cost the city of Fredericton \$31.45. Future inquests are to be held in the City Hall if the request of the city is to be observed. This is to avoid janitor's fees which were charged when the inquest was held at the Court House.

Caught a Sea Bass.
Leo McGoldrick, a fifteen year old boy, while fishing with a hook and line off the Star Line wharf Monday hooked and landed a stripe sea bass, which weighed about five pounds. Sea bass are quite plentiful in the river during the early summer and seldom if ever has one been taken from a city wharf with a hook and line.

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Policeman Wm. Sturgeon Injured Trying to Board the Truck—Slight Damage By Fire.

Policeman William Sturgeon had one of his feet crushed last night while going to a fire. He attempted to board the motor truck as it left the central fire station but his foot slipped from the running board and was caught beneath a wheel. He kept on, however, but at the fire the pain became so intense that he had to go to a doctor who found that two of the toes were burst although no bones were broken. Policeman Jones who was on his vacation was summoned to duty in the place of the injured man who will be off duty for some time.

Policeman Sturgeon was taken to his home by the Windsor Hall car which made no charge, a courtesy which the police department much appreciates.

The fire to which the apparatus was responding was at the home of Mrs. Patrick Burns, Regent street, in a building owned by the George F. Gregory estate. There was slight damage, a small hole being burned in the floor.

GR. W. M'KENZIE
IS REPORTED
AS WOUNDED

Son of Mr. Johnston Mackenzie—Served in France More Than Two Years—A Brother There.

Official word was received here this morning to the effect that Gunner William Mackenzie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnston Mackenzie of St. John street had been wounded in the foot while serving in France with the Canadian Field Artillery. The telegram stated that he had been wounded in the foot on July 15th last.

Gunner Mackenzie left Fredericton in February, 1915, with the 24th Field Battery and was drafted to France on June 13th of the same year. He was wounded slightly and suffered from gas at Ypres in June last and last autumn in the fighting on the Somme was gassed again.

A brother, Bombardier Ralph Mackenzie who left with the 36th Battery also is serving in France.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Clayden and little daughter of Trenton, N.S., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Miles of Devon.

Mrs. M. B. McNally returned last week from an extended trip to Edmonton, where she visited her son, Mr. G. H. McNally.

Mr. E. Percy Howard of St. John, is a guest in the city.

Mr. Fred W. Fowler of St. John, is at the Barker House.

Mr. Walter Shaw of Woodstock, is a guest at the Barker House.

Mr. S. B. Andrews of St. John, is registered at the Queen.

Mr. George D. Ellis of St. John, is at the Queen.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Estabrook are occupying their summer camp on Maryland Hill.

Mr. James McQueen of Shediac, has been spending a few days in the city, a guest at the Queen.

Mr. A. G. Rupert Darling of Montreal, is a guest at the Queen.

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