

LOCAL NEWS

THE ONLY REMEDY.

When the dust is on the counter and the cobwebs on the shelf, and there's no one in the store but your own disheartened self, and your stock is getting shop-worn, and everything looks stale, and bills enough are coming in to make a banker pale. Oh! then's the time a fellow is a feelin' kind o' blue and is puzzled with the thought of the proper thing to do. In such a situation but one remedy applies. If you want to get the customers, you've got to advertise.

KINEMACOLOR.

ANOTHER DROP IN LEATHER

For 5 days only Williams St. Mary's will make a big special in ladies and gent's footwear. Don't miss this chance.

TONIGHT AT AULD KIRK

Tonight in the Auld Kirk hear Rev. Edwin Smith on "Newfoundland." Beautiful views. Admission 15 cents, Children 10 cents.—d.

OFFER TO SELL CAR

Mr. A. J. Thompson is offering his comparatively new auto for sale. Any one interested will do well to read this adv. in this issue.

MILLINERY AT A BARGAIN

The clearance sale of Millinery will be continued this week at the store of Miss Flanagan, Queen Street. Good bargains given in all lines of millinery.—d.

COMING TO FREDERICTON.

Word has been received that His Honor "William Tell" is to arrive here by special train on the 29th inst. to attend the Fredericton Brass Band Concert on that date. Plan of hall at McMurray & Co.'s.

ENTERTAINED YESTERDAY

Mrs J. J. McGaffray was "at home" to a large number of lady friends at the Queen Hotel from four to six o'clock yesterday afternoon. O'Brien's orchestra was in attendance.

FELL THIRTY FEET.

On Saturday last an Indian woman named Goblin was caught by a train on the I.C.R. bridge across the South West Miramichi at about three a.m., and fell thirty feet to the ice below. A boy found her the next afternoon, seriously injured.

ANOTHER CHANGE

It is said that Dr. Robertson of Keswick Ridge, medical officer to the Indians at the village has been dismissed from office, and his duties taken over by Dr. Mullin who will also look after the St. Marys Reserve.

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WILL LECTURE TONIGHT

Mr. H. H. Hagerman of the Provincial Normal School Staff will lecture before the Engineering Society of the University of New Brunswick this evening in the Normal School building. His subject will be "Bacteria in Public Water Supply."

WILL GO TO WOODSTOCK

Word has been received here that William Sharon the well known driver who has been been located in St. Stephen for some time will go to Woodstock to train for Gallagher Bros. He was expected to open a stable in this city.

PRESENTED WITH CHAIR

Members of the St. Dunstan's Young Men's Society waited upon Mr. Frank Burns last night and presented him with a handsome Morris chair. Mr. Burns who is a former member of the St. Dunstan's Society is here from Sackville with his bride before his departure for this city he received a presentation from Sackville friends.

SERENADED LAST EVENING

Mr. Frank Burns of Sackville formerly of this city arrived here with his bride last night and will remain here some days. After the arrival of the C.P.R. train Mr. and Mrs. Burns were serenaded at the residence of his mother on Regent Street where they were staying by the 71st York Band of which organization he was formerly a member.

IN THE SOUTH

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whithead who are now at Southern Pines, North Carolina, have The Mail's thanks for the copies of Southern newspapers. Although Southern Pines has a genial climate and is famous as a winter resort, it seems that fourteen inches of snow fell there on the night of the 10th inst. It was quite an unusual event and is referred to at some length in the local papers.

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CHAS. K. PALMER
PRESIDENT OF JOHN
PALMER CO., LTD.

Annual Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon—Messrs. Edward Moore and R. W. McLellan Retire from Board of Directors

MR. W. A. McLELLAN MAY
CONTINUE AS ASST. MGR.

The John Palmer Company Limited held its annual meeting yesterday afternoon and elected directors and officers for the ensuing year. The directors are as follows:—

Charles K. Palmer, John Kilburn and R. N. McCunn of Fredericton and J. Fraser Gregory and George A. Kimball of St. John.

The officers of the company are as follows:

Charles K. Palmer, president and general manager.

John Kilburn and J. Fraser Gregory, vice-presidents.

R. N. McCunn, secretary.

Wm. M. Todd, treasurer.

W. A. B. McLellan, assistant manager.



CHAS. K. PALMER,
President. John Palmer Co., Ltd.

The meeting was marked by harmony and unanimity of opinion. It was reported that a good year's business had been done and that there was prospect for another good year. The intention of the company is to proceed with the erection of a new factory on the site secured near the Hartt Boot & Shoe Factory as early in the spring as the weather will permit and to extend and enlarge its business. The new building is to be of brick, three stories in height and will be a marked improvement on the present factory-building on Westmorland Street and will afford the additional advantage of concentrating the various departments of the business under one roof.

The Moosehead brand of larrigan and shoe-pack made by the John Palmer Co. has established a continent-wide reputation and is sold in all parts of Canada as well as in the United States.

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LATE GREGORY A. McPEAKE
LAID TENDERLY TO REST

Many Citizens Took Opportunity to Pay
Last Tribute of Respect to the
Deceased

The funeral of the late Gregory A. McPeake took place at 8.40 o'clock this morning from his late home on Queen Street, and a large number of friends of the young man and his family turned out to pay their last tribute of respect to his memory.

