

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS

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ANOTHER SCORCHER

The thermometer at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon registered 92 in the shade.

WEDDING BELLS.

Mr. Edward S. Pringle and Mrs. Eleanor Harrison, both of Stanley, were married at the Brunswick Street Baptist Parsonage this morning by Rev. Dr. MacDonald.

ADDITIONAL MEMBERS

At a meeting of the executive of the Fredericton Baseball Club held last night the following additional members of the executive were elected:—Ald. Hugh Calder, Messrs. R. J. Arnill and Thos. C. Doherty.

C. OF E. PICNIC

The annual picnic of the congregation of Christchurch Cathedral was held at Lower Maugerville today. A large number of people went on the picnic which was accompanied by the Fredericton Brass Band.

CONSTRUCTION BEGUN

Work on the construction of the Nacawick Railway is reported to have been begun yesterday. Claudius McDonald with two pair of horses and a crew of eight men is said to be in charge of the work.

TELEPHONE POLES SHATTERED

On the old Miramichi Road in the vicinity of Killarney five telephone poles were completely shattered. had been struck by lightning. The poles were completely shattered. The most remarkable feature is that all are in one group.

AFTER THE CANNES

The chief of police of the town of Amherst has started on the warpath after unlicensed dogs. In one day last week he shot fourteen and disposed of the bodies in tidal water, so that they were carried out to sea. There are lots of unlicensed dogs in Fredericton, but so far they have no reason to fear the chief of police.

WILL REMOVE TO MONTREAL.

W. C. R. Anderson, principal of the Riverside Consolidated School, will remove to Montreal. He will be connected with the new Dawson School and will do special work there. Mr. Anderson was graduated in Arts by the U.N.B. in 1906 and is well known in Fredericton.

THREE-WAY HYDRANT

The installation of the new three-way hydrant at the corner of Phoenix Square and Queen Street was completed this morning. That block of Queen Street between York and Carleton streets is now ready for the laying of Tarvia pavement with the exception of the construction of a catch basin opposite Wilnot's Alley.

REVISITING CITY

Mr. H. B. Kilburn of Fort Fairfield, Me., is in the city renewing old acquaintances. He was formerly principal of the Charlotte Street School in this city but left Fredericton nineteen years ago. He is now cashier of the Fort Fairfield National Bank. Mr. Kilburn visited his father Mr. John Kilburn at his old home at Macnaquac.

HAD FINE TRIP.

Mr. Howard P. Renshaw of New York, who has been on a two months trip to the headwaters of the Nepisiguit in company with Mr. Charles Cremin, the well-known guide, arrived in the city last evening and is a guest at the Queen. He had a very enjoyable outing and speaks very highly of Mr. Cremin as a guide. He caught a great many trout, some of which weighed as high as five pounds. During the trip Mr. Cremin succeeded in capturing fourteen bears. It is Mr. Renshaw's intention to return in the fall for a moose hunt.

CAUTION TO MOTORISTS.

Not long since a young man who lives at the upper end of the city, driving his car at a breakneck pace through Gibson, took the trouble to swerve from his course and run over and kill a pet dog belonging to a little boy nine years old. The father thought of having him prosecuted, but concluded that the evidence of so young a child might not be sufficient to convict and not wishing to take some ladies who witnessed the act, into court, let the matter drop. He declares, however, that he will lay a complaint against any others he sees exceeding the speed limit as there is danger of children or even adults being run down.

Mrs. Daniel Richards, matron of the Victoria Hospital, who recently underwent a serious operation, is rapidly improving.

BOARD OF TRADE
WILL GIVE VISITORS
MOTOR-CAR TRIP

British Journalists Who Will be Here Middle of August Will Tour St. John Valley.

The Board of Trade in regular session last night considered the matter of entertaining the delegation of journalists who will visit this province about August 17th, under the direction of the Dominion Department of Immigration. The board decided that a trip by motor-car from this city to Woodstock or to some point midway between that place and this would give the visitors an excellent opportunity of viewing an important part of the St. John Valley and of obtaining some idea of the possibilities as an agricultural district. It is not known how many will be in the party which is composed of representatives of a number of important newspapers and publications in the British Isles. A considerable number of motor-cars will be necessary for their accommodation. Last night a committee of five members and President Jennings was appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

THOSE PRESENT

Those present were, J. T. Jennings, H. S. Campbell, G. W. Hodge, J. D. Palmer, A. R. Slipp, M.P.P., C. Fred Chestnut, Dr. C. C. Jones, M. Tennant, Fred E. Blackmer, J. J. Weddall, A. H. VanWart.

Dr. H. H. McNally was elected to membership on the board.

Secretary Campbell read a communication from the St. John Board of Trade regarding the visits of the British journalists next month suggesting that the Fredericton board together with the other boards of the province write to Mr. W. D. Scott of the Immigration Department urging that their itinerary in New Brunswick be so arranged that a large part of the province might be covered.

PROVINCIAL ASSISTANCE

The secretary stated that Mr. W. W. Hubbard had informed him that the provincial government might do something toward their entertainment.

Mr. Hodge thought it reasonable to expect the provincial government to bear part of the expense.

Mr. A. R. Slipp expressed the opinion that it might be better for the Dominion Government to handle the tour entirely independent of the provincial government. He suggested a motoring trip from Fredericton and Woodstock. The Woodstock Board of Trade, he felt, would bear part of the expense. He understood there would be about ten persons in the party.

