

LIVERY STABLE
DAMAGED BY
FIRE LAST NIGHT

Fire Department Called Out Shortly After Midnight—Horses Were Taken Out Uninjured.

A fire which broke out at about 12.30 last evening at W. P. Edwards livery stable on King street belonging to the Herbert Morgan estate caused considerable damage, especially from smoke and water damage the side and upper parts of the building being badly burned. An overheated stove in the small room next the stalls was the cause of the fire and the fire department were about an hour and a half quelling the flames. The eight horses and a pony which occupied the stalls were taken from the stable before any disastrous injury resulted.

The alarm was sounded from Box 17, evidently started from an overheated stove and the night watchman, David Livingston, the only person in the stable at the time the fire started, immediately escorted the horses to a safe place outside the stable. Aside from a scare the horses were all rescued without any bad effects.

The damage to the stable was not as extensive as was at first expected; the side and top of the rooms being quite badly charred but the contents were not injured to any great extent.

It appears that some insurance was carried on the property the exact amount was not ascertained.

CITY AFFAIRS

Well Represented.

According to the auditors report six councillors represented the county of York at the last convention of the New Brunswick Union of Municipalities at a cost of \$300. The delegates were given \$50 each to cover expenses.

Had Him Guessing.

A good story is being told about a bashful young man who resides on George street. He called upon a young lady the other evening and was overheard asking her if she would scream if he kissed her to which she replied "You'll probably never know."

Guests at the Windsor.

The following are registered at the Windsor: L. W. Black, Amherst; Gordon Boyne, St. John; C. E. Silver, London, Ont.; Chas. H. Kandesken, Montreal; J. S. Mitchell, Toronto; H. C. Ricker, Miss Yerxa, St. John; W. L. Fillmore, Amherst; A. G. Shafard, V. Curry, Halifax; J. McAdam, St. John; Mrs. J. Smith, Woodstock; H. G. Sanderson, Toronto; M. G. Fox, Harvey Station; P. G. Ray, Montreal; Geo. H. Howard, Ottawa; A. Grant, McAdam; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Roach Sussex; Miss E. Hachey, Moncton; N. S. Fraser, Stanley.

The Late Joseph Feeney

The funeral of the late Joseph Feeney, took place this morning from St. Dunstan's church with High Mass of Requiem by Very Rev. Dean Carney. The funeral was largely attended. Following were the pall bearers: Leo McGinnis, John Coyle, Joe Ryan, Frank Welsh, John Barry and Charles Burns. The chief mourners were: Edward Feeney, Thomas Feeney, Frank Feeney, Harold Feeney, Lester Feeney, Walter Feeney, John Feeney, Gerald Feeney, Thomas Kane, Joseph Cain, A. J. Lawlor, Gerald Cain, Jack A. Lawlor, George Schultz, Thomas Hughes, Edward McGrand, Charles Cremins, Nell McCushion, Vincent Jamieson, Lewis Jamieson, Fred Rowan, Leo Cain, Patrick Cain and Edward Hurley. There were a large number of mass cards from friends and relatives. After the funeral service the remains were taken to Newmarket for interment.

BOY DROWNED
IN MILL POND
AT MARYSVILLE

Amos McPherson, Aged Eleven Was the Victim—Body Recovered Some Hours Later—Inquest Unnecessary.

A tragic drowning accident occurred yesterday afternoon at the Mill Pond in Marysville, when Amos MacPherson, aged eleven years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry MacPherson of Marysville, venturing too far from solid ice into the middle of the pond fell into the water and was drowned before he could be helped by his companions.

It was not until 8:30 o'clock last night that the body was recovered. The body was taken out of the water about 100 feet from the scene of the drowning. Men armed with hooks and other implements worked until half past eight to effect the recovery of the body. With the aid of a searchlight, the body was finally taken from the water by Lee Elliott, a resident of Marysville, and companions helped to convey it to the home of the sorrowful parents.

