

## LOCAL NEWS

## TO ADVERTISERS

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## DRUNKS ARRESTED

Three drunks were arrested by the police near the old Burying Ground at about one o'clock today. One of them put up quite a fight but was landed in cells all right.

## A SCRATCHING REBUKE.

Sackville Tribune—The St. John Standard is the authority for the startling statement that in an Albert County Court this week Hon. Mr. McLeod, the Solicitor General, "joined with the learned judge in a scratching rebuke" of one of the officials. The Solicitor General must be getting dangerous; his friend, Hon. Mr. Morrissey, should be on his guard.

## THE SAWDUST WHARF.

Messrs. A. & R. Loggie have completed plans for the thorough renovation of the famous "sawdust wharf" in Richibucto, and expect to work on it soon. It is probable that in the capable hands of the Messrs. Loggie this much-abused property will undergo such changes that even Mr. Crockett will not recognize it.—St. John Globe.

## FESTIVAL AT RINK

The Labor Unions of the city are arranging to hold a grand festival in the Arctic rink next Tuesday evening. There will be all the usual games and amusements and an attractive lot of prizes will be offered. The Fredericton Brass Band will furnish a program of music. It promises to be one of the great events of the good old summer season, and all should attend.

## OFF TO SUSSEX.

"H" Company, R. C. R., will leave for Sussex by C. P. R. at 9.45 a. m. tomorrow. The company will parade at the Barrack Square at 8.30 and march to the station. All the officers of the depot will go to camp. The Barracks will be left in charge of Q. M. Sergt. Galloway, and a small party. Owing to the small establishment allowed, the depot at present, only about forty soldiers will go to Sussex.

## TO PREACH AT MONCTON.

Globe—Rev. W. R. Robinson, of the West Side, has accepted an invitation to preach the annual sermon to the Masonic order at Moncton on Sunday. The Masonic service will be held in the First Baptist Church on Sunday morning. The subject of the sermon will be "The Plumb Line." In the afternoon Mr. Robinson will address the men of the First Baptist Church on the subject "The Children of Your City."

## JUNE SUIT CAMPAIGN

Go to W. E. Farrell's tomorrow if you need new clothes and want to get extraordinary value for your money. One lot of men's suits, good value at \$10 and \$12 will go on sale at \$7.50, another lot regular value \$22 on sale at \$15.50. Last Saturday, despite the pouring rain, was one of the busiest days this season at the Broadway Store and no person can go to this June Suit Sale without being convinced that the values are without an equal.

## SUNBURY'S BAD ROADS.

A Sheffield correspondent writes: "The roads in this section of the Province are in a bad state and it is difficult to travel over them. Never in the memory of the oldest resident has there been such travelling as there has been this spring. "The Hazen Road Law is being condemned on all sides and one man expressed himself the other day as being of the opinion that if the government made a few more changes in the Law there would be no roads to travel over in Sunbury at least."

## CAMP MEETINGS.

Woodstock Dispatch—Rev. H. C. Archer left Tuesday for St. John on his way to Beulah Camp to assist in completing the arrangements in connection with the new hotel there. The Rev. E. F. Walker, of California, has been engaged as the chief speaker this year for the annual Camp Meeting, which opens on July 1st and continues to the 10th. The price of board is very reasonable there and it is said by those who have attended to be an ideal place to spend a few days and enjoy the services which are held.

## PERSONAL.

Mr. G. P. Black, of St. John, representing the Maritime Farmer, is in the city. He will go to St. John tomorrow.

Mrs. A. B. Tweedale, who has been ill for some weeks, is slightly improved.

Father Carney, of Fredericton, was in the city yesterday on his return from Grand Digue, where he has been attending Father Bellevue's silver jubilee. Father Carney is a confrere of Father Bellevue, being ordained on the same day.

FREDERICTON MEMBERS  
CONTROL PHARMACEUTICAL  
SOCIETY THIS YEAR

S. A. R. McDonald President—Local Men Strongly Represented on Council.

The New Brunswick Pharmaceutical Society concluded its annual meeting at a late hour last night. The election of a council and officers for the ensuing year was the most important part of the business transacted. Mr. L. A. R. McDonald, of this city, is the new president and by the election of a large number of Fredericton druggists to the council, the control of the Society, which was formerly held by the St. John members, has been transferred to Fredericton.

The retiring president, Mr. E. J. Mahoney, of St. John, and the registrar, Mr. E. R. W. Ingraham, of St. John, both reported. The report of the retiring secretary, Mr. C. F. Wade of St. John, was read, Mr. Wade being absent. All reports were of a most encouraging nature.

