

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS

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WENT ON TO ST. JOHN

Mr. W. B. Tennant and party of St. John, who came from Woodstock by auto yesterday continued on their way to St. John today.

SAILED FOR ENGLAND

The Lord Bishop of London, Rt. Rev. and Rt. Hon. Winnington-Ingram sailed from Montreal on the Allan Liner Victoria.

REFORMED BAPTIST CHURCH

Prayer and Testimony meeting, at 10 a. m. Sunday School, 2.30 p. m. Preaching by Pastor S. A. Baker at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. All accordially invited.

AUTO PARTY HERE

An auto party composed of Messrs. R. Moffat, O. R. Scott, J. R. Arsenault and J. Kerr of Campbellton, arrived from St. John last night in Mr. Moffat's car. The members of the party are at the Queen.

MADE RUN FROM ST. JOHN

Messrs. A. E. Shaw, Wm. Stables, Sandy Gremley and L. A. Morrison of Newcastle with Mr. Russell of Loggieville, are at the Queen. They arrived here by auto from St. John last evening.

NEW FLOORING.

The Street Lighting Committee of the City Council has had a new floor placed in the coal-shed of the city power-house Carleton. The floor is of three inch deal and is a great improvement.

FOR THE WOODS

Mr. S. E. Merritt of Plaster Rock who lumbers on the Tobique for Donald Fraser and Sons, is in the city a guest at the Waverly. He is hiring men for the woods and expects to start for the Tobique on Monday with a crew.

BEE CULTURE.

Mr. Woodbury Sheppard of Keswick has taken a great interest in bee culture during the past few years giving almost his whole time to the work. He now has sixty colonies of bees and this year they produced upwards of two thousand pounds of honey.

WILL ARRIVE THIS AFTERNOON

Rev. Dr. Van Allen, rector of the Church of the Advent, Boston, will arrive in Fredericton from St. John by steamer this afternoon. While in the city he will be the guest of Dean and Mrs. Schofield. Dr. Van Allen will preach at both morning and evening services at the Cathedral Sunday.

LEFT FOR ALDERSHOT

Major General, Sir Percy Lake, accompanied by Lt. Col. Heward left for St. John last evening. He crossed to Digby today and will reach Aldershot this afternoon. Lt. Col. G. C. Jones, director general of the medical service, who was in Fredericton on Thursday left St. John for Aldershot yesterday.

NEW STREET LAMPS SATISFACTORY.

The new 80-candle power incandescent street-lamp with which the Street Lighting committee has experimented has proved a success. One of the new lamps has been in use at the corner of Allen and Brunswick street for about a fortnight and has given satisfaction. Another will be placed on Aberdeen Street. The new lamps are cheaper than the arc lamps now in general use for street lighting.

THERE'S YOUR CHANCE.

The Gem Theatre on Carleton street is one of the most popular amusement houses in the city. The very finest pictures are shown and those who attend always get full worth of their money. Readers of the Mail who wish to attend this evening performance at The Gem can secure a substantial reduction in the price of admission by cutting out and presenting at the door a coupon which will be found in another part of this issue.

ON WESTERN TRIP.

Frank McCafferty city editor of the Times will leave at noon today for Saskatoon on a three weeks' trip. He will be accompanied by Mrs. McCafferty, and before returning home will visit Boston and New York. Yesterday morning he was called to the composing room of the Times, and there met by the mechanical staff who presented him with a box of cigars and an address. All wished for him a delightful trip.—St. John Telegraph.

Mr. McCafferty is a brother-in-law of Mr. J. J. McCafferty of the Queen Hotel of this city.

LAYING OF TARVIA WILL BE FINISHED THIS AFTERNOON

Second Block on Queen Street Has Cost Less Than \$1.15 Per Square Yard.

The block of Queen street between Regent and St. John which has been in the hands of Roadmaster McKay and a crew of men for some days past will be opened for traffic this evening. The Tarvia pavement on this block has been laid much more rapidly than it was on the block of Queen Street between Westmorland and York. The cost per square yard has also been much less.

COST IS LOWER.

The cost of paving that part of Queen street between Westmorland and York streets was about \$1.23 per square yard according to the Roadmaster's estimate. The cost of the block to be finished today will be less than \$1.15. Twenty seven days were occupied in laying about 2800 square yards on the upper block. The lower block has been laid in eighteen days. Its area however is less than that of the other, amounting to about 2400 yards the intersection of Queen and St. John streets being only partially paved.

The difference in the speed is accounted for by the fact that the road bed of the lower block was taken up only where it was necessary to get the proper grade. On the other a larger quantity of stone was removed and used to build up the approach to the Highway Bridge on Campbell street.

STREET HAD BEEN NEGLECTED.

Some idea of the neglect which Queen Street has suffered in past years can be obtained from the facts that the block between Westmorland and York streets was last macadamized twenty seven years ago while that between Regent and St. John streets had not been macadamized for thirty one years.

Scarcity of crushed stone will make it impossible to lay Tarvia on Queen street between York and Carleton streets this year. It is likely that the entire street will be completely paved next summer. When that is done the cost of maintenance of streets will be considerably lessened.

CHURCH SERVICES

BRUNSWICK STREET CHURCH

At the Brunswick Street Baptist Church Sunday services both morning and evening will be conducted by the pastor Rev. J. H. MacDonald.

METHODIST CHURCH

The pastor, Rev. Neil McLachlan will preach at both morning and evening services, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School and Bible Study Union at 2.30 p. m.