Was Out Skating.

The accident took place at about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, previous to which a number of young people were enjoying themselves skating, young MacPherson being among them. A fire had been built on the ice, which the boys and girls were feeding with wood for the purpose of keeping themselves warm. The MacPherson lad, ventured too far out into the middle of the pond and fell into the swirling waters before any warning could be given. Another youth tried to get MacPherson out but was unable to get hold of him, with the result that the unfortunate boy was swept under the water.

One of the boys present ran to tell the news and men were immediately sent to the scene of the accident. Consistent work from that time to nearly nine o'clock finally was rewarded in the finding of the body by the hand of searchers. It was ascertained that the body was recovered about one hundred feet from the place of the drowning. The deceased was one of a family of

DR. G.A. INCH
A SUCCESSFUL
POULTRY RAISER

Veteran Teacher is Owner of Fine Back Yard Plant—Is Wintering a Flock of About Sixty Birds.

Dr. George A. Inch of this city, who retired three years ago from the teaching staff of the Provincial Normal School after more than fifty years of faithful service as a teacher, has become one of the most enthusiastic and successful backyard poultry raisers in New Brunswick. The doctor occupies a rather unique position, he is a veteran as well as an amateur, as he is in his seventy-ninth year and his interest in poultry dates back only a short time prior to his retirement from the teaching profession. He has demonstrated beyond the shadow of a doubt that there is both pleasure and profit to be derived from the raising of poultry in New Brunswick.

Last year the doctor wintered a flock of some thirty or forty hens and by intelligent feeding and care was able to beat out the egg laying record of the two hundred birds which participated in the government egg laying contest at the Experimental Station. Last fall he disposed of his old stock and purchased sixty pullets of the Barred Plymouth Rock breed. He knew enough about the game, as the result of attending poultry field days at the Experimental Station, to secure birds of sound constitution, with bright eyes and well shaped bodies. As the result of his good judgment and the care which he is able to give his stock he is now getting a fifty per cent egg yield. He has no difficulty in disposing of his surplus eggs among his neighbors at the highest market price. He

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seven children and is survived by, besides his parents, four brothers and two sisters.

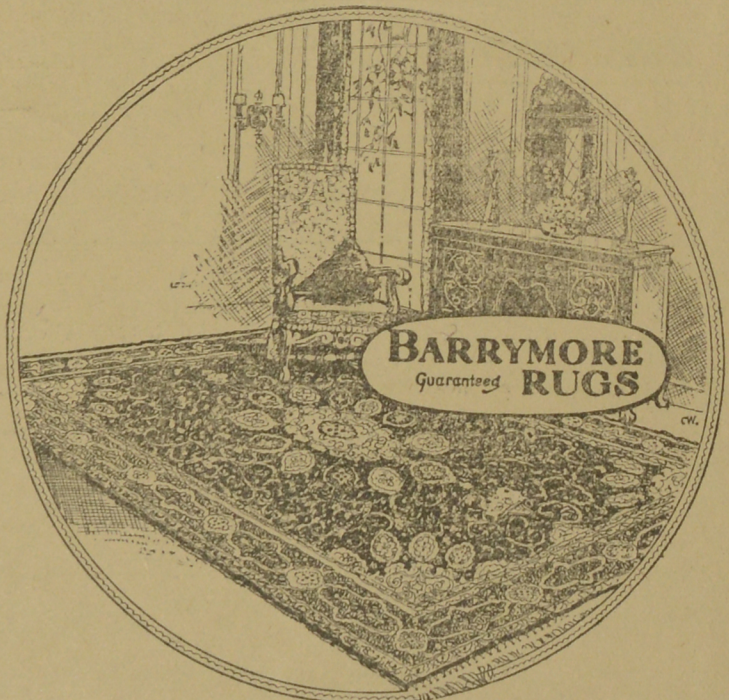
Coroner Ross viewed the body and decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon with interment at the Baptist cemetery.

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