The remains were taken to St. Dunstan's Church, where Rev. F. L. Carney celebrated High Mass of Requiem, after which the funeral cortege proceeded to the Hermitage where interment took place. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The mourners included:

Jos. P. McPeake, F. J. McPeake, Leonard O'Brien, Mac O'Brien, J. T. Jennings, Sheriff O'Brien, Fred Ryan, W. E. Seery, J. F. McMurray, Dr. A. T. McMurray, F. H. Peters, A. J. Wheeler, R. D. W. Hubbard, Geo. Pinder.

The pall bearers were: Hon. H. F. McLeod, J. D. Black, Arthur Rowan, H. S. Campbell, L. J. Owens, Geo. Hazen, Jr.

TO COMMAND FIRING PARTY

It is understood on good authority that Capt. J. T. McGowan of the 3rd Regiment Canadian Artillery, Heavy Brigade, with headquarters at St. John will command the detachment of that corps which will fire the salute at the opening of the provincial legislature on March 7th.

ANNOUNCEMENT RE
CIVIC POLITICS EX-
PECTED TOMORROW

Opponents of Citizens' Ticket will Decide Whether or not they will put Ticket in the Field—May Run Independently

RECORD TAX COLLECTION AT
CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE

It is understood that tomorrow some announcement will be made by those connected with the opposition to the present city council concerning the method of procedure which will be followed in the coming civic campaign. It is possible that no Good Government ticket will take the field against the Citizens' Ticket which is composed largely of members of the present council, but that a number of the gentlemen who ran upon the Good Government ticket last year may be in the field this year as independent candidates, together with others who have not before taken part in civic politics.

HEAVY TAX PAYMENT

It was reported today at the office of the City Treasurer that a record payment of taxes had been made up to last night when the period for qualification to vote in the coming election expired. There was an absence of "strings" however as compared with similar dates of other years, "strings" being lists of defaulters whose taxes are paid in lump sum for the purpose of getting the names on the voters' list. The payments made yesterday were largely individual, thus showing that a keen interest is being taken in the coming election. The increase of taxes paid up to last night for 1911 over the amount paid for 1910 up to a similar date last year was upwards of \$3,300. During the present month tax-collections amounted to \$8,945.37.

STATEMENT OF TAXES COLLECTED

The following is a correct statement of the taxes collected by the Finance Committee for all years being 1911 and years previous.	
1911.....	\$75,286.30
1910.....	72,821.76
	2,464.54

showing an increase of \$2,464.54 over the year 1910.

For 1911 alone there was \$65,787.00 collected as against \$62,474.78 on the same assessment for the previous year 1910.



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The Home Furnishers.

WANT EXCLUSIVE
GAME RIGHTS ON
THEIR OWN LANDS

Residents of Maugeville to Organize and Apply for Charter Giving the Members of the Organization Rights Mentioned

WILL HOLD ANOTHER
MEETING ON FRIDAY

Residents of Maugeville are taking steps to organize a game club among their own number which will seek legislation giving the members the exclusive right to shoot game upon their own land. The object of the proposed organization is to prevent non-resident sportsmen from hunting in Maugeville, which is particularly well-known as a duck-shooting district.

The question of the exclusive right of the owner of land to shoot game upon it has been discussed by sportsmen before, but the Maugeville people are desirous of having the matter settled as far as they are concerned, by legislation and a clause with that end in view is to be inserted in the charter of the organization which is to be sought of the Legislature. Last fall the proposition was made by certain gentlemen having lands on the Keswick that they claim the right to kill game on their own land without obtaining a license from the Crown Land Department, and make a test case. Nothing came of the proposition, however.

Messrs. T. E. Bridges and Harry LeB. Venning are interested in the Maugeville proposition. Two meetings already have been held in connection with the matter and another will be held on Friday night next.

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FRANCIS WILLARD MEMORIAL

Yesterday was observed as Francis Willard Memorial Day by the members of the W.C.T.U. of the city who gathered in the Y.M.C.A. parlors when a short service was held.

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BIG ATTRACTION

Something out of the common at Williams' St. Mary's Big special in glassware at just half price for two days only, Feb. 22nd and 23rd.

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EYE GLASS

is the new Universal or Fits-U finger-piece, mount fitted with rimless lenses. These eye-glasses can be adjusted to fit almost any nose; they are very becoming and fit without discomfort. The lenses are always in the correct

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JUST RECEIVED --- A MAGNIFICENT STOCK OF NEW COLORED and BLACK DRESS GOODS

Including all the New Weaves, such as Oak Wood Suiting, Chamois, Sedan Serges, Fancy Tweeds, Colan Stripes, Metz Suiting, Bordered Voils, Bordered Delaines, San Toys, Reversible Suitings, Vesta Suitings, Valonette, Etamines, Eoliennes, Venetians, Cadonias, Armures, Foulles Olivias, Panama, Satin Cloth, Fairbourne Suitings, Chiffon Amazons, Poplins, Broadcloths, Cingallies, Satin Opera Marquissette, etc., etc.

Dress Trimmings, Fringes, Bandings, Allovers, Durbar Garnitures, Tassels, Buttons and all Accessories, to harmonize with Dress Materials to produce Charming Costume.

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