

REQUISITION FOR W. G. CLARK FOR MAYORALTY

**Largely Signed Today—
Ex-Mayor Mitchell is
Circulating It—Rumors of Aldermanic and
Other Possibilities.**

A requisition for W. G. Clark to permit his name to be placed before the electorate for the mayoralty at the annual civic election, January 11th, is being circulated today by ex-Mayor Moses Mitchell. The latter stated that he had started not long before noon and early in the afternoon had secured a large number of signatures which evidently indicated that Mr. Clark was wanted by the citizens.

Mr. Clark who is head of the firm of J. Clark & Sons, Limited served as alderman for both Queen's and King's Wards for several years and was closely affiliated with the city finance department.

No Announcement re Ticket.

Mr. Mitchell and those associated with him have not yet made any announcement of the aldermanic ticket which it is expected will be in the field in association with a mayoralty candidate. Rumor has the names of possible candidates. Those mentioned are: Wellington Ward, Moses Mitchell; St. Ann's Ward, F. H. Everett; Carleton Ward, J. Arthur Thompson; Queen's Ward, Alex. Davidson; King's Ward, Abner B. Belyea. The name of ex-Ald. C. C. Camp also is mentioned as a possibility. No confirmation of any candidature has yet been received.

In connection with the mayoralty the name of Ald. D. W. Ross is mentioned. He would be a candidate in sympathy with the present council. It is said also that Ald. H. A. Smith who was mentioned previously, is not desirous of being a candidate for mayor.

City Affairs

Beer Shops Were Searched

Liquor inspectors last night and today made a thorough canvass of licensed beer shops in Fredericton and took samples of beer for analysis for over-strength. Hotels with beer licenses also were visited.

Charge Against Druggist

A local druggist is charged with sale of liquor not being a licensed vendor. C. R. Hawkins appeared in court this morning for the defence and C. L. Dougherty for the prosecution. Inspector Fraser Saunders is informant. Adjournment was made until the 24th.

Married Last Night

Rev. G. C. Warren on Thursday evening united in marriage Donald Percy Corey of Lower Southampton and Miss Hazel Elgine Sharpe daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Sharpe of Scotch Settlement. The bride recently was teaching at Bear Island.

Fredericton Otis Train Service.

On account of Christmas travel, special train service has been arranged by the C. P. R. as follows: On Wednesday Dec. 23rd, extra special will leave Fredericton at 4.00 p. m. Atlantic Time, arriving at Otis at 8.00 P. M., making all stops enroute. On Thursday, Dec. 24th, extra special will leave Otis at 8.00 A. M., due to arrive in Fredericton at 12 noon. On Thursday Dec. 24th, regular train No. 193 will be held to leave Fredericton at 4.00 P. M., and will make all stops enroute to Otis.

Death at Oromocto

The death occurred at Oromocto at an early hour this morning of Mrs. Annie Duffy, wife of Frederick Duffy. She leaves to mourn besides her husband four daughters and one son, John, Mary, Helen, Jean and Anna. There are also two sisters Mrs. Joseph Blanchard of Marysville and Mrs. Charles Sharkey of Barker's Point. There are also two brothers William Canney of Mungerville and George Canney of Australia. The funeral will take place at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning from the Church of St. Vincent de Paul, Oromocto, with High Mass conducted by Rev. Father Allen, Interment will be made at Oromocto.

AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL CLOSED COURSE TODAY

**Marked Success Has Attended
Operation of School—Address
Delivered by Hon. C. D. Richards.**

The New Brunswick Agricultural School which has been in operation for the past six weeks at the Dominion Experimental Station with M. A. McLeod, Director of Agricultural Societies as principal, closed its first course of the present winter this afternoon. The closing exercises were largely attended and marked the end of what is considered the most successful course in the history of the school. The Minister of Agriculture, Hon. Lewis Smith, was unable to attend being ill at his home in Coverdale. In his place Hon. C. D. Richards, Minister of Lands and Mines, delivered an address congratulating the class upon the excellence of the work done.

The Major Prizes.

The two major prizes for the course the Sir Frederic Williams-Taylor gold medal and the Royal Bank of Canada silver cup, were won respectively by F. George McLeod of Black River, Saint John County, and Ralph Dunlop of Millville, York County, for general standing and livestock judging. The prizes were presented by G. N. C. Hawkins of Bank of Montreal here and by H. S. Murray, Manager of the Royal Bank. Mr. Hawkins also presented books which were his own personal prizes. They were won by Mr. Dunlop and E. M. Sauntrey of Millerton who were second and third in general standing.

Messrs. McLeod and Dunlop were also winners of the prizes donated as last year by the Fredericton Rotary Club for proficiency in stock-judging. They are free trips to the Maritime Winter Fair of 1926.

List of Prize-Winners.

The remaining prize winners were: New Brunswick Sheep Breeders' Association prize of \$5 in gold for best judging of sheep—Jack Easton, Wirral, Queen's County.

New Brunswick Dairymen United prize of \$5 in gold for best judging of dairy cattle—C. Lawrence Sharp, Sussex.

New Brunswick Dairymen United (Continued on Page Five.)

O. B. MILLER PRESIDENT OF INSTITUTE

**York and Sunbury
Teachers Elected Officers This Morning—
Several Excellent Papers
Were Presented.**

The York and Sunbury Teachers Institute continued its session this morning. The election resulted in the choice of Otto B. Miller of the staff of Fredericton High School as president.

The report of the scrutineers resulted in the following slate of officers:—

President, Otto V. B. Miller, Fredericton.

Vice-president, Miss Mary Grannan, Devon.

Secretary, J. E. Page, Fredericton.

Additional members of executive, H. H. Stuart, Fredericton Junction; J. West Smith, Oromocto; Miss Esther Manzer, Rustiagnish.

Interesting Papers.

"History" was the subject of the first paper, by H. H. Stuart. It was very interesting and caused a valuable discussion. K. C. Bishop, W. M. Burns and James A. Hughes offered criticism. "Grammar Analysis" by C. B. Burden of the Fredericton High School Staff also proved an interesting paper. Messrs. McFarlane, Hughes and Burns discussed it. Sergt. Instructor A. W. Oliver gave the final paper of the session discussing "Physical Training" in which he is instructor at the Normal School. A. S. McFarlane, Jr., was demonstrator.

Has Made Assignment.

Camille Nadeau of St. Leonard has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors to Ernest A. Mackay, official receiver. L. J. Dionne has been named custodian. Liabilities are \$15,035.91 of which \$755 are secured and \$189 preferred. Above secured liabilities assets amount to \$5,300.

Condition Little Changed.

The condition of Charles T. Harrison today is reported little changed and is considered serious.

A. D. Taylor, M. P. P., of Minto is in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Page of Woodstock are at the Barker House.

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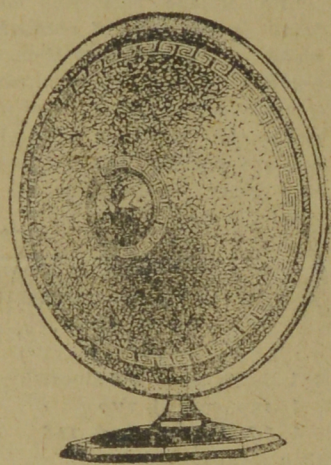
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