

## CARD-PLAYING FORBIDDEN IN LICENSED SHOP

### ANOTHER FEATURE OF THE PROHIBITION ACT

**Gambling Not in Question—  
Provision Extends to Any  
Internally Connected  
Premises.**

A new feature of the Intoxicating Liquor Act 1916, came to light in the police court this morning when a local man holding a beer license was fined ten dollars for permitting card-playing on his premises, Westmorland Street, contrary to the provisions of the act. The accused acknowledged the offense but stated that cards were played only for amusement and that no money was involved. Magistrate Limerick replied that the act did not differentiate between card-playing for amusement and for money, it merely forbade card-playing.

#### Heavy Penalty Provided

The act provides for a heavy penalty for this offense, the fine being not less than ten dollars and not more than one hundred dollars, to be paid immediately on penalty of imprisonment.

#### Connected Premises Concerned

Under the terms of the act any premises connected internally with premises licensed under the act are considered as part of them. This means that cards cannot be played in a dwelling connected internally with any licensed beer-shop.

#### To Attend Convention

Mrs. G. C. Vanwart and Mrs. J. A. Morrison left on Saturday evening for Toronto to attend the annual meeting of the Daughters of the Empire.

#### Fifty-three Cents a Bushel

An Albert County despatch says—Farmers are selling potatoes this week, and delivering them at the cars at Albert. The buyer is P. W. G. Brewster, of Hampton. It is understood the tubers bring fifty-three cents a bushel.

#### No Sunday Band Concert

Through a misunderstanding the public had the idea that the Fredericton Brass Band was to play a concert at Wilmot Park yesterday afternoon and many were present to hear it. No concert was scheduled for Sunday afternoon and those who gathered were disappointed.

#### Completed Engagement.

The Klark-Urban Company completed its engagement at the Opera House Saturday night presenting "The Little Girl God Forgot" to a large audience. This comedy was well presented and was well received by the audience. The company left this morning for Woodstock. The next attraction at the Opera House is "An Irish Cinderella" tomorrow night.

#### Duncanson Property Sold

The Duncanson property in Manawagonish road, known as "Maple Hill," consisting of twenty-five acres of land with two-story dwelling and out-buildings, was sold at auction at Chubb's corner, St. John, Saturday by Mr. F. L. Potts. It was purchased by Captain F. H. Colwell for \$5,500. Mr. Fred Duncanson, well known as a horseman, who frequently has visited Fredericton, was the former owner.

#### Wedded at Doaktown

The marriage of Samuel Holmes, son of James H. Holmes and Violet Irene, daughter of Myles Storey, took place at the manse, Doaktown, on Wednesday evening, May 22, Rev. A. J. MacNeill, B. A., officiated. Miss Grace G. Holmes was bridesmaid and the groom was supported by his brother, Akeley Holmes. This young pair have the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

#### Death at Hospital

Harold C. Bailey of Burt's Corner died at Victoria Hospital Saturday afternoon. The body was sent to Burt's Corner for burial. The deceased had been in bad health for some time. He was operated upon at Victoria Hospital last week for a second time. He is survived by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Bailey of Burt's Corner. The funeral will take place at 10.30 Wednesday morning.

#### Will Raise Capons

Mr. George Brown, manager for J. M. Robinson & Sons, who is a keen poultry fancier, will undertake to raise a number of capons during the present season. Mr. Brown is a successful breeder of White Wyandottes and recently had a number of these birds caponized, the operation having been successfully performed by Mr. A. C. McColloch, the new poultry superintendent for the province. Capons were popular here in the old days, but Mr. Brown is the first one in modern times to give attention to this branch of poultry raising.

#### Died in Victoria Hospital

Murray Morehouse of this city died Sunday afternoon in Victoria Hospital after a long illness for which he recently was taken to the hospital for treatment. The deceased was aged thirty nine years. A widow and two children, Ronald and Gretchen, survive. Two children of this family died during last winter and another is seriously ill. The deceased is also survived by his mother and step-father Mr. and Mrs. John Gourley of Devon. The funeral will take place at 2.30 p. m. Tuesday. Rev. G. C. Warren officiating. Interment will be made at the Pickard cemetery, Douglas.

## CITY CANINE POPULATION HAS INCREASED

### DOUBLE RATE ON DOGS IN EFFECT SATURDAY

**Devon Also to Impose Dog Tax  
—Proportion of Both Taxes  
Liable to be Taken by  
the Province.**

The collection of dog taxes in the City of Fredericton this year is proceeding more rapidly than in past years, and also is proving that the canine population of the city is increasing. The policemen who perform the duties of collection in addition to their patrol duties are finding that in all the districts the number of dogs liable to taxation is considerably larger than it was last year.

