

## LOCAL NEWS

## TO ADVERTISERS

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## ON THE RANGE

The members of the Marysville rifle Club are holding their annual competition today at the St. Mary's Range.

## APPOINTED TO PRINTING

Mr. E. J. Armstrong, who has been receiving congratulations during the past few weeks on his government printing bureau at Ottawa, will leave for the capital at an early date.

## NOTICE

Gassy Sellars and Wm. Short the King's Trumpeters, Friday night at Methodist Church. Come and hear the Coronation music.

Tickets on Sale at Lemont's, Wednesday.

## THE GIRL FROM RECTOR'S

Agent F. M. Norcross of "The Girl from Rector's Co." is in the city today arranging for the company's appearance at the City Opera House on Monday Oct. 9.

## WILL CLOSE THURSDAY

Until further notice all dental offices in the city of Fredericton will close at 1 p. m. on Thursday and remain closed for the rest of that day. This was decided at a meeting of the local dentists held this morning.

## SMALL MARKET TODAY

Today's country market was very small although the weather was fine. Very few potatoes were offered at the regular price. Apples sold for \$1.00 to \$1.50 per barrel. Lamb sold for 11 and 12 cents per pound.

## SYNOD COMMITTEE MEETING

The committee meeting of the Diocesan Synod of the Church of England will be held at St. John next week. It will be decided then where the synod will meet in October. It is thought probable that the meeting will be held in Fredericton.

## DOAK-COFFIN

A quiet wedding took place at the Methodist Parsonage in this city last Monday evening. The parties to the marriage were Mr. James T. Doak of Doaktown and Mrs. Sadie Coffin lately of Fredericton. The newly wedded couple will reside in Fredericton. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Neil McLaughlin.

## RESIGNED POSITION

Mr. Harold Walker, son of Mr. Joseph Walker has returned home from Port Morien, N. S., having resigned the position which he held in the branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia. He will leave shortly for Brockton, Mass., where he will take a position as accountant with Mr. LeBaron Atherton, formerly of Fredericton.

## LEAVING FOR OTTAWA

Mr. S. A. M. Skinner of St. John, who as is generally known, received an appointment in the legal department of the department of public works of Canada several weeks ago, will leave soon for Ottawa to take up his new duties. He reported at the time of his appointment and was granted leave of absence in order to give him an opportunity to arrange his affairs before leaving St. John permanently.

## AT THE BIJOU

A programme of exceptional merit will be offered to the patrons of the Bijou to-night. The head liner will be the great Biograph drama "The Sorrowful Example," backed up by Edison comedies "The Stolen Dog," and "The Adventures of a Baby," also a western drama "The Two Fugitives" by the Essanay Company. Madam Furlong Schmidt will be heard in the well known song "Top O' the Morin."—d.

## FALL EXCURSIONS

With richly wooded Mount Royal in its beautiful Autumnal tints, the magnificent stores bristling with fall trade, the theatrical and concert season at its best, and that contagious snap in the air so peculiar to the Canadian climate in early October, no more ideal season could be selected for a trip to the Canadian Metropolis. And when it is taken into consideration that the rates quoted are less than single fare for the round trip from all points on the Railway in the Maritime Provinces it should certainly provide another opportunity for the Intercolonial to demonstrate its excellent service by the famous through trains, the Ocean Limited and the Maritime Express. Sept. 28, 29 and 30 are the going dates with a return limit leaving Montreal not later than Oct. 16, and it would be advisable to make early application for sleeping car reservations on those popular trains.

## MANY RUMORS OF APPOINTMENTS BY DOMINION GOVT.

Local Tory Healers Hot after Jobs—Party Leaders in Province also to be Dealt with

Rumors concerning the distribution of jobs among the hungry Tories as rewards for political services are rife and there is great rivalry in York over the positions which are in the gift of the Dominion government. It is not expected however that the jobs will be handed out in the very near future as the new administration will have its hands full for some time after assuming office. It is understood however, that already the prospective division of the spoils has caused considerable heart-burning among the local Tories.

