

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS.

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CLOSED FOR SEASON.

The Bicycle & Boating Club house has been closed for the season.

SERIOUSLY ILL.

Dr. Lewis, veterinary surgeon, is suffering from a severe attack of erysipelas and has been taken to the Victoria Hospital for treatment.

ACCIDENT TO STEAMER.

The Str. Victoria met with an accident at Gagetown on Saturday, while en route from St. John. Several blades of the paddle wheel were broken and the Victoria arrived here several hours late.

ENJOYABLE EVENING.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the residence of Mrs. Wesley VanWart Saturday evening, when her son Horace VanWart, entertained the members of Double S. Society. The happy gathering broke up at midnight.

THANKS EXPRESSED.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gibson, of St. John, wish to express their gratitude to the people of Oromocto for their kindness in connection with the death of their late uncle, Mr. Lauchlin McLean, and especially to Mrs. Carpenter and Miss Currier, who opened their house for the performance of the last offices which the living pay to the dead.

SAW A MOOSE.

Passengers on the train which left the C. P. R. station at 6:20 a. m. yesterday, saw a young cow moose near Rusagornish Station. The animal trotted along on the track ahead of the train for some distance, and when the engineer blew the whistle, it bolted for the woods. It made several unsuccessful attempts to negotiate a wire fence while the train was passing and seemed to be badly frightened.

RUMMAGE SALE NOTICE.

Any persons wishing to contribute articles to the King's Daughter rummage sale, to be held on Saturday, Nov. 5th, in the old Bank of New Brunswick, will kindly communicate by phone or card with any of the following committee of management: Misses Thorne, Perley, Davis and Everett, and the goods will be called for on Friday, Nov. 4th.—Tues. & Thurs.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

The jury empanelled by Coroner Mullin to inquire into the death of John McNaughton, of Tay Falls, who was found near his home on Friday, with his brains blown out, brought in a verdict of accidental death. The evidence showed that McNaughton had started out to hunt deer and that his rifle was discharged when he tripped over a log, tearing the top off his skull. The deceased was buried on Monday.

HAD GOOD SPORT

A number of local sportsmen took advantage of the beautiful weather Thanksgiving Day and made a trip to the woods after birds. Messrs D. B. Winslow and R. H. MacCum were at Tweedside and succeeded in bagging thirty-seven partridges. Messrs. A. R. Slipp, F. B. Edgcombe and C. Fred Chestnut, H. B. Atherton and W. E. Seerey spent the day at Rooth and shot seventeen birds; Mr. S. H. McFarlane bagged four birds near Fredericton Junction.

DEATH AT HANWELL.

The death of Mrs. Emma Lehr, widow of the late Wm. Lehr, occurred Sunday night at the house of her son Hr. Henry Lehr, of Hanwell. Death was due to the infirmities of old age. The deceased is survived by three sons and three daughters, Wilbert, of the State of Maine; Henry, of Hanwell; Dr. A. B. Lehr, of St. John's, N.B.; Miss Exca Lehr, of Fredericton; Mrs. Case of Missoula, and Mrs. Essency, of Smithfield, York County. The funeral took place this afternoon, leaving the house at noon. Rev. Mr. Summers conducted the service. Interment was made at the Rural Cemetery.

THE DIVORCE COURT

The Chatham World thus moralizes on the cases entered on trial at the divorce court here this week: Two deserted wives and one deserted husband are asking for divorces at the court in Fredericton. The recalcitrant husbands are reported to be living with other women and the female defendant is accused of criminal intimacy with another man. These husbands and wives are separated and marriage for them has proved to be a failure. If they are given another chance they may be happy. The legality of many a happy marriage depends on the validity of a divorce decree.

CITY CLERK WANTS
ACCIDENTS REPORTED
BY THE POLICE

Will Report in Favor of Extension of Water Sewerage and Light to Bailey's Bridge.

