

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS

To insure prompt change it is desirable that advertisers should have their copy in this office before six o'clock in the evening of the day before.

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh winds, shifting to west and northwest. Occasional showers.

BASEBALL PRACTICE.

The candidates for positions on the U. N. B. baseball team will practice at College Field this afternoon. Practice will begin at four o'clock.

METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES.

The pastor, Rev. J. W. McConnell, will preach tomorrow morning and evening. Sunday School at 2.30. A cordial invitation to all the services of the church.

PROJECT ABANDONED.

Very few merchants attended the meeting called for eight o'clock last night for the purpose of forming a Business Men's Association. The project of forming such an association will be abandoned for the present.

GOING TO NEWFOUNDLAND.

Rev. G. M. Campbell, D. D., District Secretary of the Canadian Bible Society, will sail for Newfoundland, in the interests of the society and remain until the last of May. Rev. R. Bowen, District Secretary in British Columbia, will accompany him.—Globe.

BOYS LOOK OUT.

The police have been instructed to get after the small boys who daily frequent the old burying ground and amuse themselves playing hide and go seek about the grave stones. If the boys will heed friendly advice they will find some other play ground in future.

WAVERLY HOTEL SEARCHED.

The police searched the Waverly Hotel this morning under a Scott Act warrant. Nothing was found at all, though the police gave the hotel a thorough overhauling. Policeman Foss had the search warrant and Chief Hawthorne and Sergt. Phillips accompanied him.

GOING TO OTTAWA.

A delegation composed of Mr. W. E. Foster, of St. John; Mr. C. Fred Chestnut of this city, and Mr. B. F. Smith of Florenceville, are arranging to leave on Wednesday next for Ottawa, to interview the government on the Valley Railway project.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Minister, Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith. 11 a. m.—Subject, "Spiritual Prosperity." 7 p. m.—Subject, "Aids to Self Culture." Address to young people. 2.30 p. m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes. Subject in Men's Class, "International Arbitration." All invited to all these services.

PROPERTY SOLD.

The property of Odilor Fortin on Charlotte street, formerly known as the James Daley property, was sold at public action in front of the post office at noon today. Mr. J. J. F. Winslow, solicitor for the mortgagee, Col. H. Montgomery-Campbell of Apohaqui, bid in the property at \$425. Mr. D. J. Stockford was the auctioneer.

TEACHERS' PENSIONS.

The board of education held a meeting yesterday afternoon but transacted very little business apart from the regular routine. In the absence of Governor Tweedie, Premier Hazen presided. A committee composed of the Hon. Messrs. Hazen and Flemming, Chief Superintendent Carter and Chancellor Jones were appointed to frame regulations for teachers' pensions under the provisions of the act of assembly passed last session.

MOOSE PLENTIFUL.

Sussex Record: On Sunday morning two large moose, cow and bull, crossed Mr. Albert Bonnell's farm on Ward's Creek Road, and moved across towards Sussex Corner, where they were seen later. Moose have been plentiful in this section and have frequently been seen on the Ward's Creek Road during the spring. They are quite tame and do not seem to trouble themselves much about human habitations.

SCOTT ACT CASE.

Charles Doherty who resides near Morrison's Mill was charged in the police court this morning with selling liquor in violation of the Canada Temperance Act between February 14 and April 7. He pleaded not guilty and after two witnesses had been examined the case was adjourned at the request of City Clerk McCready until Tuesday at 11 a.m. Both witnesses stated they had never bought liquor from Doherty or anyone upon his premises. A witness named George Blizard was not present and Bill be examined on Tuesday.

Mr. A. Peters, of Moncton, arrived in the city last night.

ANOTHER POLICEMAN
TO BE APPOINTED

Police Commission Wants Another Man—Cleaning of City Opera House Recommended.

At the next meeting of the city council Ald. Clark, chairman of the Police Commission will recommend on behalf of the commission that an additional policeman be appointed. It is thought another policeman is needed in order that the men now on the force may have shorter hours and the city have better protection.

The Administration of Justice Committee met at the City Hall yesterday afternoon and decided to support the recommendations which may be made by the Police Commission for the purchase of new uniforms for the police.

The City Hall and Market Committee also met yesterday and decided to recommend that the city Opera House be renovated and cleaned. Work of this kind has not been done since 1898 and is badly needed. The committee also discussed the advisability of putting the market stalls in the basement of the city building to the use for which they were intended. No action was taken in this matter. The market and weigh scales tolls are to be sold at public auction on April 27th.

