

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS.

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PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT.

The Provincial Government will meet in St. John tomorrow in special session.

AT HOME.

Mrs. Chas. Weddall is giving an "At Home" today in honor of her guest, Miss Rene Kirk, of New York.

SUCCESSFUL OPERATION.

Mr. Peter Hughes, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Victoria Hospital last evening, is doing as well as can be expected.

TO BE HEARD IN ST. MARY'S.

The trouble caused at the St. Mary's Indign reserve Tuesday night by the presence of white visitors will be ventilated before a St. Mary's magistrate.

KNIGHT-POLLOCK.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother, September 28th, by Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith, Jack Knight and Myrtle Pollock, daughter of Mrs. Robert Pollock, all of Fredericton.

ARCTIC RINK.

Large crowds are attending the Arctic Rink now. Music is being furnished for the skating by the Military Brass Band. Friday night there will be a prize given to the best lady skater.

BOONE-MACDONALD.

Married at the residence of Mrs. Fairley, Government Lane, September 28th, by Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith, Lorena Boone, of St. Mary's, and Margaret Irene Macdonald, of Fredericton.

CASES WITHDRAWN.

Several Board of Health cases, in which the defendants were charged with not making the required connection with the city sewerage system, were withdrawn in the police court this morning on account of an irregularity in the publication of the notice of the act requiring that connection to be made.

MR. BAILEY'S ILLNESS.

Mr. F. H. Bailey, the English sportsman who suffered an attack of appendicitis while hunting at Braithwaite's camps in the Miramichi woods is expected to reach here on Monday. He will be transported on a hammock which will be attached to four posts of a sled. Mr. Bailey shot a moose with an antler spread of fifty-six inches and also a deer before he was taken ill.

DEATH OF WM. BOWDEN.

The death of William Bowden, for many years associated with the Alex. Gibson Company, and more recently manager of the St. John Forwarding Company, occurred at 2:30 o'clock this morning at the residence of his son, 74 Sydney Street, St. John. Mr. Bowden, who was 76 years of age, had only been ill a week. He leaves a wife, one son, W. C. Bowden, of this city, and two daughters, Mrs. E. D. Ressler of Corvallis, Ore., and Miss Florence, at home.

MARRIED IN THE WEST.

The marriage of Miss Louise C. Tennant of Fredericton, N.B. to A. E. McIntyre mechanical engineer of Farlinger & McDonald, railway contractors, at Sioux Lookout, was solemnized at St. Andrews Presbyterian Church at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. Mr. Cranston officiated. Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre will leave on the Hamilton tomorrow evening to spend their honeymoon in Duluth, after which they will take up their residence at Sioux Lookout.—Fort William Times, Sept. 22.

(The bride is a daughter of Mr. James Tennant, Government Lands and has many friends here who wish her every happiness.)

KLARK-URBAN COMPANY.

The idea of continuous performance has become so firmly rooted with the amusement loving public that it is almost compulsory on the part of theatrical managers to cater to their tastes. The Klark-Urban Company, which will open a six night engagement at the City Opera House next Monday evening, presents the following high-class vaudeville acts at each and every performance, Miss Maisie Cecil, song and dances; Miss Grace Leith, the Funny Old Maid; Miss Marie Hodgkins, the Sweet Singer; "Roberta," Acrobatic Tramp; "Kenneth," a Scientific Sensation; "Mac," the Happy Boy, and the Four Monarchs of Music, Klark-Urban and Schreiber Bros. The opening play Monday evening, will be David Higgins' great comedy success, "His Last Dollar," with "One Girl in a Thousand," "The Girl From Out Yonder," "Sold Into Slavery," "The Fatal Scar," and "The Romance in Coon Hollow" to follow. Seats on sale at Ryan's Drug Store Friday morning.

PRINCE WILLIAM

PEOPLE STILL SEEK STRANGER'S INDENTITY

Authorities at Portland, Me., to be Asked to Locate Dead Man's Friends or Relatives.

Councillor Robert Graham and other residents of Prince William are anxious to hear from relatives or friends of the man who died suddenly at that place some time ago and was buried at the expense of the parish. The man's name was McKenzie or Daniel O'Brien of 47 Spruce Street Portland, Maine. The authorities of that city are to be asked to find the man's relatives.

First reports were to the effect that the man was a tramp. It is learned however that he was well dressed in a suit of grey and had an overcoat in his possession. Search after his death showed that he possessed \$3.30 cents in American money. No papers by which he could be identified were found. The people of Prince William are very much interested in the matter.

The unfortunate man was found on a vacant farm by a young man named Arden Lawson who was hauling gravel. The man's groans attracted his attention and he brought Council for Graham and Henry McGivney to the spot. The unknown man was in the yard when found but was removed to the house and medical aid summoned. Dr. McKenzie attended the man but he died six hours after being found.

When questioned the stranger said he had gone into the house three days before and had had no food since that time. He gave his name at first as Daniel McKenzie and afterwards as Daniel O'Brien and his address as given before. The man said that he had been working on the National Transcontinental Railway, and that he had a son but did not know where he was. His wife had been dead some time. The man appeared to be about sixty years of age and had been observed walking on the highway several days before. The valise and other property in the man's possession at the time of his death are in the hands of the poor master of Prince William parish who wants to learn of the whereabouts of the next of kin.

