

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS

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CAMPING OUT

Prof. Phillip Mittell and family of New York and a party of about twenty-five young people are summering at Davidson Lake.

THE HAYING SEASON.

Many of the farmers in this section have commenced their haying operations. The crop is reported to be excellent.

VACATION GOODS

They are showing at Edgcombe's bathing suits, picnic hats, linen dusters for ladies. Men's 98 in the shade underwear and top shirts. Also Kampers Komodities. Keep cool.

MOTORISTS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Golding of St. John, Miss Macaulay, Miss Barnaby, Miss Allen and Miss White arrived in the city by motor-car yesterday afternoon. The party returned home last night.

NO TRACE FOUND.

No trace of the body which was thought to be recovered in millow water near the end of Lonsdown street has since been found. It is supposed that the body has drifted down river.

BAPTIST PICNIC

The annual picnic of the Brunswick Street Baptist Sabbath School is being held today at Manguerville. A big crowd left this morning by the Steamer Elaine, and others will go down this afternoon by the Hampstead and Victoria.

FIRE ESCAPES PROVIDED

In accordance with the provisions of an act passed by the House of Assembly at its latest session local hotels have been supplied with rope fire-escapes the provisions of the act requiring that each room of an hotel be furnished with such an escape.

SMALL FIRE YESTERDAY

The fire department was called out at about six o'clock last evening for a small blaze at the residence of Hon. F. P. Thompson. The fire was caused by an oil-stove but did little damage. The steam-whistle on the city's electric power-house Carleton street was not in working order and did not sound the alarm.

TO INSTAL INDICATOR.

It is probable that an indicator, which will graphically read the water pressure at all times, will be installed in the office of the City Engineer in the near future. An instrument similar to this was used in the office of the late Supt. Burchill, but its use has been discontinued since his death.

LARGE DOCKET.

A large number of cases are set down for hearing by the police magistrate tomorrow. Two city Scott Act cases, the result of a police raid, some time ago, will be heard. There will be also an assault case from St. Mary's, a Board of Health case, one for furious driving and one against a well known citizen for walking on the grass in the Old Burying ground.

TO BE OPEN SUNDAY

It is hoped that a portion of that block of Queen Street between Carleton and York streets which is now being paved with Tarvia will be opened for traffic by Sunday. The top courses of stone are being put on the western portion of the block. The tar used in the construction of the pavement is at present at the rear of Phoenix Square and the seams of the barrels having been opened by the heat a considerable quantity of the tar has escaped.

CHALLENGE TROPHY ARRIVES.

The Stratheona Challenge Trophy for competition among school cadets of New Brunswick at the Provincial Rifle Association matches, is on exhibition in the show window of the jewelry store of Shute & Co., through whom it was obtained by Capt. F. A. Good of this city, one of the trustees of the Stratheona Fund in this province. The trophy is a handsome one. It is a cup with two handles and stands about two feet high.

GAME CASES

Newcastle Advocate: The cases of Chief Game Warden Doyle and Deputy Game Warden Keating versus John Hare, for alleged violation of Game Act by trapping out of season and dynamiting fish, were tried on Monday before Police Magistrate Maltby. R. A. Lawlor for prosecution and T. W. Butler for defence. Defendant pleaded not guilty, that his traps found set had not been set by him. Decision was postponed till Thursday next at 2.30 p. m.

CORPORATION

DRIVE HAVING
HARD TIME

Aiken Bros. Still Hold Contract—Men of St. John Log Driving Co. on Drive at Woodstock

Considerable difficulty is being experienced with the Corporation Drive on account of the low pitch of water. The major portion of the drive in reported to be between Hartland and Woodstock and the rest of it below Woodstock. Men have been very scarce during the summer and the lack of labor coupled with the low pitch of water have made progress with the drive very slow.

It was reported in the city yesterday that Aiken Bros., whose tender for the Corporation Drive was accepted by the St. John Log Driving Company had thrown up this contract. Mr. William Aiken stated this morning however that such was not the case the contract still being in the hands of himself and his brother. He stated also that a fairly heavy rain would bring the logs out all right.

The men sent from the Douglas Boom by the St. John Log Driving Company to work on the Corporation Drive have gone to Woodstock. It is thought a running drive will be made from that place to the Douglas Boom in an attempt to get some lumber into the booms.

CAVANAUGH TO BE

TRIED IN SUNBURY

William Cavanaugh, who claims to hail from Cape Breton, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Chief of Police Hawthorn and Policeman Hart on the charge of theft. Cavanaugh is one of three men, the others being James McGuire and Albert Earl, who are charged by Norman L. Brown with taking from his valise in a camp near Fredericton Junction a gold watch and chain, together with other articles aggregating fifty dollars in value. The theft is said to have taken place on Saturday.

Cavanaugh was before Police Magistrate Marsh this morning when Brown's statement was heard. The magistrate remanded Cavanaugh for examination in Sunbury County, the alleged crime having been committed there. The Chief of Police will take him to Oromocto this evening and put him in the care of Justice White.

Cavanaugh was arrested on leaving the law-office of Slipp & Hanson, where he had been on business. Chief Hawthorn observed him when he entered that office and waited for him.

A. O. H. FESTIVAL AT

ST. MARY'S GRAND SUCCESS

The festival held last evening at St. Mary's, under the auspices of the A. O. H. Division No. 2, was largely attended. The games were well patronized, and the Fredericton Brass Band furnished good dancing music. The festival was a very successful affair. The prize winners were as follows—

Large Bagatelle—1st, Gordon Graham, set of carvers. 2nd, Morris Rush, picture.

