

## LOCAL NEWS

### THE WEATHER.

Maritime.—Strong easterly winds, occasional rain.

### FIRE COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the Fire Committee of the City Council will be held on Monday evening. The appointment of a driver for the ladder-truck to take the place of Driver Bearisto who has resigned will be considered.

### THE MERRY WIDOW.

"The courting of the Merry Widow" a feature comedy at the Bijou today, is a case of "laugh" and then laugh some more. If you are looking for enjoyment visit the Bijou today. Mr. Munro is singing "Down Sunshine Alley."

### CALL AT THE BROADWAY STORE TOMORROW.

A great chance will be offered to purchase a stylish hat tomorrow at W. E. Farrell's, opposite the Normal School. New and up-to-date hats for 95 cents each. Don't miss the opportunity.

### FUNERAL OF ROBERT M. DOW.

The funeral of the late Robert M. Dow, one of the best known conductors on the Atlantic Division of the C. P. R., will be held here Sunday afternoon. The body will be brought to Fredericton by special train. Rev. A. A. Rideout will conduct the service. Interment will be made at the Rural Cemetery. A large number of railway men are expected to attend the funeral.

### COLLEGE PLAY TONIGHT.

The performance of "As You Like It," by the U. N. B. students to-night promises to be one of the best of the numerous plays which have been put on by the College. A dress rehearsal was held last night. In order that there may be no confusion at tonight's performance, it has been decided that no one will be admitted to the Opera House during the first act. The overture will begin at 8.15.

### MR. HANSON STRIKES BACK.

To the Editor of the Daily Mail, Sir,—The untruthful remarks that were published yesterday in that assassin sheet, The Gleaner, in reference to myself shows it emanated from the vagaries of the mind of the would-be suicidal sporting reporter of that paper, and the reading public will not take stock in such mental aberrations from such a deceased mind.

The public will also remember that I have never been compelled to skip my country and thus evade the law.

Yours very truly,

A. E. HANSON.

### MAYOR BULLOCK OPTIMISTIC.

Mayor Bullock, of St. John, who has been in the city for several days on business, returned home this morning. His Worship is very optimistic in regard to the future of St. John. With a monster dry dock now an accomplished fact, with a Dominion exhibition set down for next fall, and with several new industries in sight, he can very well be pardoned for being strongly of the opinion that St. John is at last coming to her own. Mayor Bullock is a great admirer of the Minister of Public Works and thinks St. John is most fortunate in having so distinguished and influential a representative at Ottawa.

### ST. GEORGE'S DAY.

Chatham World.—Saturday, April 23rd, is the natal day of the patron saint of England, St. George, and the flags that are unfurled in honor of St. Andrew and St. Patrick should be unfurled for him. He may not have been any more saintly than other honest men of his time, but that is not the thing to be considered. There are grave doubts about the saintliness of most of the saints and George may not have been better than the average man of today. But he stands for England, and all good Englishmen, Irishmen, Scotchmen and Canadians should honor his natal day. Unfurl your flags on Saturday.

### SUPREME COURT.

The Supreme Court sat here today. The full bench with the exception of Judge Landry was present.

In the case of The King vs Chas. A. Read ex parte John Roberts, Mr. J. D. Phinney, K.C., moved to make absolute an order granted by Judge Landry last term. Rule was discharged.

In the case of The King vs Alfred M. Budd Mr. MacMonagle moved for a rule absolute for a certiorari to remove a rule nisi to quash a conviction made on April 15th inst., for a second offence for keeping for sale intoxicating liquors contrary to the C. T. Act.

Rule was discharged.

In the case of The King vs Wedderburn ex parte The Massey-Harris Co. Ltd., Mr. J. B. M. Baxter K.C., to show cause asked that the case stand. Mr. M. B. Dixon objected.

In the case of the same vs the same, Mr. Baxter showed cause against a rule nisi to set aside an order or review by Judge Wedderburn. The case of the same vs the same ex parte Wm. J. Carnworth will be heard this afternoon.

Judgements are to be given after the motion paper is completed today.

## CIVIC APPOINTMENTS TO BE MADE THURSDAY

Gasoline Tank to be Placed on J. S. Neill's Property—Contract for Coal Awarded by Road Committee.

