

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS.

To insure prompt change of ads., copy must be in this office not later than 8 a. m. on the day they are to appear.

RETURNED FROM WEST.

Mr. J. Lewis Cox, the driver and trainer who was in Calgary during the summer, has returned to New Glasgow.

PIERS REMOVED

The dredge Beacon Bar completed the removal of the piers in the river channel at the highway bridge last night and left for St. John today in tow of the tug Lord Roberts. The channel is now clear to a depth of thirteen feet at low water and navigable for river-craft of greatest draft.

WAS SORRY, TOO.

The police magistrate informed a drunk that appeared before him this morning that he was sorry to see him there a prisoner. "So am I," remarked the drunk. As the offender had not been before him for a long time, His Honor told him to clear out.

THE GIBSON LANDS

Senator Jones of Bangor, Me., paid a visit to the headwaters of the Nashwaak last week and looked over a portion of the Gibson Company's lands, soon to be disposed of at equity sale. It is said that he represents a syndicate of Americans who have an eye on the property.

LATE CHAS. MCCLUSKEY.

The funeral of the late Charles McCluskey took place this morning at nine o'clock. High Mass of Requiem was celebrated at St. Dunstan's Church and interment was made at the Hermitage. A brother of the deceased residing in Carleton County, was in the city to attend the funeral. A large number of friends of the deceased followed the remains to the grave.

TELEPHONE EXTENSION.

The New Brunswick Telephone Company has just completed connections with the lines of the Canterbury & North Lake Telephone Company, at Canterbury, York County. The lines of this latter company cover an area about sixty miles in length, and will enable subscribers of the New Brunswick Telephone Company to reach Eel River Lake, Fosterville, Skiff Lake, and Grant's Crossing.

CONCRETE SIDEWALKS.

Summerside is laying concrete sidewalks at a cost of 13½ to 15½ cents a square foot. Charlottetown has laid 24,000 sq. ft. this year at a cost of 20c. a foot. Mr. Gaudet, who did the work in Summerside, has had fifteen years experience. He does not excavate and fill with broken stones for a foundation, but says such an excavation is only a receptacle for surface drainage. He uses a layer of cinders instead.

PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT MEETING

Premier Hazen arrived in the city from Ottawa this morning to attend a meeting of the Provincial Government which will be held this evening. Hon. John Morrissey is also in the city. Premier Hazen stated this morning that press despatches had fully covered the business of the recent inter-provincial conference. Another conference was likely to be held in December, but where was not yet known.

A FINE COMPANY

The H. Wilmot-Adams Company, the old favorites with local theatre goers, opened a week's engagement at the Opera House last evening. "My Girl" was the bill and it was put on in a manner which greatly delighted the audience. The costumes were splendid and the acting of the high standard characteristic of Mr. Young's companies. The specialties put on between the acts showed great cleverness. This evening "The Frozen Trail" will be put on the boards. Secure your seats at Ryan's.

MISS HAVILAND'S DEATH.

Word has been received at Chatham of the death in New York on Oct. 19, of Miss Mattie T., eldest daughter of the late John Haviland, of Chatham. Miss Haviland had not been living in Chatham for many years, though she paid several visits to her former home and had many friends and relatives on the Miramichi who will feel her death with deep regret. About a year ago she suffered a severe paralytic stroke. Miss Haviland leaves three sisters and three brothers. These are Frank and J. Archibald, Vancouver; Rev. Douglas C., Kings College, N. S.; and Mrs. M. R. Loggie, Chatham; Mrs. P. H. C. Benson, Ottawa, and Miss Ida Haviland, Boston. The funeral took place on Saturday at New York.

His Honor Lieut. Governor Tweedie arrived in the city this afternoon from Chatham.

OCTOBER SITTINGS
OF DIVORCE COURT
OPENED TODAY

The Cases Before Court--So Far Only One Defended--Adjournment Until November 2nd.

The regular October sittings of the Court of Divorce and Matrimonial Causes opened at 11 o'clock this morning, the Registrar presiding. The following cases have been filed in the Court:

ROBINSON vs ROBINSON.

Ida May Robinson vs Frank Leveritt Robinson. The plaintiff before the marriage resided in St. John and the defendant in Marysville, being an employee of the Canada Eastern Railway. The parties were married at St. John in 1903 by the Rev. Howard Sprague, and removed to Marysville. In April, 1904, the defendant left his wife and went to Upper Canada and she returned to her parents in St. John, with whom she has since resided. The action is brought on the ground of infidelity. Powell & Harrison, proctors for the plaintiff.

SMITH vs SMITH.

Herbert Edward Smith vs Alice Maud Smith. The plaintiff resides at Johnston, Queens County, and the defendant (formerly Deness), at Fredericton. They were married in Middlesex, England, in 1883, by the Rev. L. U. Lee, and came to New Brunswick in 1907. In July of this year the defendant left her home and came to this city, where she has since resided. The plaintiff sues for divorce on the ground of infidelity, one Walter Kircade being named as co-respondent. Two children were the result of the marriage. Slipp & Harrison are proctors for the plaintiff.

BRYSON vs BRYSON.

Elizabeth Bryson vs George Bryson. The plaintiff is a resident of Milltown, Charlotte County, and the defendant of Glasgow, Scotland, in April, 1905. In the following year a child was born to the contracting parties and in 1907 the defendant left his wife and came to Montreal. In August, 1909, the plaintiff also came to this country and settled in Milltown, and is an employee of the Canada Cotton Mills at that place. The action is based on the usual statutory grounds, one Margaret Craig of Montreal, being mentioned in the libel as co-respondent. M. McMonagle is the proctor in the case for the plaintiff.