CHRISTCHURCH CATHEDRAL

Rev. Dr. Van Allen, rector of the Church of the Advent, Boston, will preach at both morning and evening services at Christchurch Cathedral Sunday.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

Minister, Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith. 11 a. m. Subject, The Situation Within the Church. 7 p. m. Subject, The Blessedness of the Pure in Heart. All cordially invited to the services.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH.

Sunday, 7 p. m., Preaching by pastor Elder J. A. Strickland. Subject—"Watchman, what of the Night?"

BAGGED TEN BIRDS

Messrs. C. Fred Chestnut and A. R. Slipp, M.P.P., have returned from a hunting trip to Yoho Lake. They were successful in bagging ten partridges.

WEDDING AT LAKE GEORGE

On Wednesday, 14th inst., at 3 p. m., Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McMurray was united in marriage to R. Murray Rossborough, of Scarborough, Me., in the presence of her parents and other immediate relatives of the bride and groom, at her home at Lake George, York Co. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. Girdwood, Presbyterian minister of Prince William, assisted by Rev. James Rossborough of the same place. Both parties are natives of Prince William Parish and are deservedly popular with all. At their departure by C. P. R. from Harvey Station they got a hearty sendoff from all the assembled guests with best wishes for their future happiness and prosperity.

Mr. Robin Randolph left last evening by I. C. R. en route to England where he will resume his studies at Rugby.

APPLES OF ALL VARIETIES SCARCE AND HIGH IN PRICE

Unfavorable Spring Caused Shortage in Crop—No Apples to be Obtained for Export.

The failure of the apple crop this season was most apparent to any one who visited the country market this morning. At the present time are being offered for sale but it is equally true of winter apples as well that there is a market scarcity.

New Brunswick apples were bringing \$1.00 per half barrel in the market this morning. Usually this variety of early apple is very plentiful and goes begging at \$1.00 or 80cts. per barrel. Alexander apples are also scarce and dear.

From all sections of the country comes the same story of the failure of the apple crop. Some orchards have really produced no fruit at all. The famous apple growing districts of Nova Scotia report a poor crop in practically all varieties.

NONE FOR EXPORT

Mr. J. W. Clark at Maugeville who in the past years has made shipments of early apples to Great Britain was in the city today. He says that he will have a very small quantity of fruit and that exportation will be out of the question.

UNFAVORABLE SPRING

The shortage of apples has been caused by the destruction of the apple blossoms last spring. The weather during the entire spring was very unfavorable for fruits and late in the spring heavy frost did considerable damage. Small fruits as well as apples were a poor crop this season. Berries of all kinds were scarce and high in price.

THE SATURDAY MARKET.

There was a great variety of country produce in the market this morning and the demand was rather brisk everything offered for sale seemed to be of good quality and high prices prevailed. Chickens were quite plentiful at from 60 cents to \$1 a pair, lamb was plentiful at 10 and 12 cents potatoes sold at \$1 per bbl., turnips at 50 cents and apples at from \$2 to \$2.50 Eggs sold at 25 cents a dozen, butter at 25c. a pound, pork at 12 and 14 cents, beef at 7 and 8 cents, tomatoes at 25 cents a peck. Cabbages at 30 cents a dozen, corn at 18 cents, green tomatoes at 25 cents a peck and ripe tomatoes at 30 cents a basket.

MAPS OF CITY TO BE PREPARED FOR ADVERTISING PURPOSES

Will Show All Manufacturing Plants and Available Sites—Other Cities Getting Them.

The most recent scheme proposed for the advertisement of the city is to have maps prepared which will show in addition to the streets and public buildings the location of all the manufacturing plants of the city. A representative of a well-known firm of St. John publishers has been in the city for the past few days attempting to interest the merchants and manufacturers in the matter. The aldermen have also been approached and it is likely that the city will be asked to purchase some hundreds of the maps.

TO DISTRIBUTE MAPS

The intention is to have the maps enclosed in business letters which are sent out from the city and in that way spread intelligence of Fredericton as widely as possible. The proposal has been very favorably received.

Fredericton is not the only place of which maps of the kind mentioned are to be prepared. Moncton and New Glasgow are getting them at the present time.

DESCRIPTION OF MAPS

The proposed map is to be printed in two colors and all manufacturing plants are to be marked and named. The scale will be 600 feet to the inch and the map will be large enough to include the mills below the city as well as Gibson and St. Mary's. The depth of water at the wharves and at various points in the river will be marked. Available sites for manufacturing plants are to be marked together with all lands owned by the city. On the margin of the map is to be printed information concerning Fredericton. It has been proposed that the winning essay of the civic competition be used for this purpose.

SEARCHING FOR GOLD

Messrs. Luther Smith Beverly Smith and John Adams of Lincoln, who have been on a two weeks trip to the Tobique prospecting for gold have returned home. They are not giving out much information in regard to their expedition but it is known that they did not find it necessary to charter a special train to haul home their clean up of the yellow metal.

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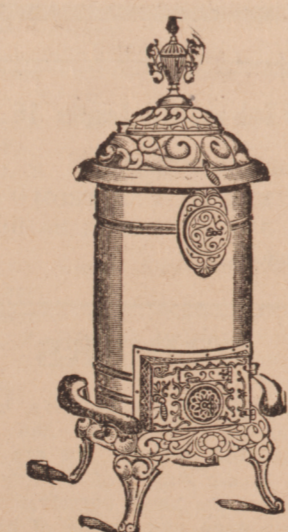
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