

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS.

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POLICE COMMISSION

Ald. Clark, chairman of the Police Commission has called a meeting of the commission for this afternoon.

TO BOX IN MONCTON

George Wagner, the local boxer has been matched to meet Tom Muloney at Moncton a week from tomorrow.

GEM TONIGHT

At the Gem tonight there will be the Eucharistic Congress. The Turn of the Dice is a western drama, by the Imp. Something unusual, and a tickling comedy by Thanouser. Full orchestra.

SCOTT ACT PROSECUTION

A local restaurant keeper was before the police magistrate this morning charged with violation of the Canada Temperance Act. The witnesses for the prosecution were heard and the case adjourned until Thursday to enable defence to obtain witnesses.

RALLY DAY

Yesterday was Rally Day at the Methodist Sunday School. Appropriate sermons were preached by the pastor of the Church, Rev. Neil McLaughlin, both morning and evening and in the afternoon there were special exercises by the Sunday School.

CALLED AWAY BY ILLNESS

Policeman Hedley Boulter left this morning for Gordonville, Carleton County, where his wife is seriously ill. He received a long-distance telephone message concerning her illness from Bristol, Saturday night, but was unable to leave until this morning.

U. N. B. DEBATE

At the University on Saturday night the Junior Debating team won from the Seniors, taking the negative of the resolution, "That it would be to the advantage of the people of Canada that the Intercolonial Railway be operated by a private Company."

CONVICTIONS OBTAINED.

Convictions were obtained this morning against a local druggist for first and third offences against the Canada Temperance Act. The latter case was adjourned until Wednesday to enable the prosecution to file certificates of first and second offences.

PICTURE OF INTEREST.

The Bijou has a long and splendid program for today. A big Vitaphone feature, "On Her Doorstep," a cheerful and bubbling society comedy, "The Liver's Well," a drama full of amusing situations. "His Two Daughters," an Imp story in which Mrs. Jones plays the leading role, a story that will appeal to the feelings.

Y. W. C. A. MEETING

A public meeting was held in St. Paul's Church last evening at the conclusion of the regular service at which Miss Arai, a Japanese lady delivered an address. The meeting was under the auspices of the College Y. W. C. A. and was well attended. Miss Arai addressed the members of the College Y. W. C. A. yesterday afternoon.

BUILDING LARGE ICEBOAT

Mr. Chas Flett the veteran yachtsman has about completed one of the finest and possibly the fastest iceboat ever seen here. The boat will be thirty-two feet long with a beam of fourteen feet and will have skates five feet long. It will have about 300 square feet of sail and will be able to carry about twelve or fifteen persons.

HOSPITAL TAG DAY.

About \$200 was collected Saturday by the young ladies who were sent out for the purpose of "tagging" everybody they could to raise funds in aid of Victoria Hospital. The exact amount will be announced later. Miss Laura Sterling and Miss Rita Barry collected eighty-four dollars, the largest amount received by any pair of young ladies. Miss Vera Van-Buskirk secured the largest amount of any of the young ladies who were collecting by themselves.

AN OLD GAME

A resident of Regent street paid a visit to the market on Saturday and bought and paid for a quarter of pork. He wrote his name on a card and left it with the vendor, with instructions to deliver the pork at his residence. Up to the present time the pork has not been delivered and the citizen has very good reason for believing that he has been buncoed. However, he claims to know the name of the man who made the sale, and if matters are not made right in a very short time he will invoke the aid of the law.

REV. FATHER HOWLAND
IN SERMON REPLIES
TO REV. DR. SMITH

Rev. Father Carney Makes Brief Reference to Attacks on Roman Catholic Church.

At St. Dunstan's Church yesterday reference was made by the rector, Rev. Father Carney and his curate Rev. Father Howland to the statements antagonistic to the Roman Catholic Church. Rev. Father Carney in his remarks made no mention of names and did not particularize. Rev. Father Howland however, replied to the statements made by Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church on Sunday, November 6th in his sermon to the Orange Order in commemoration of the 35th anniversary of the Gunpowder Plot.

REV. FATHER CARNEY

Rev. Father Carney's remarks occupied not more than ten minutes. They contained reference to calumniators of the church and to lying statements that had been made concerning that body. The preacher warned his hearers against these. Proceeding he referred to that portion of the gospel which mentions the mustard seed. The fathers of the Church had taken the mustard seed and applied it to the Church. As the mustard seed grew from almost nothing to a huge tree so had the Church grown from small beginnings to its present magnitude. It had continued strong and steadfast notwithstanding remarks made by enemies and calumnies thrown at Catholicism was as strong and healthy as ever. No alarm concerning the condition of the Church need be felt.

It was true said Rev. Father Carney that the nations might leave the Church. They had in the past. It should be remembered however, that Christ had never promised that the nations would not leave the Church. He had promised however that the gates of Hell would never prevail against her and she should continue until the end of the world.

REV. FATHER HOWLAND

Rev. Father Howland in the course of his sermon preached at 10.30 in the morning alluded to Rev. Dr. Smith's sermon. The Roman Catholic Church had been attacked and the persecution had been continued in sermons preached in Fredericton. Had the remarks of Protestants been intended as a reply to statements made at Montreal during the Eucharistic Congress, why were they repeated and made general? Dr. Smith had shown that he was not familiar with the Roman Catholic religion. The preacher proceeded to refute some statements with regard to spiritual matters which had been made in the sermon referred to. He also affirmed his belief in Papal Infallibility. Rev. Father Howland said he had no desire to be in antagonism to anyone, but wished to live in peace and harmony with his neighbors, but felt compelled to reply when the Church was attacked.