The Burial Ground and Wharves Committee accepted the resignation of Mr. Nathaniel Inch, caretaker of the Old Protestant Burying Ground. His successor will be appointed later. It was decided to auction the wharfage tolls on April 27th.

There was some discussion concerning the rental of a wharf to the St. John River Steamboat Company.

Mr. Charles I. Atherton will be the auctioneer on April 27th.

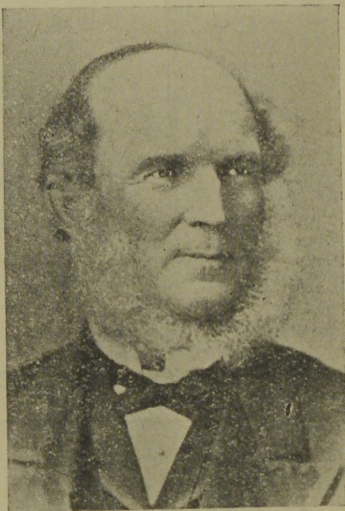
LARGE COUNTRY MARKET.

There was a large country market today. The condition of the roads is slowly improving with the result that more farmers are coming in to market. The farmers were inclined to make prices rather high at first but were compelled to come down toward noon. There was a little beef offered at 8 and 9 cents per pound by the quarter. Maple honey was also scarce and sold at 25 cents per bottle. Butter sold for 28 cents per pound. Turnips were offered at 50 cents per barrel and carrots at \$1 per barrel. Eggs were quite plentiful and were sold for 23 cents per doz. Potatoes were offered at 75 cents per barrel and Ben Davis apples at \$2.50. Veal sold by the quarter for 6 and 10 cents per pound. Pork was sold for 11 and 12 cents per pound.

Mrs. L. B. McElhinney and her daughter, Miss McElhinney, who have been living in Fredericton for the last year and a half, left this morning for their former home in Truro, to take up their residence there.

MR. MICHAEL MOORE'S
KINDNESS APPRECIATED

Presents to the Methodist Church a Marble Bust of Late Hon. L. A. Wilmot.



THE LATE HON. L. A. WILMOT.

The late Ald. John Moore, shortly after the death of Governor Wilmot, commenced work upon a marble bust of the Governor, but before much was done the order was countermanded, and a large marble tablet was placed in the wall of the church instead. Subsequently Mr. Moore had a Scotchman in his employ and this man undertook to complete the work which had already been started, and when completed was placed aside, and few people knew anything about it.

Mr. Michael Moore, son of the late Ald. Moore, had heard his father say that he would give the bust to the Methodist church. Carrying out what he believed to be the desire of his father, Mr. Moore a few days ago, handed this artistic piece of work to Rev. Mr. McConnell. The trustees appreciate the gift and have sent Mr. Michael Moore a letter to that effect.

The late Governor Wilmot during his lifetime, was an active worker in the Methodist church and was for many years leader of the choir.

BOARD OF TRADE.

The Board of Trade will hold its regular quarterly meeting in the City Council Chamber at 8 p.m. Monday. All interested in advertising Fredericton are invited to attend. The chief subject to be discussed at this meeting will be the means of making Fredericton's advantages better known to the public Reports from the Transportation Committee on charges in the C. P. R. train service and from those interested in the St. John Valley Railway will be received.

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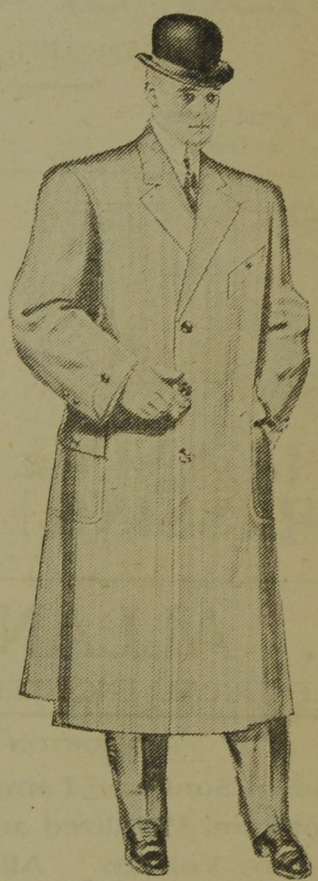


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