There are numerous claimants for the positions in this county under the fisheries section of the Marine and Fisheries Department. It is generally acknowledged that the officials now performing the business of that department are efficient and painstaking but that fact makes no difference to the clamorous office-seekers. The Intercolonial Railway is also considered to be a proper billeting place for sundry workers but in certain quarters the opinion is expressed that meddling with the railway men would prove too dangerous an operation and that they will be left alone with the exception of some minor positions. A prominent Conservative heeler of Durham, however, is reported to be working hard for an important position on the Fredericton end of the Canada Eastern branch. Future changes in other departments are also foretold.

## OTHER REPORTS

With regard to the more prominent members of the Conservative party in New Brunswick rumor is also busy. Chief Justice Barker and Mr. W. H. Thorne of St. John have been mentioned as possible successors of Lieut. Governor Tweedie. Premier Hazen by some is said to be marked for removal into the wider sphere of Federal politics, by others for elevation to the bench. Dr. J. W. Daniel is said to be a possible senator although some of his friends believe he would make a very acceptable lieutenant governor. Mr. W. B. Jonah, law partner of Mr. George W. Fowler, is reported to be marked as successor to Judge Wedderburn of King's Co. Hon. H. F. McLeod, who assumes much of the credit for the Conservative success in York it is said has aspirations to enter Federal politics. In order for him to do so Mr. O. S. Crockett would have to be satisfactorily disposed of and it is recognized that a serious difficulty would occur there.

## MOOSEHEADS ARRIVE

Two good mooseheads arrived at Emack's this morning. One was from H.A. Wehrle and the other from J. H. Densmore. Both were from Taymouth.

## COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED

James Reynolds has been appointed Labor Act Commissioner of the Parish of Douglas and Peter Johnson for the Parish of Bright.

## U. N. B. INITIATION

The customary initiation of new students took place at the U. N. B. last night with all the usual ceremonies. Thirty-one freshmen were thus introduced formally to college life. The initiation passed off quietly.

## A LARGE MAJORITY

Dr. Neely, M. P. of Humboldt, Sask., who spoke in Fredericton last spring on reciprocity was re-elected last Thursday by a majority of four thousand with twenty polls yet to hear from.

## COMET PLAINLY SEEN

Shortly after ten o'clock last night the comet which has been reported was plainly observable in the northern sky. The comet was just above the handle of the "Dipper."

## ST. JOHN FIRE

A St. John despatch states that there was a fire in the Globe newspaper office this afternoon. It caught in the elevator shaft but resulted in little damage.

## RESIGNATION ACCEPTED

The resignation of Mr. R. L. Maltby as chairman and member of the of the local board of health for Northumberland, Health District No. 23, has been accepted by His Honor the Lieutenant Governor.

## PERSONAL

Mr. J. F. VanBuskirk has gone to Boston on a business trip.

Mr. B. F. Smith of East Florenceville was in the city last evening.

Mr. G. H. Allingham of Gagetown is at the Barker House.

Mr. Mallory of St. Andrews is in the city.

Mr. J. S. MacLaren of St. John, arrived in the city last night.

## ARGUMENT ON APPLICATION FOR HABEAS CORPUS

A. J. Gregory in Support of Application for Discharge of James Wade—Interesting Case

The application for the discharge of James Wade under a writ of habeas corpus was made before Judge Wilson at Burton today. Mr. A. J. Gregory appeared in support of the application, with Mr. R. B. Hanson opposing it. The case is attracting a great deal of attention and many persons were in attendance at court when the case came up at noon today.

Advices from Burton are that the case is going on this afternoon and that interesting developments are expected. Wade is held for alleged violation of the election act, having been arrested at the instigation of the friends of the Conservative candidate. The alleged violation is said to have taken place at Waasels. Connected as it is with a very close election, the result of which has not yet been officially announced, the case is very interesting. Several points of law which will cause lengthy argument are involved in this case, the outcome of which is awaited with interest.