Small Bagatelle—1st, Leo Hayes, Bon-Bon Dish. 2nd, Rev. Father Donahue, Fountain pen.

Rifle—1st, Thomas Dinsmore, wicker chair. 2nd, Byron Staples, cuff links.

Bean Toss—1st, John Bowlen, clock. 2nd, Leo Hayes, silver pie knife.

Mr. J. P. Hayes will be pleased to present a barrel of flour to the holder of ticket No. 429 upon presenting the same at his store in St. Mary's.

BAND CONCERT

The following program will be rendered by the Fredericton Brass Band on Parliament Square this evening:

March—Our Glorious Flag
.....Rosenkraus
Overture—Zampa.....Herold
Cornet Solo—L'Adieu.....Shubert
Fantasia—A Darkey's Dream—land.....Bidgood
Waltz—Casino Tange.....Gungl
Medley—Hits of the day.....Remick
March—The Conqueror.....Lovel
God Save the King
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A DELIGHTFUL RECITAL

Newcastle Advocate:—The Recital, given in Temperance Hall, July 14th, by Miss Jessie Marguerite Atkinson of Fredericton, assisted by Prof. Frank Weaver, pianist, and Mr. Chubb McLean of Chatham, was a most decided success. 130 people, mostly ladies, were in attendance, and every item of the performance was heartily enjoyed. Miss Atkinson showed herself a genuine elocutionist, delighting the audience with her most sympathetic and expressive rendering of both humorous and pathetic selections. Her acting is very good, voice rich and clear, appearance pleasing and manner all that could be desired.

MRS. DONALD FRASER
DIED THIS MORNING
AT PLASTER ROCK

Former Well Known Fredericton Lady Passed Away Unexpectedly after Short Illness

The Fredericton friends of Mrs. Donald Fraser, Jr. were painfully shocked this morning on receipt of the news that she had died unexpectedly at her home at Plaster Rock, Victoria County. Particulars to hand are somewhat meagre but from what can be learned her illness was of short duration. Dr. Atherton was called by telephone this morning and intended to leave by the Gibson train for Plaster Rock but when at St. Marys depot he received word that the patient had passed away.

The deceased was a daughter of the late Mr. James Tennant who died here a few months ago and was a native of this city. About six years ago she removed to Plaster Rock with her husband and has since made her home there. She was a most estimable lady and was held in the highest esteem by all who enjoyed her acquaintance.

The late Mrs. Fraser is survived by a husband three brothers and three sisters. The members of the family are Archibald and Norman Tennant in British Columbia, Mrs. H. B. Atherton, and Miss Margaret and Mr. James Tennant of this city and Mrs. Alex. McIntyre of Graham, Ont. The greatest sympathy is extended to the grief stricken husband and family.

Mrs. Archie Fraser a sister-in-law of the deceased has been seriously ill for some weeks and is now under treatment in a Montreal hospital. A later message states that Mrs. Fraser had been ill about ten days from brain trouble. The remains will be brought here for interment.

THE UNIQUE TODAY

Today at Unique a ventriloquist of merit opens for a three days engagement. He comes direct from the Lyric, St. John, where he made a decided hit. Biograph, Essay and Kaleid constitute the picture programme features, and the theatre is delightfully cool with ventilation the best to be found in any theatre in Canada and the public appreciate it as is evidenced by the large attendance every afternoon and night.

Prof. Phillip Mittell of New York is among the guests at the Queen.



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U.N.B. TO TENDER
RECEPTION TO
SUMMER SCHOOL

Teachers will be Guests at University Tomorrow Afternoon—Dr. L. W. Bailey Lectured Last Evening

The attendance of the Summer School has reached 335. Members are still arriving. Principal McLeod of the New Glasgow High School arrived with his wife last evening. Dr. L. W. Bailey of the University of New Brunswick gave a very interesting lecture last evening on "What We Know of the Ocean." He exhibited diagrams showing that both South America and Australasia had formerly been connected with the Ant-Arctic Continent. The Mississippi Valley and other large districts of America were formerly under water. The ancient course of the St. Lawrence River had been traced by deep sea soundings far out into the Island of Cape Breton. Dr. Bailey also gave a very interesting account of the ocean life and dwelt on the importance of the diatoms as affording food to the lower types of sea animals, which in turn were devoured by the larger animals.

DISCUSSION

A vote of thanks was moved by Professor H. E. Bigelow who dwelt on the importance of a general education. Professor T. C. McKay of Mt. Allison University seconded the motion. He discussed the portion of Professor Bailey's lecture that dealt with the carboniferous period. During this period the earth was covered with a dense vapor bath which produced a luxuriant vegetation. The appearance of Venus suggested that it was now covered with such an atmosphere of clouds and might be going through a carboniferous age. This evening a lecture will be given by the Rev. Dr. Campbell of St. John on "Scottish Life." The lecture will commence at 8.15. A rare treat is expected from the eloquent doctor.

GARDEN PARTY

Tomorrow afternoon the members of the school are invited to a garden party on the grounds of the University of New Brunswick. The invitation is issued by Chancellor Jones and by the President and members of the Senate.

Mr. J. W. McCreedy, City Clerk, has returned from a business trip to Campbellton and Da'house.

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