The aldermen will meet on Thursday next, April 28th, for the purpose of appointing city officials for the ensuing year. The meeting at which these appointments are usually made is the regular May meeting. This year the appointments will be made slightly in advance of the regular time on account of the fact that the city at the present time has no principal assessor and also on account of the fact that as the year begins on May 1st, the officials when not appointed until after that date serve when they really are not officials.

It is not expected that there will be any changes in officials. The office of principal assessor is the chief one to be filled. Several candidates for it are in the field. Messrs. W. G. Dykeman and William Lemont have already formally made application.

### GASOLINE TANK.

The gasoline tank which the Imperial Oil Company is desirous of building here is to be erected on the property of James S. Neill & Sons, Ltd., on the Y joining the tracks of the C.P.R. and I.C.R. The roads and streets committee met last night and heard Mr. T. H. Bullock of St. John in support of the application from the Imperial Oil Company for permission to erect a gasoline tank near its oil-tank on Aberdeen street. A petition signed by sixty-three of the residents of that locality praying that permission be not granted was read. In view of this fact the committee refused this required permission. Mr. Bullock stated that he could get another petition in support of his application. It was finally decided that the Neill property would be a suitable location for the tank. The committee decided to place a telephone in the residence of Roadmaster McKay if he would meet the expense of erecting poles.

Chairman Mitchell was given power to make the necessary arrangements for street-sprinkling. The watering carts are to be put in commission as soon as possible.

Tenders for soft coal were received.

They were as follows:  
Hatt, Morrison & Co., ... \$5.85  
Fred H. Everett, ... \$5.70  
P. Farrell, ... \$5.65

The lowest tender was accepted.

The matter of children playing baseball on the streets was touched upon. The opinion was expressed that a stop should be put to this practice.

Don't forget the hot supper at the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday from 5.30 to 7 o'clock. Everybody should go.

## WHERE'S THE USE

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## POLICE MAGISTRATE HAD HEAVY DAY

Scott Act Case Dismissed—Dog Fighting Case Over Until Monday—Colored Assault Case.

Police Magistrate Marsh held a field-day this morning having before him a Scott Act case, a case of alleged cruelty to animals, an assault case and one common drunk.

Mrs. William Campbell of Regent Street was charged with violation of the Canada Temperance Act. She pleaded not guilty. One witness was examined. He stated that he had entered the Campbell house to see a friend who lived upstairs. He knew nothing of the sale of liquor.

The case was dismissed.

City Marshal Roberts as agent for the S.P.C.A., appeared against a young man who was charged with setting dogs on one another. He stated that he had seen the defendant set a collie dog on a smaller dog on King street Monday April 11th. The defendant stated that he had been attacked by the collie and had had his clothes torn by him. He had set the smaller dog on to get clear of the other. The Magistrate said he would decide the case on Monday. There were too many cases of dogs being set on one another.

Two colored men, Murray Cox and George O'Ree were concerned in the assault. Cox stated that on Sunday last O'Ree had assaulted him, at the home of Foreman Francis, Maryland Road. O'Ree in defence said that he had "slapped" Cox only after the latter had used abusive language toward him. A fine of two dollars and costs was imposed on O'Ree.

The drunk was an old offender. He said he had been not only drunk but crazy on the night previous. The magistrate gave him a term in jail to recover his usual state of reason.

### MOVING DAY.

Next Monday will be moving day but as far as can be learned the number of people who will make a change of residence will be smaller than usual. Several have already gone through with the ordeal and others will have it over before the end of the week. Good, self-contained houses are scarce here and command a high rental.

Mr. G. H. Tufts of St. John, is at the Barket House.

Capt. J. A. Read left last evening on a trip to Albert County.

### MARRIED

At the Cathedral, April 20th, by the Rev. Sub Dean Street, Justice Hanson of Zealand, York County, and Mrs. Ida May Belyea, of Peter'sville, Queens County.

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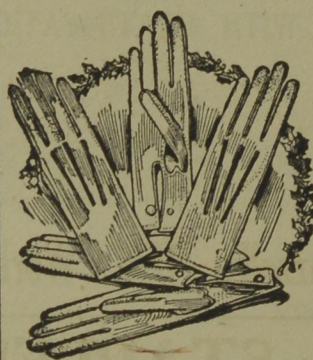
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