#### One Month Earlier

The collection of dog taxes was begun earlier than usual this year. Notice that the double tax regulation will go into effect on June 1st, Saturday next, already has been given to the public.

#### Stiff Rate in Devon

It is rumored that a high dog tax will be imposed in Devon for the purpose of reducing the number of dogs maintained in that town. The town council will probably consider this matter shortly and the collection of a tax begun soon.

#### Provincial Regulation

Under the provincial law concerning the imposing of a dog tax which is to be used for the purpose of reimbursing sheep-owners whose animals may be killed by dogs, towns and cities are required to pay a proportion of the money raised by dog taxes into the general account for the protection of the owners of sheep. Both Fredericton and Devon are concerned under this regulation.

#### Birth at Barker House.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Doody of St. John arrived here yesterday morning and by automobile, and registered at the Barker House. Yesterday afternoon at the hotel Mrs. Doody gave birth to a son.

#### Should Limit Catch.

Local anglers who are wont to boast on their return from a fishing trip, of phenomenal catches, should take care that they do not get into the clutches of the law. It is illegal for a fisherman to take more than thirty trout at one time, and if the fish happen to be larger than the usual run he must not catch more than ten pounds.

#### Motored From Gagetown

Hon. J. P. Byrne, Attorney General and Mr. T. C. L. Ketchum, court stenographer, arrived from Gagetown yesterday by motor and registered at the Queen Hotel. They report the highways in excellent condition. Both were in attendance at the session of the court of King's Bench at Gagetown last week.

## THE 3-HAND MAN

You've heard of him, of course—the man with a right hand, a left hand and a little "behind-hand."

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## COMMISSION POSTPONES ITS VISIT

### WAS TO HAVE TAKEN PLACE LAST WEEK

**Land Settlement for Returned  
Soldiers of Importance—  
Matter will be Taken  
Up Further.**

The visit of the Commission on Land Settlement for Returned Soldiers, recently appointed by the Federal Government, which was expected to take place last week, has been indefinitely postponed. The Commission was in the western provinces for some time and Hon. J. F. Tweeddale, Minister of Agriculture for New Brunswick, while in Ottawa about a fortnight ago, made arrangements for the Commission to come to Fredericton in order to confer with the Department of Agriculture concerning land settlement for soldiers in New Brunswick. Last week when word of the visit was not heard the Provincial Department of Agriculture communicated with Ottawa concerning the matter and received a reply from the Deputy Minister of Agriculture to the effect that it was not known when the commissioners could visit this province.

#### Matter of Importance

The matter of arranging for the settlement upon the land of returned soldiers who may be fit for such occupation, is one of importance. It is estimated that a large proportion of the troops enlisted in this province will be desirous of taking up farming upon leaving military service and will be ready to go upon the land. The latter is available in considerable areas.

#### Week-End Motorists

A motoring party composed of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Horne, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Doody, Mr. M. M. Titus, and Mr. E. J. Doody of St. John arrived here yesterday and registered at the Barker House.

As the result of the precautions taken by the Health authorities in the City of St. John on account of the smallpox scare about half of the population of that city has been vaccinated and the work still is going on.

#### Akerley Acquitted

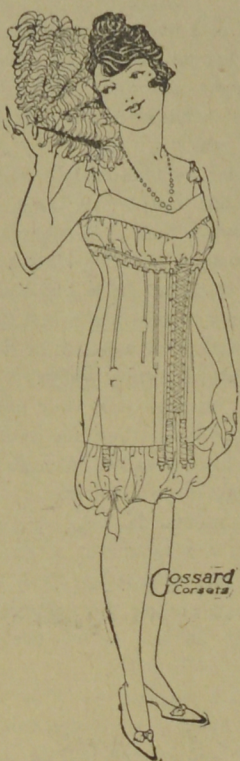
Frank Akerley of Wickham was acquitted at Gagetown Saturday on a charge of rape but was found guilty on a charge of adultery. A reserved case on this charge has been applied for.

#### Well Known Here

Major A. D. Carter, D. S. O., who is reported missing after service in France with the Royal Flying Corps, is well known in Fredericton. He attended the Provincial Normal School several years ago. He belongs to Point de Bute and is a nephew of Mr. T. J. Carter, K. C. of Andover.

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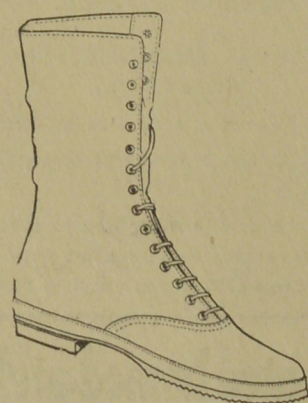
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