City Clerk McCready last night presented to the City Council, which met in committee, a draft of instructions which he considers necessary to be issued to the police. The City Clerk took this action in view of the evidence given in the case of Grass vs. City of Fredericton, in which the city was sued for damages on account of a collision on a public street. The police were not able to throw any light on the circumstances of the accident. The proposals of the City Clerk which are very apt to be adopted at the meeting of the council tonight, are as follows:

1. That the Police Officers be directed, in addition to other duties by them to be performed, as follows: (a) To examine any obstruction, excavation or other encumbrance found in or upon any street, sidewalk or public place in the city, enter a record of the facts and circumstances in a book to be kept for that purpose, and report same to the street department.

(b) To at once investigate all accidents which occur in any part of the city, paying particular attention to street accidents, ascertain names of those present, and enter a concise statement of the facts, &c., with name, in said book. (c) To see that danger lights on street excavations or obstructions, or other works on streets, are kept lighted during the night, to re-light those which may go out, and replace any lights broken during the night, enter a record of same in said book, and report to the proper department (For this purpose the Police Station should be supplied with sufficient extra lanterns.)

2. That all danger lights placed on the street obstructions should be in red globes.

SERVICE EXTENSION

The report on the petition of residents of Woodstock Road for the extension of the water, sewerage and lighting services to Bailey's Bridge will be presented to the City Council tonight. The report it is expected will be in favor of complying with the prayer of the petition next spring. The officials of the Water Department are in favor of laying a twelve-inch water main from the corner of Woodstock Road and Smythe Street to Bailey's Bridge. A main of this size is favored because it would be sufficient to supply all that portion of the city west of Wilmot Park should it ever be built up. The cost of laying such a main from Odell Avenue to Bailey's Bridge would be upwards of ten thousand dollars. It would be necessary however to remove the four-inch main between Smythe St. and Odell Avenue and replace it with twelve-inch pipe. This alteration would add to the cost of the extension.

MARKET MATTERS

The petition of the grocers and butchers that the market by-law be amended so as to prohibit house-to-house sale of produce was considered by the aldermen last evening in committee. The opinion of the aldermen was divided on the matter, some thinking that it would be too harsh a measure to confine the country people entirely to the market. It is likely that a new by-law will be drafted at some future time.

BANQUET AT MAUGERVILLE

On Friday evening about one hundred persons attended a banquet given by Lt. Col. H. H. McLean, M. P., at Lower Maugerville. The supper was served by the ladies of the Baptist Church. At the conclusion of the banquet there Col. McLean delivered an address.

C. P. R. OFFICIALS' MOVEMENTS

Mr. Chas. K. Howard, who recently resigned the position of superintendent of the Aroostook Valley Railway to accept the position of travelling freight agent of the C. P. R., arrived in the city Saturday and went to St. John yesterday to take up his new duties. Mr. W. B. Bamford, district freight agent of the C. P. R., arrived in the city this morning on business.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

The Harvest Festival and dance held at the Drill Hall under the auspices of the officers and band of the 71st York Regt. was well attended last night. It will be continued tonight. The Fredericton Brass offered to assist at the festival this evening and the offer has been accepted. The 71st Band advertised the festival by a parade of a hobo band through the streets.

THANKSGIVING SUPPER.

The Thanksgiving supper given at the Brunswick Street Baptist church last night was well patronized and was very successful.

THANKSGIVING DAY
AND HALLOWE'EN
PASSED OFF QUIETLY

Many Visitors in City For Holiday—Amusements well Patronized—Police Made Few Arrests.

Thanksgiving Day and Halloween came on the same day this year, but the combination of the two did not produce a celebration that was very lively. In fact, yesterday was one of the quietest public holidays that has been observed here in a long time. The special rates offered on all railways brought large numbers of people here for the week-end or for Thanksgiving Day. A large number of St. John people were in the city yesterday, many coming with the Algonquin football team, which played U. N. B. here yesterday. The football match in the afternoon and the Harvest Festival by the 71st Regt. Band at the Drill Hall in the evening were the chief attractions of the day. Both were largely attended.

