

A MARYSVILLE MAN DIED ON HIS BIRTHDAY

Mr. Horace L. Pugh, Widely Known Along the Nashwaak Succumbs to an Attack of Pneumonia.

Mr. Horace L. Pugh one of the best known citizens of Marysville, passed away at his home at that place yesterday after a brief illness from pneumonia. Strange to say his death occurred on his seventy-first birthday he having been born at Nashwaaksis on March 17, 1857. Mrs. Pugh is also confined to her home by an attack of pneumonia and while her condition is serious she is expected to recover.

The deceased was for a number of years employed in the Gibson cotton mill but of late had lived in retirement. He took an active interest in town affairs and had served as a member of the Town Council. In politics he was a staunch Liberal. He was widely known in this section and his death will be deeply regretted.

The late Mr. Pugh on the occasion of his second marriage a few years ago embraced the Roman Catholic faith. He is survived by a widow and an adopted son, Horace. Mr. J. G. Blaine Pugh of the Department of Lands and Mines is a half brother and Mrs. R. B. VanDine of this city a half sister. Another half brother Mr. Star Pugh resides in New Jersey.

The funeral will take place tomorrow morning with services at St. Anthony's Church, Devon at nine o'clock by Rev. Father Osborne.

CITY AFFAIRS

Radio Audiences

You will be interested in announcement to be broadcast through Station CFNB on Wednesday, March 26th., at 1:05 A. M. Wave length 247.8 meters.

Slightly Improved.

Moncton Transcript: J. W. Ferguson, who has been ill at his home 41 Summer street, for the last fifteen days with pluro-pneumonia, is slightly improved.

Many Enjoy Broadcast.

Many of these citizens who were unable to get out to yesterday's church services, enjoyed the broadcast of the service at Christchurch Parish church in both morning and evening. Rev. A. F. Bate was the preacher at both services.

A Contest Promised.

The civic election in the town of Devon will take place on April 17th. Already there is talk of opposition to the present council and the indications are that there will be full tickets in the field. As in customary with small towns a lot of energy is usually put into civic contests.

Weather Springlike.

With the first day of April (All Fool's Day) but a week away the weather is taking on it's yearly spring mantle and everything is beginning to look very much like spring. Housecleaning and store cleaning is commencing in the various parts of the city, especially in the stores, where spring stock of goods is arriving and receiving hasty attention. By Easter which is only two weeks away, things will be humming in earnest.

Died at The Mills.

The death occurred on Sunday evening Morrison's Mills of Charles Gordon, colored aged 61 years, after a short illness. Deceased is survived by his wife and one son, Arthur at home. Also three brothers: James Leonard and Henry all of this city. Three sisters survive: Mrs. Olive Blizzard, Morrison's Mills, Mrs. William Ross of this city and Mr. Sarah Armstrong of Boston. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon with service at St. Margaret's church at 3.30 o'clock conducted by Rev. A. F. Bate. Interment will take place at Forest Hill.

DOG POISONER IS AGAIN ON THE RAMPAGE

Two Valuable Canines Met a Cruel Death Last Week in the Lower Part of the City.

Several valuable dogs have met death from poisoning here during the past week and the police should get busy and make an effort to round up the culprit. Dr. W. H. Irvine lost a valuable dog a week ago, and Friday night last a white bull dog owned by Mrs. J. J. McCaffrey, died in great agony near the lower end of George street. This dog, a very intelligent animal had cultivated the acquaintance of Mrs. Marian Greenlaw and was a frequent visitor to the York County record office where she is employed. On Friday afternoon it followed Mrs. Greenlaw to her home, but evidently picked up a dose of poison somewhere enroute. When Mrs. Greenlaw searched for the animal on reaching her home she noticed it rolling about on the lawn apparently in great agony and in a few minutes it was dead.

It was also in the down town district that Irvine's airdale swallowed the dose which resulted in its death.

Early in the winter several dogs were poisoned in the west end of the city and although the police worked on the case the perpetrator of the deed was not apprehended. The poisoning of dogs is cruel and disgraceful business and it is to be hoped the guilty parties can be caught and punished.

To Make Appointments.

The City Council will hold a special meeting this evening at the City Hall at which the annual appointments will be made and other routine business will be conducted. It is rumored that some change is likely in the tax collections and a probably change in the position of city stenographer on account of resignations.

M. D. Muir of Toronto is in the city today.

WORK IN THE WOODS IS NOW ABOUT ENDED

The Season's Lumber Cut is Reported to Have Been Less Than Last Year—Men Returning Home.

With the coming of soft weather and early indications of spring, the woodsmen are rapidly vacating the scene of their winter labors and are arriving in large numbers at the various towns on their way home, preparatory to summer occupations. Lumber conditions for the past few weeks have been none too good and work has been practically ceased by this time. The next important part of this work will be the driving which will probably commence some time in April.

According to report from those who ought to know, the cut this year is not up to the average. Especially in some parts of the province the cut was distinctly below the average. This was not so in some of the northern parts where the excess of snow made conditions very favorable.

In this vicinity the lumbering activities were not be grumbled at as the weather was favorable throughout the entire winter. Local lumbermen have been very optimistic in their discussion of the success of their operators.

Hockey Tonight.

The Fredericton Capitols and the Devon Tigers will face each other this evening for the third consecutive time at the Arctic Rink. The first game was a 2-2 tie, the second game went to the Capitols by a 3-1 score and tonight the Tigers are out to even the count. Although the weather is not very favorable the probability is that the ice will be in fair condition for the skirmish. It will very likely be the last game of the season if account of the continued mild weather and pronounced indications of spring.

M. B. Willet of Amherst, N. S. is in the city today.

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