MIDDLE HAINESVILLE.

Oct. 31.—The fine warm weather of late has enabled the farmers to get their turnips harvested in good shape and most of them are now engaged in ploughing for next year.

The young men are fast leaving us for their winter work in the lumber woods, Messrs Eddie and Byron Cones being the last to date.

Miss Della V. Haines, our last term's teacher, spent Saturday and Sunday in this place. Her many friends were all pleased to see her.

Our school this term is being conducted by Miss Emma Kelly of Stanley. She is rapidly gaining in favor with young and old alike.

This place has been having its share of visitors of late a few of whom we mention.

Mr. Frank Campbell and bride of Fitchburg, Mass., spent a week with their parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Campbell.

Mr. Colin Campbell of Crystal, Me., spent a few days at his old home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Merritt of Hanington, Me., were visiting Mrs. Merritt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McLoughlin.

Messrs. Oscar and Howard McLaughlin and wives, have been spending a short time at home.

Misses Mildred and Leona Staples who have been away teaching, are spending their Thanksgiving at their home here.

Miss Alice B. Wiggins, who is attending the P. N. S. at Fredericton, came up on Friday night to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wiggins, at the mill.

The I. O. G. T., which was re-organized last spring, is being well attended. The meetings are held every Saturday night.

Our Sunday school has closed for the winter. It was rather poorly attended and the superintendent thought best to close it for the winter months.

Our pastor, Rev. I. E. Vanwart, gave us a very interesting discourse on Sunday evening on Mission work in the form of a blackboard lesson. He had a full house and the best of attention.

CORONER'S JURY
CHARGES RAILWAY
WITH NEGLIGENCE

G. T. P. Held Responsible For Death of Late Charles Cliff—Legal Action to Begin.

The inquest into the death of the late Charles Cliff of Kingsclear, was concluded at Winnipeg on Friday and a verdict to the effect that the death was due to the negligence of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway was brought in. The inquest was begun on Monday last and was continued for several days, the railway making a determined effort to avoid the responsibility.

Word of the verdict of the coroner's jury was communicated to Recorder Colter of this city by Mr. W. J. McKinley of Winnipeg, a former resident of this city.

The representatives of the family of the deceased have retained a prominent legal firm in Winnipeg to look after their interests and action for damages will be brought against the G. T. P. Mr. Walter H. Trueman formerly of St. John, is a member of that firm.

The funeral of the late Charles Cliff took place on Saturday afternoon from the home of his mother at Kingsclear, and was very largely attended. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Shewan, of Springhill, and Rev. Mr. Steellings, of Gibson. Interment was made at the Cliff Burying Ground, Queensbury.

NORTH WEST MOUNTED POLICE.

A program of unusual merit will be shown at the Unique tonight, including "More Than His Duty," Edison, a gripping story taken at the posts of the Royal Mounted, scenically beautiful and dealing with the best disciplined body of men in the world. "The Iconoclast," Biograph, and "The Sanitarium," a clever comedy.

ANOTHER APPLICANT

It is understood that Mr. A. J. Brooks principal of the Fredericton Junction High School will be an applicant for the Rhodes Scholarship for this province. Mr. Brooks was graduated by U. N. B. in 1910. During his college course he had a good record both as a scholar and as an athlete.

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LUNATIC WHO
TERRORIZED BOISETOWN
NOW UNDER ARREST

Charles Palmer, Well Known Here, Wrecked I. C. R. Station Late Saturday Night.

Charles Palmer an insane man who did considerable damage to the I. C. R. station at Boiestown Saturday night and who terrorized that village and piled obstructions on the I. C. R. track at that place the same night was arrested today by two I. C. R. special policemen and was taken to Newcastle for examination. It is expected that he will be taken to the Provincial Hospital at Fairville at the earliest opportunity. Palmer has been violent on previous occasions and was for some time an inmate of the Provincial Hospital having been liberated from that institution about two months ago.

REPORTS EXAGGERATED

The reports concerning Palmer's depredations which reached this city at first were very much exaggerated.

The man, it is said since being liberated from the Provincial Hospital has divided his time between Ludlo and Portage having relatives in both places. He appeared at Boiestown early Saturday night and proceeded to smash the windows and lights of the station and threatened to tear up the track. As Palmer had been employed on the railway at one time and had knowledge of the use of all the required tools it was feared that he might put his threat into execution. However, the insane man piled sleepers and barrels on the track and awaited the coming of the express from Fredericton. Someone suggested to him that there might be an officer of the law on the train and Palmer removed the obstructions from the track and left the place.

The train with Conductor Logan of this city came in slowly the crew having been warned by wire of the trouble. Palmer was not to be found but the people of Boiestown were in a state of terror. After the train went on its way the madman returned and brandishing an iron bar compelled Mr. H. H. Woods the station agent and his wife to leave the station.

WELL KNOWN HERE

Palmer is well known in Fredericton and until recently was a frequent visitor to this city. On his trips to this city he used to order enormous quantities of goods at various places under the delusion that he had great wealth.

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