

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS

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WENT TO ST. JOHN

Mr. A. B. Kitchen and party left for St. John by auto yesterday. Mr. Otty White acted as chauffeur.

SCHOOL NEXT WEEK.

The public schools of the city and province are to re-open on Monday of next week.

RIVER VERY LOW.

The water in the river is said to have reached the lowest point in several years.

MOTOR BOAT HERE.

The fine motor boat Idylar, with Mr. Rothwell and a party of friends on board, arrived from St. John this morning and is anchored below the B. & E. Club House.

OFF FOR SYDNEY.

Messrs. T. L. Cain, J. P. Farrell, John McGinnis, E. A. Barry and W. Grannan are to leave this evening for Sydney, N. B., to attend the A. O. H. Convention.

WILL GO TO GRAND FALLS

Mr. John Burke of Hanwell has sold his farm to Mr. T. Burns of St. Stephen. Mr. Burke intends to remove to Grand Falls where he will go into the hotel business. He will leave for that place on Wednesday.

WHARF REPAIRS.

The work of repairing the Regent Street wharf is progressing satisfactorily. It is being elevated five feet which ought to be sufficient to allow vessels to discharge during the periods of high freshet.

GAMES THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

The Woodstock team will play two games here this week. Thursday and Friday are the days. Games will begin at four o'clock at Scully's Grove. It is expected that big crowds will turn out for both games.

GAME PLEETIFUL.

Mr. R. T. Mack, who is one of Fredericton's most enthusiastic sportsmen, has returned from his annual outing to the headwaters of the South-west's Miramichi. He reports moose and deer as being very plentiful in that region.

FUNERAL OF CHILD

The funeral of Gertrude, infant daughter of Corporal and Mrs. John H. Leadbetter, took place this afternoon at two o'clock. The death took place at the Park Barracks, Saturday night, cholera infantum being the cause. Rev. Sub-Dean Street conducted the funeral services.

BIJOU TODAY

A swell program has been procured for the opening change of the week, it includes a "Imp" feature, also a swell vitagraph film entitled "The Faith of Child" and a Lubin feature entitled "The Adopted Daughter." The name of the Imp is "A Brother's Fend." The Bijou has just closed a very successful week.

PICKEREL FOR BOSTON.

Mr. Fred Simmons, of Sheffield, is making regular shipments of fresh pickerel to the Boston market. The fish are netted in Maquapit and French Lakes, packed in ice and shipped to this city by the Steamer Hampsbad, and forwarded to their destination by express.

CHANGE OF BUSINESS

The firms of Lilley & Sons and A. Lamson & Company, meat and provision dealers, have been amalgamated and after Sept. 1st, the business will be carried on at the store on Queen Street, now carried on by Lilley & Sons. The new firm will be known as Searle & Lamson. See advertisement in another column.

VETERAN CAMPERS

Mr. A. G. Beckwith of New York and his brother, Mr. C. W. Beckwith of this city returned on Saturday from a four weeks outing in the vicinity of Grand Lake. They camped out most of the time, and also made a trip on the Portabella. They report game as being quite plentiful in that vicinity.

BOSTON VISITORS

Mr. Frederick H. Fay, C. E., of Boston and Mrs. Fay arrived in the city by boat on Saturday and registered at the Queen. Mr. Fay is well acquainted with Mr. F. A. Barbour, C. E., of Boston who installed the Fredericton Sewerage system and met a number of his friends while here. He and Mrs. Fay were entertained to a motor boat sail on the river yesterday by City Clerk McCready and the party afterwards dined at Cherry Bank, the beautiful summer residence of Mr. F. B. Edgcombe. Mr. and Mrs. Fay left for St. John by boat this morning, en route home.

SALVATION ARMY CELEBRATED ITS 25TH ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY

Brigadier and Mrs. Adby Conducted Three Great Meetings at the Army Citadel--Much Interest Shown.

Brigadier and Mrs. Adby conducted three great meetings in the S. A. Citadel yesterday in connection with the Army's 25th Anniversary in Fredericton. In the afternoon the Brigadier gave an address on the rise and progress of the Salvation Army. In the absence of His Worship the Mayor who was confined to his home through sickness, Mr. B. L. Estey presided and in a brief but eloquent manner introduced the speaker.

Brigadier Adby has only been in this country a little over a year and has had the oversight of the St. John Division only a few months but during that time has made several visits to Fredericton and has already won for himself and the Army many friends. He has a splendid delivery and an interesting manner and known through the country as the singing evangelist. The Brigadier in his address yesterday referred to the progress of the Army from a world wide standpoint. Speaking of its commencement he said not only was there much misunderstanding but great persecution. On one occasion when their little procession was broken up by the roughs, some one came to the General and said: "General, they're kicking your hat up the street!" the General said "Thank God my hat isn't in it." but all this is changed. In Australia the government makes a grant of six thousand pounds annually in aid of their work in that country, while other countries are doing the same on a smaller scale. The speaker also spoke of the Rescue work of the army and said 1100 girls passed through the rescue homes of Canada last year, 90 per cent. bring satisfactory. The Army today is working in 56 countries and colonies and is preaching salvation in 32 different languages, the Army to day has 60,000 local officers and 26,000 bandsmen who give their spare time without one cent of remuneration their great reward being in the knowledge that they were helping to make others happy.

Referring to the work in this city he said while he was not going to give statistics he realized that a great work had been done. Eternity (Continued on page four.)