The observation of Halloween was quiet. A few doorsteps and gates were removed from their accustomed places but otherwise everything was quiet. Extra police were on but Chief Hawthorne reports that there was practically no trouble. The drunks were the only persons arrested.

The U. N. B. students on account of the departure of the college football team on tour today did not celebrate Halloween. In times past the students have celebrated the occasion in a very lively fashion.

There were several Halloween tricks played however by various parties. A very laughable trick was that which was played on a boarding house mistress in the lower part of the city. Last evening on leaving her home she found much difficulty in pulling open the door inasmuch as a cow had been tied by a long rope to the door handle.

U. N. B. HAPPENINGS

The Ladies' Basketball team, of the U. N. B., composed of Misses Hallett, Hatheway, B. Smith, Corbett and Aiton, with Mrs. F. P. Day as chaperone, went to Sackville by C. P. R. this morning for a match with the Mt. Allison Ladies' College quintette. The game will be played tomorrow.

Mr. W. L. Robertson, '10, returned to College today from St. Stephen, where he has been engaged in construction work.

THOS. L. SIMMONS
IS PROMOTED IN
DOMINION SERVICE

Appointed Assistant Chief Engineer to Railway Commission—Graduate of U. N. B.

Mr. Thomas L. Simmons, son of the late J. E. Simmons of Gibson, has been appointed assistant chief engineer to the Railway Commission. Mr. Simmons will enter upon his new duties at once.

Mr. Simmons is a graduate of the University of New Brunswick, having received the degree of B. A. in 1893. In 1896 he went to Ottawa to take a position as engineer in the Public Works Department of the Dominion. Since that time he has steadily advanced in his profession. Recently he has been engaged in work in connection with the railway department.

The new chief engineer is a brother of Mr. C. J. B. Simmons, the well known contractor, and of Mr. S. Dow Simmons, and is well known here. His numerous friends will join heartily in congratulation on his promotion and best wishes for his future success.

NOBLE SPORTSMAN.

Baron Serge Feleiser, a German nobleman, arrived in the city yesterday on his way to the Miramichi woods on a hunting trip. He will have W. Harry Allen, of Penniac, as guide.

HUNTING PARTY.

Messrs. John Linehan and George Curtis of Danvers, Mass., and Mr. G. R. Hall, of Boston, are at the Barker House. They will hunt on the 'Sons' West Miramichi with William Griffin.

SEWERAGE CASES.

The sewerage cases in which the Jewett properties are involved, were before the police magistrate this morning. Solicitor General McLeod appeared for the defence. Adjournment was made in order that the counsel for the defense and the chairman of the Board of Health might confer concerning the matter and reach a settlement if possible.

GEM

"Not Guilty," "Thankhouse Film," "A Woman's Better Nature, or Bess Left an Orphan," (Western) "Across the Tenebrife Island," showing splendid scenery and "Pete Becomes a Policeman," a great comic. Full orchestra.

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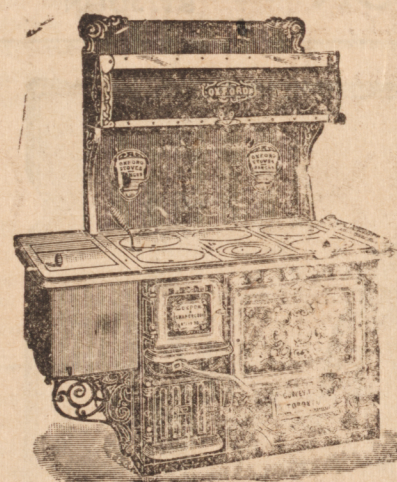
Tablecloths with Napkins to match of Double Irish Linen Damask, in Plain Centre, Scroll, Poppy, Rose, Tulip, Stripe, Crocus, Vine, Louis XIV., Lily of the Valley, Snowdrop and spot, Shamrock, Fleur-de-lis, Thistle and Bluebell, etc.

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