Mr. Slipp further suggested that a delegation from the board be sent to Gagetown to meet the party and escort them to Fredericton by steamer.

Mr. C. F. Chestnut said that the opportunity to advertise Fredericton was excellent and the board should do its best. If the party was large possibly it might be difficult to supply transportation to Woodstock.

Dr. C. C. Jones stated that as the itinerary seemed to include three points on the St. John Valley that district was evidently what the visitors desired to see. The St. John Valley afforded great agricultural opportunities and that was evidently what the party wished to become acquainted with. It would also be possible to show the class of homes occupied by the farmers, the educational facilities and other matters of interest.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED

On the motion of Mr. Slipp a committee of five was appointed by the chairman, President Jennings to make arrangements for the entertainment of the visitors. The committee is composed of the following members: A. R. Slipp, M. P. P., J. J. Weddall, C. Fred Chestnut, M. Tennant and Dr. C. C. Jones. The president is a member ex-officio with power to appoint substitutes.

Pres. Jennings stated that it would be better to let the committeemen use their own judgement about incurring expenditure in the matter.

Alluding to the visit of the representative of the Financial News of London last spring, Mr. Slipp said that it had been productive of good results, the representatives having written several fine articles on New Brunswick. He intended to revisit the province in August.

AMENDMENT ENDORSED

A communication from the Canadian Credit News Association relating to an amendment to the criminal code in regard to using false financial statements was read by the president. The association asked that the board support the effort to have the amendment passed.

Mr. J. D. Palmer spoke in high terms of the work of this association.

On the motion of Mr. J. D. Palmer, seconded by Mr. Slipp it was decided that the board memorialize the Minister of Justice to the effect that the amendment mentioned be passed. The board then adjourned.

A. H. FITZ RANDOLPH
TO RESIGN FROM
HOSPITAL BOARD

Ald. Edward Moore to Present New Morgue to Hospital—Dow Wing Improvements Satisfactory.

The postponed meeting of the Trustees of Victoria Public Hospital was held yesterday afternoon with President Randolph in the chair, the other gentlemen present being Dr. McGrath, Mr. Sterling, Warden Rogers, Mr. McMurray and Secretary Sampson.

INSPECTED DOW WING.

Before the regular business was undertaken the members visited the Dow Wing and were unanimous in expression of satisfaction upon the completion of the contract for remodeling the building. Thos. S. Myles was the contractor and he has made an excellent job. In contagious cases in the future the patient will be surrounded with comforts and conveniences which were not heretofore available. Furniture and fixings are being daily added and Mr. J. F. McMurray, a member of the Trustee Board, has supplied blinds for the windows at his personal expense. The improvements made have been considered absolutely necessary and entail an expenditure of about \$1400.00, a portion of which was hoped to come from a special grant from the county council, but in this they were disappointed.

MONTHLY STATEMENT.

In the secretary treasurer's monthly statement a very large expenditure was shown and this included the supply of coal and payments to Mr. Myles on account of his contract.

The matron reported thirty-four patients treated in June. One died, and twenty-four were discharged. This month opened with only nine patients under treatment. Friends of the hospital did not overlook the effect of the hot wave upon the patients, and freezers of ice cream were sent in by L. Vanwart of this city and L. Cliff of Queensbury. Reading matter and fruit were received from Mr. McMurray, Mr. Geo. Perkins and Mr. Bellevue.

TO ERECT MORGUE.

Plans were approved for the erection of a concrete morgue in the basement of the hospital at a cost of about three hundred dollars. Ald. Moore has been the advocate of this additional plant and intends to dis-

ACCIDENTAL
SHOOTING AT NORTH
LAKE PROVES FATAL

Young Man Named Cropley Shot by Ex-Com. George Farrell—Died Soon Afterward.

A most unfortunate shooting accident took place at North Lake Friday night by which a young man lost his life. Details concerning the unfortunate occurrence are not full, but as far as is known it was entirely accidental. The victim was a young man named Cropley, a son of Mr. David Cropley. Ex-Coun. George Farrell was the man who fired the shot which caused the fatality. The affair has been reported to Solicitor General McLeod, the acting attorney general, but as the circumstances plainly indicate an accident no steps have been taken by him.

CIRCUMSTANCES OF SHOOTING.

The story of the unfortunate accident is that Mr. Farrell was told that there was a bear in the bushes along the roadside, not a great distance from his house. Armed with a rifle he went to the place, where the animal was reported to be and, hearing noise in the bushes, fired. Young Cropley was in the bushes and was hit by the bullet, dying a short time afterward.

The community was shocked by the accident and everything possible was done for the victim. His injuries were fatal however.

pense the cost from his private pocket-book.

OPERATING ROOM.

Dr. McGrath made a final report respecting proposed improvements in the operating room. This projected work will be undertaken by the Ladies' Aid, who are continually studying the interests of the hospital and its occupants and at a probable cost of one hundred dollars will lay some tiling and an inlaid linoleum covering for the floor. Tag day and the ladies are great factors in the successful work of the hospital.

CHURCH COLLECTIONS.

During the month the secretary treasurer received the following church collections, which were most thankfully received:

St. Dunstan's Church,\$42.50
Brunswick St. Baptist Church, ..72.34

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"	9.50	-	-	"	5.25
"	12.00	-	-	"	6.00

SUITS

Reg.	\$5.25	-	-	Sale Price	\$2.63
"	5.50	-	-	"	2.49
"	6.50	-	-	"	3.00
"	6.00	-	-	"	2.93
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