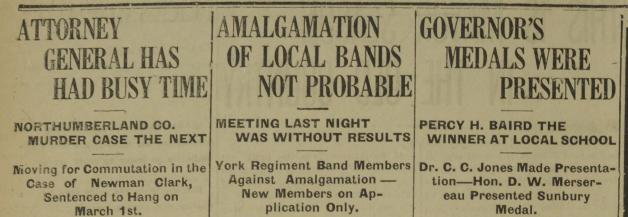
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amalgamating and forming one large band for Fredericton. Amalgamation

mory. There were not many bands nen present there evidently being

a misunderstanding with regard to the meeting. Officers of the York Regt.

and the 7th Canadian Machine Gun Brigade attended with other citizens

Ald. F. L. Cooper was elected chair

man of the meeting. Major A. Sterling was the senior officer of the York

Bandsmen Heard

Militia Band Declines

wo organizations were not forgotten

and would cause trouble in a combined

s not likely to take place.

Regt. present

Hon. J. P. Byrne, Attorney Gener arrived here last night and today is at tending to departmental business. The Attorney General has a brief respite from court business which during the past few months has been of greater extent than during any similar period in the history of the province.

Northumberland Case. The next case in which the Attorney General will be concerned is the mur-der at Burnt Church, Northumberland County, where an Indian policeman Dedam was killed and for which the two Mitchell brothers, also Indians, are held

Crime Wave Theory.

There seems to be no explanation of the increased number of cases of murder, manslaughter and other crimes which have occurred in New Brunswick within the past few months except by the "crime wave" "geory which has been accepted elsewhere. York County will have a heavy court in Januar

Moving in Clark Case.

The Attorney General states that steps have been taken by W. P. Jones, K. C., counsel in the case of Newman Clark of Grand Falls, for commutation of sentence

Clark who was sentenced to hang March 1st, for the murder of Miss Phoebe Bell at Grand Falls, is in Victoria County Jail awaiting execution. Insanity was the plea of the defence. It is reported that alienists have examined him recently and that the peti tion to the Department of Justice will be based upon a claim of insanity.

Engagement Announced

The engagement is announced of Miss Ethel Emerson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Emerson, of St. John to Major G. H. McCallum, Ot-tawa, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. S. McCallum, Smith's Falls, Ontario.

To Travel in Europe

Mr. and Mrs. Robert FitzRandolph and Miss Constance FitzRandolph Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gregory and Miss Hilda Gregory leave early in the new year on a trip to Europe. The party expect to be gone six months.

To Reach Halifax Tuesday

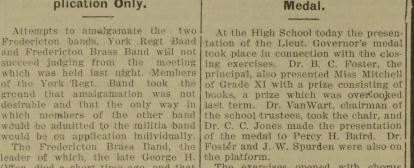
The Canadian cruiser Aurora and destroyers Patricia and Patriot wil arrive in Halifax on Tuesday, Dec. 21. The warships arrived at Bermuda on Wednesday from Devenport via the Azores. These vessels are the nucleus of a new Canadian navy.

Married Thursday Afternoon

Miss Mina S. Arbeau and Thomas Allan Connors both of Upper Black ville were united in marriage at the George Street United Baptist Parson age in this city Thursday afternoon Rev. Z. L. Fash performing the cere mony. The couple was unattended They will reside at Upper Blackville

St. Paul's Ladies Aid

The Ladies' Aid of St. Paul's Church held a banquet for the members of the Memorial



the platform. The exercises opened with chorus singing "Good King Winceslas." Af-ter this Dr. VanWart made a short Offen, died a short time ago, and that and recently made overtures toward speech in which he announced Percy H. Baird as winner of the Lieut. Gover-Meeting at Armory The meeting which was arranged through the York Commercial Club was held in the bandroom at the arnor's medal, and Dr. C. C. Jones pro

ented the medal. Dr. Jones, in opening his address spoke of Mr. Baird's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H P. Baird, moving to Frederic-ton to get better facilities for their children's education. He said that they should feel amply repaid by the record which their children had made at the High School and also at U. N. Mr. Baird had received the meda as a result of hard work. His winning of the medal was due largely to the efforts which he put forth while h school and not wholly due to the effi ciency of the school. Mr. Baird was The bandsmen heard were Band-master James White, Theo. Sloat and C. Percy Edgecombe of the York Regt. Band and R. H. Wandless and U. N. B. in the near future. Dr. Jones Ford Delong of the Brass Band. The in closing his presentation address proposal from the Brass Band was said he did not want to keep the pupils that there be an amalgamation of the long, so he would present the prize a two organizations the name York once. Regt. Band being used when a band

Another Presentation

would be required for military duties and the name Fredericton Brass Band on other occasions. That would give Dr. Foster then said he had to pre sent a prize of some books which were overlooked last term. He said this was due, he supposed, to the change he combined organization the use of the militia bandroom and the right to apply for a civic grant as well. of teachers When the final return came in last year he found a mistake Militia Band Declines The representatives of the militia band advanced arguments which in heart were that competition between hort were that competition between should have been two prize there the two bands was desirable, that hard feelings of the past between the presented. Miss Wallace was present

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band, that mere union would not provide correct instrumentation, that tered into an agreement. Both officers each band could develop better as a separate organization and that the York Regt. Band would accept players from the other organization only on personal application and voting upon that application. the impression that amalgamation was wanted by both bands. That impres-sion certainly was not correct. Major Others Heard Major Sterling briefly outlined the requirements of a militia band under regulations. Col. W. J. Osborne stat-ed that he had come as a represent

egulations. Col. W. J. Osborne stat- The opinion was expressed that ad that he had come as a representa- members of the two bands themselves ive of the Commercial Club but un- would have to get together before any



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evening. A very pleasant time was spent by those present and plans for the coming year were formulated. Mrs C. A. McVey who retires at the end of the year has peen a very successful president. She is succeeded by Mrs. J. S. Scott.

Close for Holidays

The Christmas examinations at the University of New Brunswick closed yesterday. Many of the, out-of-town students are leaving the city today. The foresters are remaining in town being engaged in cutting lumber or the college grounds in an effort to raise money for the Memorial building. The classes at the Provincial Nor mal School closed today without public exercises.

Opera House

The week end play is "The Strange Boarder" with Will Rogers the star. Will Rogers, who is a prime favorite here will give fans a chance to se what Jimmie Rogers, his small som can do in this picture. Jimmie and his father play father and son in the pic ture too. Irene Rich is the leading woman. It is a story of a man who is made a dupe of his friends and who loses everything through his faith in them. A story of sacrifice, of fatherly love and of the happiness that finally comes to the man—that's The Strange Boarder. The serial "Daredevil Jack" is finished and a new one called "The Phantom Foe" begins.

At the Gaiety The week end play is "The Sins of St. Anthony" with Bryant Washburn, the featured player. Bryant Washburn, known as one of the best dressed actors on the screen, wears an old frock coat of greenish blue, Congress gaiters a derby hat and a black string tie in "The Sins of St. Anthony" his new "The Sins of St. Anthony" his new photoplay. Anthony is a young scien-tists who knows the world better through a microscope than the one that lies the other side of his horn-rimmed glasses. His girl turns him down, because he's such a slow one. Thereupon a great light dawns upon Anthony and he proceeds to give an initiation of a slow guy painting the antion, and he proceeds to give an imitation of a slow guy painting the town red. He takes a little musical comedy aucen with him on his trip through the halls of dissipation—you can imagine the rest. Margaret Loom is has the role of Jeanette Adair, th dance queen. Viora Daniel has the other leading feminine role. This is said to be one of Washburn's best.

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