SAILED FOR CANADA

Misses Ethel Smith, Edna Golding and Margaret Lynch, sailed from Liverpool for Canada, on Friday.

ARRIVED BY AUTO

Mr. Wm. Harris of Presque Isle, Me., arrived in the city this afternoon in his McLaughlin Buick car. He says the roads on this side of the line are the worst he ever saw. His car was at the Fredericton Garage while in the city.

ILLEGAL FISHING.

Four up river residents, against whom complaints for illegal fishing in the St. John River were recently lodged by Fishery Overseer McKay with Col. Marsh, have acknowledged the offences and fines ranging from \$10 to \$40 was imposed. On Saturday Mr. McKay lodged five complaints against other parties residing in the river parishes.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT

While playing about the construction work of the new Penniac Bridge a few days ago, Caleb Wade, a son of Mr. John Wade of Penniac fell among some discarded iron work and badly injured his right knee. The cut was quite serious and the little fellow submitted manfully to the many stitches to close the wound. It will be some weeks before he does any more superintending of the bridge job.

GEM

The Gem Theatre on Carleton Street is putting on first class performances since the change of picture service. And now is pleasing both young and old. If you want something for your money, come with the crowd. Don't forget, change of pictures Monday, Wednesday and Fridays. A clean theatre for ladies to come to. A great Western picture for tonight, and a good biography with others.

THE FISHING RECORD

An esteemed correspondent at Boiestown has requested The Mail to publish the following: "F. E. Fairley and C. T. Duffy of Boiestown claim to have made the best record for fishing on the Miramichi getting 5 salmon and 18 grilse in five days, with two guides against their nearest competitors, who caught 5 salmon and 28 grilse in two weeks with four guides in the same place. Messrs. G. W. Massey and J. S. Neill claim to have made the best catch, according to the Mail of the 17th inst. But in view of the above facts, the record undoubtedly belongs to Messrs. Fairley and Duffy."

SHOOTING ACCIDENT AT DURHAM BRIDGE ON SUNDAY NIGHT

Automatic Pistol Was Accidentally Discharged George White was Shot in Arm.

After leaving church last night a number of the young men of the village of Durham Bridge were gathered about in the usual talk over the events of the past week. As they were standing together Lee Pond produced for the admiration of his companions a new automatic pistol of the most modern type. The pistol was very carefully handled as Pond had cautioned them that it was loaded. When it was returned to him he opened it and shook the cartridges out into his hand, not stooping to count them. He was demonstrating the method of holding the new gun and snapping the mechanism when the little group was startled by a report and an exclamation from George White, a son of Mr. Whitfield White.

The thirty-two caliber bullet had entered White's right arm just below the elbow from the outer side. The half elevated position of the arm at the time of the shot was a most fortunate thing for Mr. White as it prevented the entrance of the bullet into the abdomen in such a locality that it must almost surely have proved fatal.

Mr. White was brought immediately to the city for surgical aid. The flattened bullet was soon located and extracted from the inner side of the arm. When leaving partially flattened itself against the bone it was found embedded in the flesh. Dr. McNally made the young man as comfortable as possible and he returned home congratulating himself that matters were no worse. Pond was very much upset by the accident. He and young White are the best of friends and not the slightest suspicion that it was other than an unlucky accident is tenable.

THE LOUNSBURY INQUEST.

The inquest over the death of George Lounsbury, drowned from a tug at Oromocto some weeks ago, will be resumed by Coroner Perley at Oromocto on Wednesday. It is understood that most of the young men and women who were members of the ill-fated excursion party, have been summoned to attend. Various stories have been in circulation as to how young Lounsbury happened to fall from the tug and it is well perhaps that the whole matter should be cleared up by an official enquiry.

SCHOOL TEACHERS COMPLETE COURSE OF INSTRUCTION

Examined in Physical Culture Today by Capt. Borden of Halifax--Course Has Been Most Successful.

The fifty school teachers, who have been taking a special course in military training at the military school for the past six weeks, will complete their work today, and the majority of them will return home this evening. The military examinations were completed on Saturday and today, Capt. A. H. Borden and Major H. S. Jacques of Halifax are examining the teachers in physical culture.

The course has been a most successful one in every respect. The teachers have manifested a keen interest in the work and have made greater progress than is usually made by classes of militiamen. All passed very creditable examinations on the military subjects and will receive certificates qualifying them for the rank of lieutenant in the active militia.

As a result of this course of training New Brunswick has fifty teachers qualified to interest their pupils in the art of attack and defence and also in physical culture. The teachers have greatly enjoyed the course of training and have made many friends during their brief sojourn here.

FOR ANOTHER PURPOSE.

The large mail boxes recently placed about the streets are intended as a receptacle for newspapers and parcels and not for empty whiskey flasks as some evil disposed persons appear to think. The party who deposited a cat in the box at the corner of Regent and George Streets on Saturday night was guilty of a most inhumane act which later on, he may be called to account for.

THE BIG DAY AT STANLEY

On Wednesday morning at 9.15 o'clock the excursion train as stated for the big outing at Stanley will leave the I. C. R. station at Fredericton. Do not miss the Stanley outing as it is the only excursion to run there this year. Amusements and fun in plenty have been provided for the day, culminating in the uproariously funny play, "My Uncle From India." Good music, good dinner, new games and a good time generally guaranteed. Come and enjoy it. If it should rain on Wednesday excursion trains will run and picnic be held on Thursday. Return train will leave Stanley at 10.30 p. m. Fare from Fredericton and Gibson \$1.00; Marysville 90 cents; children half price.

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