PROGRESS SATISFACTORY

Satisfactory progress is being made in the construction of the addition to the C. P. R. hotel at McAdam.

The granite work is completed and plastering is now being done inside the building. It is expected the work will be completed next month. Mac Vay & Sons have the contract.

SCHOOL BOARD DEALT

WITH ROUTINE MATTERS

A meeting of the Board of School Trustees was held yesterday when the chairman, Dr. Atherton, president and the other members present were Mr. Sterling, Mr. Weddall, Dr. VanWart, Mrs. Lynch and the secretary. Four members of the Board were absent from home and action on several matters was delayed for a future meeting. The secretary reported that the changes and improvements at the Charlotte Street School under the direction of Ald. Mitchell, were completed and appear to be satisfactory. The plumbing was done by D. J. Shea, and the work cost about \$1500.

A report from Principal Foster, showed that the pupils admitted to High School on probation in 1909 did not succeed very well. Exemption from study of certain subjects was granted to two pupils. It was decided to introduce the new spelling book into the schools. This book is furnished at 15 cents. Music is now daily taught in all the schools. Prof. Harrison is the instructor. Two hundred and sixty permits were issued this term and some of the departments are crowded. The salaries and a number of accounts were passed previous to adjournment.

THE ST. JOHN RIVER

COMMISSION ON AUTO TRIP

The members of the St. John River International Waterways Commission accompanied by counsel left this city for Woodstock by auto this morning. Two cars accommodated the party some of the members of which arrived here last night and others this morning. Those in the party were Commissioners A. P. Barnhill and John Keefe of St. John and Commissioners Peter C. Keegan and G. A. Murchie of Calais and O. F. Fellows of Bangor, Hon. W. P. Jones of Woodstock and A. J. Gregory, K.C., of Fredericton. The Commissioners will inspect the river between Fredericton and Woodstock and make notes concerning it. It was expected that the inspection would be completed today.

U. N. B. BEGAN

111TH ACADEMIC YEAR THIS MORNING

Supplemental and Senior Matriculation Examinations Began in University Library This Morning.

The University of New Brunswick opened its one hundredth and eleventh academic year this morning, when the supplemental and senior matriculation examinations began in the University library. Fifteen students wrote examinations this morning, six of the number writing the senior matriculation papers. The examinations will continue until Saturday.

WILMOT SCHOLARSHIP.

The L. A. Wilmot Scholarship, which is awarded to male students holding a teaching license of the first class, will be awarded this month. Chancellor Jones stated today that nothing further could be stated concerning the number of new students, but that at least fifty new students were expected. Many of these are now in the city and others will be here before the end of the week.

PREPARING FOR FOOTBALL.

The college athletic field on Church Street has been prepared for football and it is expected that the first practice will be held on Saturday. H. C. Knight, the football captain, who has been in British Columbia during the summer, is expected here next week to take charge of football affairs.

Lecturing will commence on Monday. It is expected that all the professors will be present. Prof. Georgian now being on his way to Fredericton.

NEW CARETAKER.

Thos. Colter of Keswick who was appointed caretaker of the Rural Cemetery has declined to fill the position and the trustees have appointed Jas. Welsh of this city.

GOT HIS MOOSE.

Mr. R. E. Otter of London, Eng., who had been hunting in the Miramichi woods for some time arrived here today. Mr. Otter was at one of Mr. Henry Braithwaite's camps and secured a head with a fine spread of horns. He had Thos. O'Leary as guide and speaks well of his ability. Mr. Otter will leave on his way home this evening.

Mr. R. B. Kesson, general manager of the Bank of New Brunswick is in the city.

LUDLOW WOMAN HAS

THRILLING EXPERIENCE WITH A SHE BEAR

Was Attacked While Driving Along the Highway Road—Held Animal at Bay With a Whip.

A Mrs. Long who resides near Ludlow, Northumberland County had a thrilling experience with a bear a short time ago, which she is not likely to forget in a hurry. She was driving along the road through a patch of woods in a light wagon and came suddenly upon two bear cubs at play. A dog which was following the carriage made for the cubs and commenced barking at them. The noise aroused the old she bear which was close at hand and rushing out of the woods with a savage growl it went for the dog and soon caused it to shirk off beneath the carriage. The bear followed the canine and her with its paw and scratched her arm quite badly. The woman although greatly frightened did not lose her presence of mind. She shouted at the bear and whacked it on the head so hard with the butt end of the whip that it was compelled to retreat. Just about this time the horse which was apparently unconscious of the bear's presence came to a full stop and brim would probably have renewed its attack had not the sound of approaching wheels reached its ears. Two men were coming along in a truck wagon, and on hearing the woman's cries whipped up their horses. The bear saw them coming and slunk off into the woods. Mrs. Lang's injuries were not of a serious nature. Her clothing was considerably torn and her arm was scratched by brin's claws. The experience was one she would not care to have repeated.

BARNEY WENT BACK.

Barney Devine set out on a return trip to St. John this morning. Detective P. Killen of the St. John Police Department accompanied him, having arrived here this morning with the required warrant.

SPORTSMEN HERE.

Messrs. F. G. Crane of Dalton, Mass., and B. W. Paddock of Pittsfield, Mass., are in the city on their way to the Miramichi hunting grounds. They are at the Queen Hotel. Messrs T. J. O'Donohoe jr. and A. J. Fenchwauger of Madison Wis., are at the Barker House. They are going into the woods after big game.

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