## THE GUESTS.

The Society entertained the following representatives of wholesale drug firms:

L. W. Barker and F. W. Munroe, of St. John, National Drug and Chemical Company.

J. G. Stennhouse, St. John, and T. R. Blaine, Fredericton, Canadian Drug Company.

J. McKinnay, Jr., St. John, Father Morrissey Medicine Company.

A. B. Burns, St. John, Henry K. Wampole Company.

Dr. A. B. Atherton and Dr. Wainwright were also guests.

The meeting began at about three o'clock. At seven dinner was served. After dinner the session was resumed.

No papers were read during the meeting. There was, however, informal discussion on many matters affecting the drug trade.

Messrs. E. Clinton Brown, of St. John, and W. R. Rodd, of Sackville, who had been delegates to the last Canadian Druggists' Convention, held at Banff, gave a most interesting report on the proceedings at that gathering.

The meeting, as announced before, was held at Pine Bluff Camp, the delegates leaving this city in a motorboat at two o'clock in the afternoon, and returning late at night. During the day Mr. William Hawker, of St. John, took a group photograph of those in attendance at the meeting.

## MEMBERS OF COUNCIL.

The following members of the council for the ensuing year were elected:

S. A. R. McDonald, C. A. Burchill, C. Fred Chestnut, A. J. Ryan, J. M. Wiley, Alonzo Staples, George Y. Dibble, R. T. Mack, Fredericton.

A. W. Coombs, St. Mary's.

R. H. Robb, E. R. W. Ingraham, St. John.

E. W. Mair, Woodstock.

## OFFICERS.

At the close of the Society's meeting, the council elected the following officers:

S. A. R. McDonald, president.  
R. H. Robb, vice president.  
C. Fred Chestnut, secretary.

George Y. Dibble, treasurer.  
E. R. W. Ingraham, registrar.

## DELEGATES APPOINTED.

Delegates to the Canadian Druggists' Convention, which will meet in Halifax, N. S., in September, were elected. They are W. R. Rodd, of Sackville, and M. V. Paddock, of St. John. C. Fred Chestnut, of Fredericton, and George A. Rieker, of St. John, were appointed substitutes.

## NEXT MEETING.

The Society has received an invitation from Dr. Hay, of St. John, to hold its next annual meeting at his summer residence at Westfield. The invitation has been referred to the council and the thanks of the Society expressed.

## FIVE YOUNG MEN SENT

JAIL FOR STEALING RIDE

Five young men faced Police Magistrate Marsh this morning on the charge of stealing a ride on the east bound Boston express last night. They were Patrick White of Halifax, Ben Legere and Frank Legere of Amherst, Jack Bassett of St. John and Wm. Blizard of Farnham, Mass.

They were arrested at McAdam last night by claims agent H. A. Brannen of the C.P.R. constable B. M. Rogerson of McAdam and Deputy Sheriff Winter of this city. They were brought to the city All pleaded guilty and when asked by His Honor for any excuse said they were out of work and had no money and were trying to get out of McAdam. At the request of Mr. Brannen the penalties were made light. Fines of ten dollars each or two weeks in jail were imposed on all but Blizard who was given one week on account of telling everything to the officers as soon as arrested.

The young men were all of good appearance and were much better dressed than the ordinary hobo.

Mr. Brannen says the C.P.R. is determined to put an end to the practice of stealing rides on their trains as the practise is extremely dangerous as well as tending to defraud the railway.

ELABORATE PROGRAMME  
FOR THE HIGH SCHOOL  
CLOSING TOMORROW

Music and Singing will be Special Feature—Dr. Vanwart to Present Douglas Silver Medal.

The programme which will be followed at the High School closing exercises together with the medalists and prize winners for the year were officially announced this morning by Principal Foster. The closing exercises will begin at ten o'clock tomorrow morning at the opera house. This afternoon the students from the school gathered at the opera house to rehearse the music which will be sung tomorrow.

At present it is not definitely known who will present the medals. Dr. Vanwart will present the Douglas Silver and other prominent citizens the other prizes.

## PROGRAMME

The programme is as follows:

1. Chorus "O Canada," Larale High School and grades III and IV.

2. Demonstration in sight singing.

3. (a) "Summer Days" Mendelschom.

(b) "Eventide" Moskowski, grades III and IV.

4. Address, Principal Foster.

5. Chorus, "The Heavens 'Proclaim' Beethoven.

6. Presentation of certificates.

7. Chorus, (a) "A Spring Song," Rubinstein.

(b) "Men of Harlech" Welsh Air.