COURT ADJOURNED.

After the usual opening proceedings and the entering of the cases, the Registrar adjourned the court until Wednesday morning, Nov. 2nd. The case of Robinson vs Robinson is the only one so far defended, Mr. J. D. Phinney, K. C., having filed an appearance for the defendant.

FUNERAL OF LATE
JAS. PICKARD TOMORROW

The funeral of the late James Pickard, whose death took place at his home in Gibson yesterday afternoon, will be held Wednesday afternoon. Service will be conducted at the house by Rev. Mr. Stebbings. Interment will be made at the Pickard Burying Ground, Douglas.

The deceased was one of the pioneers of the Nashwaak, having been connected with the lumber trade on that river for fifty-seven years. In his younger days he worked with his brother, the late John Pickard, who for some years represented the County of York at Ottawa. For the past forty-eight years he had been employed by the Gibson Company in various capacities, for some time superintending the shipment of deal. The deceased is survived by one sister, Mrs. Joseph Black, of Lowell, Mass., formerly of Fredericton. One son, Mr. H. H. Pickard, of Gibson, also survives. There are three daughters, Mrs. H. S. Simmons, of Greenwood, B. C.; Mrs. H. McKiel, of St. John, and Mrs. S. D. Simmons, of Gibson.

THE GOLDEN FLEECE

The Golden Fleece dry goods store has been closed for the present to allow stock taking to be carried on. It is understood that the company will be re-organized in the near future and the business will be resumed on a bigger scale than ever.

PAID VISIT TO CITY.

Prof. Brydone Jack, of the University of Manitoba, was in the city yesterday. Prof. Brydone-Jack was formerly professor of civil engineering at the U. N. B., and paid a visit to the College yesterday. He was accompanied on his visit to the city by his brothers, Dr. W. Brydone-Jack, and Mr. A. C. Brydone-Jack, of Vancouver. They met many old friends here.

POLICE MAGISTRATE
LEARNS ALL ABOUT
POCKET PEDDLING

George O'Ree, Colored, Fined Fifty Dollars and Costs For Violation of Scott Act.

George O'Ree, colored, was fined fifty dollars and \$4.50 costs or one month's imprisonment in jail, in the police court this morning for violation of the Canada Temperance Act by that process generally known as pocket peddling. O'Ree said in court that he would appeal the case.

The offence of "pocket peddling" although supposed to be very common in Fredericton, has seldom been proven and the imposition of the fine is an unusual development.

There were many interested spectators in the police court this morning, when the case against O'Ree was heard.

The case arose through three young men belonging to Nashwaaksis becoming intoxicated last night and being arrested. The police learned that the men had obtained liquor from O'Ree and swearing out a warrant, arrested the latter. The evidence given in the case was to the effect that the Nashwaaksis men had met O'Ree and given him money to get liquor. O'Ree had taken the money and had met a white man whom he called Andrew Johnson. He had told Johnson what he wanted and later had met Johnson and got the liquor from him. O'Ree then took the liquor to the Nashwaaksis men.

"I have never before known just how pocket peddling is carried on," said Magistrate Marsh at the conclusion of the evidence. "It is evidently done by having one man to take orders and another to supply him with the liquor required. In the present case there is nothing to do but find the prisoner guilty."

The conviction was made because the magistrate considered that O'Ree made a profit by supplying the liquor and did not do it out of friendship or to oblige the other men. Of the latter one got out on deposit and the others were let go.

A TIP TOP SHOW.

"Under Both Flags," a story of the civil war, showing exciting action. "A Simple Mistake," the kind that keeps you laughing. At the Bijou today. Orchestra.

Rev. Dr. Clarence MacKinnon returned to Halifax last night.

FREDERICTON MAN
WON ROBERT HERBERT
PRIZE AT OXFORD

Rhodes Trust Statement Issued Recently Announces J. Arthur Estey as Winner.

The annual statement of the Cecil Rhodes Trust, which was issued a few days ago, contains the announcement that Mr. J. Arthur Estey, of this city, won the Robert Herbert Memorial Prize at Queen's College, Oxford. The same statement announces that Mr. Estey won a diploma in economics with distinction.

Mr. Estey is at present a member of the faculty of the University of Wisconsin, having accepted a position in the economics department. Mr. Estey is a native of this city, and was educated in the public schools of the city. He was graduated from the Fredericton High School in 1902, and entered Acadia University the same year. In 1907 he was graduated from Acadia and the same year was elected Rhodes Scholar. At the University of Oxford Mr. Estey followed a course in history and political economy and achieved distinction. His many friends in Fredericton will rejoice at the recent announcement.

SAEL OF PURE-BRED
SHEEP WELL ATTENDED

The sale of pure-bred sheep at the exhibition grounds this morning, was very successful. There was a large attendance and fifty-one sheep were sold for \$1012.50. Mr. R. M. Burden, of Westfield, and Mr. H. O. Henstis, of Bear Island, took large lots. The sheep will be widely distributed.

The buyers were as follows: H. O. Henstis, Bear Island. F. P. Robinson, Nashwaaksis. J. F. Tweeddale, M. P. P., Authorette. C. L. Smith, Woodstock. C. F. Marston, Southampton. Leslie Haines and J. E. Long, Centerville.

Wm. Pringle, Queensbury. F. B. Flewelling and O. C. Jensen, New Denmark. Geo. Armstrong and R. M. Burden, Westfield.

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