

ENGRAVINGS DISCUSSED BY SCIENCE CLUB

F. A. Good Who Has Collected Many Examples Gave an Interesting Address on the Subject.

The monthly meeting of the Science Club was entertained last night by Mrs. F. B. Smith and Mrs. F. A. Good at the home of the latter, 685 Queen St. F. A. Good was the speaker of the evening, his chosen subject being "Engravings," and in this subject he opened to most of his hearers an unexplored field of thought.

The club was honored by the presence of His Honour Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Todd and of His Worship the Mayor and Mrs. Clark, both of whom have frequently, on previous occasions, so shown their interest.

Made it a Hobby.

Mr. Good said that the collection of information on this subject, rather than the acquiring of any notable examples of its product had been his hobby for some dozen years. He had been so deeply impressed by the unremitting patience and painstaking care of the artists and craftsmen in achieving the representation of colour values for reproduction that he hoped to be able to instill a little interest in their pictures by pointing out the way in which the many kinds of engravings were executed.

The Beginnings.

The first engravings were from carved blocks of wood and it is a matter of controversy as to whether the process started for the production of pictures for religious books or for the ornamentation of playing cards. Soft metal, as copper soon came into use on account of its durability and soft steel about the first quarter of the last century. The reduplication of these print-blocks by modern methods of metal casting and the electro-plating of steel on soft metal bases all tended to the debasing of engraving as an art and to its cheapening and speed in up for mass production for the (Continued on Page Five.)

City Affairs

Entertained at Luncheon.

Mrs. O. S. Crockett was hostess at a delightful luncheon today.

Returned to Scotland.

Rev. J. Garrow Berry of Dalbeattie, Scotland, who has been supplying to St. Andrews Presbyterian congregation left for St. John last evening to take steamer to return to his home in Scotland. It is anticipated that he will accept a call from St. Andrew's Congregation and will return to Fredericton with his wife and family in June.

Fisherman Fined.

Before Magistrate H. G. S. Adams at Brookville on Wednesday, John A. Howard, of St. Martins, was fined \$10 and \$15.75 costs for fishing trout through the ice at Henry Lake last month. J. Starr Tait represented the Department of Lands and Mines. The prosecution was instigated by the New Brunswick Fish and Game Association.

St. Anthony's Troop.

A new troop of Boy Scouts Scouts was organized at St. Anthony's Church last evening when, Commissioner LeBaron Bull, District Sect., Fred Barnes, John Fitz Randolph and Arthur Barton of Fredericton were present and took part in the ceremony which was very impressive and interesting. About sixteen members of the Barkers Point Troop were also present and took part in the proceedings. St. Anthony's Troop is to meet every Friday night and got away last night with a good start.

Vogel Turns Up Again.

Louis Vogel an aged German who has been a resident of New Brunswick for the greater part of his life, turned up again in Fredericton last night. He reported to the police who sent him to the Municipal Home. Vogel was sent away from Fredericton several weeks ago after writing a letter to the Mayor protesting against his detention in the Municipal Home. He then went to Woodstock. That town sent him to Saint John and Saint John sent him back to Fredericton. What will be done with him here is undecided as the man has no residence here.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL TUESDAY IS EXPECTED

Public Accounts Committee to Summon R. B. Smith, Ex-M. P. P. and A.D. Bailey—Previous Investigation.

The House of Assembly which is now well into supply will adjourn this evening at six o'clock until Tuesday, according to Premier Baxter who said that many members desired a long week-end. The Grand Falls Bill is expected to come down next week and the House will continue consideration of supply.

The Agriculture Committee which was in session this morning received a report from Leslie Wood, Poultry Supt., on the growth of poultry raising and its history on the Province. The committee also considered Dairying at further length. On Wednesday the committee is to have delegations before it.

The Government was in session early this afternoon and heard several King's County delegations on the matter of legislation. The cabinet also considered the schedule.

Before Public Accounts.

The Public Accounts Committee on Tuesday is expected to have before it R. B. Smith, Ex-M. P. P., for Sunbury and A. D. Bailey in connection with the statement made by E. C. Atkinson, M. P. P., concerning concessions granted Mr. Smith in the matter of stumpage. Mr. Atkinson today made application for the two to be summoned as witnesses.

Statement by Mr. Smith.

Mr. Smith touching upon this matter which was referred to in the House states that concessions were granted to him in the matter of bud-worm killed timber and reduced stumpage but that such concessions were only after careful investigation and a report by scalers who was sent to the scene of operations.

The photo play at the Capitol for Friday and Saturday is "When the Door Opened" from the story of the North West by James Oliver Curwood and featuring the dog marvel "Prince Royal". There is also a comedy and a continuation of the serial Wild West on the bill.

G. W. V. A. VOTES TO AMALGAMATE WITH LEGION

Resolution forwarded to Provincial Command—Conference at Ottawa on Matter in Near Future.

The Fredericton Branch, G. W. V. A., at its regular meeting Thursday night passed a resolution by unanimous vote approving of the amalgamation of the G. W. V. A. with the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League. The latter organization embraces a large number of military and naval veterans' organizations throughout the Empire.

The amalgamation of the G. W. V. A. of Canada with it will merely mean the change in the name of the G. W. V. A. to Canadian Legion. The larger organization will be more powerful as it has connections with all parts of the Empire.

Conference at Ottawa.

A conference is to be held at Ottawa next week at which the G. W. V. A. of each Province is to be represented. Major J. S. Scott is to represent the New Brunswick Command. It is the intention that the transfer of the G. W. V. A. into the Canadian Legion will be made then. A number of Canadian Military and naval bodies will be transferred at the same time.

The resolution of the Fredericton Branch is to be forwarded to the Provincial Command. The action taken in passing it is in line with the action taken by other branches throughout the Province.

Three New Members.

The local G. W. V. A. at the meeting Thursday in addition to taking action concerning the Canadian Legion also admitted three new members.

The Cat Moved Out.

Following the change of government in August last a pet cat, which has been harbored about the departmental building for several years, suddenly became restless, and wandered forth one night never to return. It had become fat and lazy, and no effort was made to seek out its whereabouts and bring it back. A new feline, much younger and smaller has been installed in its place and is now quite at home.

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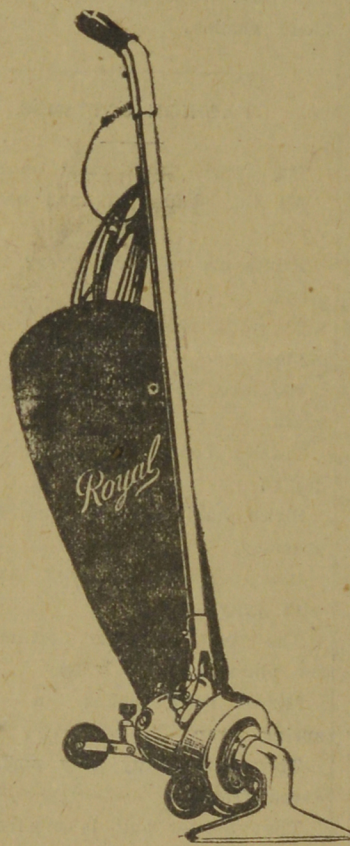
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