8. Latin Recitation, Miss Beatrice Jewett.

9. French Recitation, Miss Ethel Boyd.

10. Violin Solo, Miss Anna Jackson.

11. Essay "Aviation" Mr. Kenneth Baird.

12. Chorus, Soldiers' chorus from "Faust" Gounod.

13. Essay, History of Fredericton, Miss Louis Allen.

14. "Alma Mater" Custance.

15. Valedictory, Miss Dolly Barry.

16. Presentation of prizes.

17. Address to graduating class, Rev J. W. McConnell.

18. "God Save The King"

MEDALLISTS AND PRIZE WINNERS

The medallists and prize winners for the year are as follows:

Douglas Silver Medal for classics—Miss Beatrice Jewett.

Governor general's bronze medal for English—Miss Molly Barry.

Coulthard memorial medal for science—Mr. Kenneth Baird.

Mathematical prize, presented by Senate of University of New Brunswick—Miss Mildred Wallace.

Highest general average class "C"—Miss Esther Clarke.

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THE SUPREME COURT  
RENDERS DECISION  
IN THE CURRY CASE

Famous Divorce Suit Remains in Statu Quo as Court Divides Evenly on the Appeal.

The celebrated Curry divorce case, which was carried to the supreme court by Mrs. Curry, remains in statu quo, the court having this morning divided evenly on the appeal. The Chief Justice, and Justices White and McLeod favored allowing the appeal, while Justice McKeown upheld his own decision and was supported by Justices Landry and Barry. It is not unlikely that Mrs. Curry's counsel will carry the case to the supreme court of Canada.

The court met this morning, pursuant to adjournment at eleven o'clock with all the judges in attendance. The barristers present included Messrs. J. D. Phinney, K. C., A. R. Slipp, M. P. P., H. G. Fenety, P. J. Hughes, J. T. Sharkey and J. J. F. Winslow, of the local bar, and Dr. L. A. Curry, K. C., of St. John.

The chief points on which the Curry case hinged were in regard to the trial judges interpretation as to what constitutes legal cruelty that will justify a separation, and as to whether or not the evidence in this case established a charge of cruelty.

When the case was called Judge McKeown stated that he had carefully revised his judgment, and had been unable to arrive at any different conclusion.

Judge Barry, after briefly reviewing the case, said that with all respect to the opinions of those who differed with him, he thought the appeal should be dismissed with costs.

The Chief Justice delivered an exhaustive written judgment in which he quoted portions of the evidence, and commented rather sharply on the conduct of the parties to the suit. He cited several authorities to show what was regarded as legal cruelty, and seemed to be of the opinion that the evidence in this case justified the granting of a decree. He thought the appeal of Mrs. Curry should be altered by the court with costs and a decree entered by the court below for a divorce. As the court was evenly divided, however, the appeal would drop.

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## EDGECOMBE'S

.....SPECIAL SALE OF.....

## ::: DRESS GOODS :::

Spring and Summer Materials at Clearing Prices. Fashionable Fabrics and Colors. Don't miss this opportunity.

"Miss Grant" one of Fredericton's Leading Dressmakers has rooms up-stairs, and Ladies can have their Dresses made up in the Latest Style and be assured of satisfactory work and fit and prompt delivery.

## COSTUMES AND COATS

Our Sale of Ready-made Costumes and Coats at HALF PRICE will be continued, and if in haste you can have your Garments ready to wear at Bargain Prices. If any alteration is required it will be done without charge.

## FIRE SALE

On FRIDAY we will place on the tables in Ladies' Department, the Goods Damaged at the Fire on Saturday Morning. Consisting of:- Silk Underskirts, a few Muslin Dresses, Several Costumes, and Waists and other Garments, with a number of Fancy Parasols damaged by Water. These Goods will be cleared at VERY LOW PRICES.

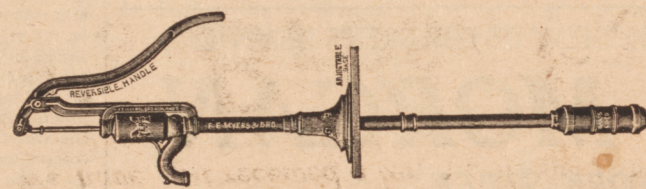
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We are showing a Special Make of Ladies' Reducing Corsets for stout people, just the correct thing, and for sale only by us.

Just Received LADIES' GOLF COATS for Outing Wear, for Cool Evenings for Boating and Picnics, &c. Every Lady will want a Golfer this summer.

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No Matter what kind of a Pump you require we have it.

Also Cylinders of all kinds, Pump Points, Plungers.

Valves, Galvanized Iron Pipe in all sizes.

SEND US YOUR ORDER FOR WHAT YOU NEED.

We make it a point to ship Goods same day as the order is received.

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For the Children **English Ankle Ties**

Black and Tan