Several arrests for similar alleged offences in Queens-Sunbury will take place in the near future.

## HERE AFTER BIG GAME

Mr. John Stewart, of Wollaston, (Mass.) a famous yachtman, and designer of the speedy craft which bears his name, accompanied by his friend, Thomas Whalen, was in the province on a successful hunting trip this week and returned home yesterday morning.

## DEATH AT MARYSVILLE

The death of Walter Keer, formerly of New Maryland occurred last evening at the home of his sister Mrs. James Hovey, Marysville. The deceased is survived by four sisters and one brother. The sisters are Mrs. J. H. Eldridge, Beaver Harbor, Mrs. R. C. Marr and Mrs. A. G. Parsons of Newburyport, Mass and Mrs. J. E. Hovey of Marysville. Mr. J. A. Kerr of Ste. Elum, Wash., is a brother. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning leaving the home of Mrs. Hovey, Marysville at 10.30. The remains will be taken to Rusiagornish and interment will be made at the Baptist cemetery at that place. The funeral service will be held at the Baptist Church at Rusiagornish.

## LACK OF FUNDS INTERFERES WITH MUSKETRY TRAINING

Instructors Remain at Depots Instead of Being Assigned to Regiments—Increased Estimates Probable

The assigning of musketry instructors to the various militia corps throughout Canada has been seriously interfered with by the lack of funds. The appropriation for the Militia Department has been found inadequate for the purpose of furnishing musketry instructors and as a result the non-commissioned officers of R. C. R. who instruct in this important branch of military affairs are still at the various regimental depots and it is indefinite when they will be sent out to the various city corps.

Q. M. S. Instructor Lavoie of No. 3 Regimental Depot of this city, who is recognized as one of the most efficient musketry instructors in the Dominion has not yet been detailed to any regiment and it is not known when he will leave to take up his duties.

## EXPENSES INCREASED

The amount of money necessary to keep the military forces of Canada in proper working order has been increasing rapidly within the past few years and still further increases are expected. It is probable that the new Dominion Government will have to provide for the greatest militia expenditure on record.

## GREAT DEMAND FOR INSTRUCTORS

One great reason for the increased cost of the militia is the extension of the duties of the members of the permanent corps to include instruction of cadet corps and school teachers in physical and military drill. The adoption of physical training in the schools has been followed by an unexpected demand for instructors with the result that the sergeants of the Royal Canadian Regiment are very busy and the cost of instructing has greatly increased.

## AMERICAN SPORTSMEN

Among the guests registered at the Queen are Mr. Garret Cochran of Williamsburg, Pa., also Messrs Edward Koontz and A. R. Poll of Union City, Indiana. They are after big game and will go into the Miramichi country. Messrs Koontz and Bell are to hunt near the Sisters Lakes with Benj. Norrad as guide.

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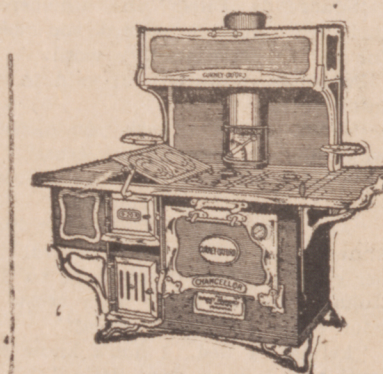
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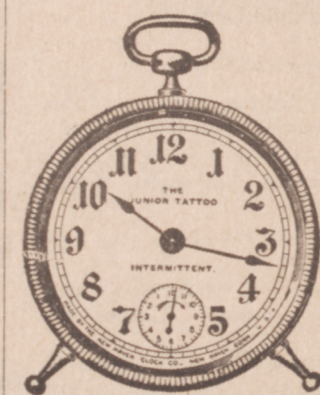
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