

## LOCAL NEWS

### FINED ONE DOLLAR.

A local teamster, who was charged with dropping wood from his team on the street, was fined one dollar by Judge Marsh this morning.

### McFARLANE—MORGAN.

A quiet wedding took place in Gibson on Tuesday, May 26, when Rev. H. H. Ferguson united in marriage Mr. R. Bruce McFarlane of this city, and Miss Emma Morgan of Gibson.

### LATE MRS. HERBERT FISHER.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Herbert Fisher took place from her late home at Marysville this afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Lake and interment was made at Durham Bridge cemetery.

### ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Mrs. Daniel McKillican, Montreal, announces the engagement of her daughter, Electia, to Dr. Malcolm Beaton, son of the Rev. L. Beaton of Blackville, N.B. The marriage will take place in June.

### STILL AGROUND.

The schooner Jennie Stubbs, laden with coal and consigned to A. W. VanWart & Son of this city is still aground at Lower Jemseg. Mr. W. A. VanWart stgtd today that they expected to have the steamer here by Sunday.

### POLICE COMMISSION.

The police commission is meeting this afternoon and will open tenders for the supplying of the raincoats for the police and also consider the dispute between Chief of Police J. H. McCollom and Police Magistrate J. L. Marsh.

### CONGREGATIONAL MEETING.

The Methodists held a congregational meeting in the church last night. The reports from the different officers were received and will be submitted at the meeting of the quarterly board which is to be held tonight.

### NORMAL SCHOOL CLOSING.

The public closing exercises of the Provincial Normal School will take place Friday, June 5. The final examinations for third class teachers' licenses are now being held with Mr. Eldon Merrithew in charge. Twenty-two candidates are writing the papers.

### A WESTERN TRIP.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Allen are leaving this evening for Montreal, where they will join a party of Grand Trunk officials and their wives and proceed to Sarnia, Ont., for the trial trip of the Northern Navigation Company's steamer Noronic. They will visit Detroit, Cleveland, Toronto and Niagara before returning home.

### LEAVING TOWN.

Mr. Proctor Smith, who has been working for the Corbett Construction Company Inc., at Gagetown, as shovel engineer, leaves tonight by C.P.R. for St. John before returning to his home in Bangor, Me. He will be accompanied as far as St. John by Mr. Barney Armstrong, who has been crane-man on the shovel with Mr. Smith.

### JUDGMENT IN LUMBER CASE.

Argument in the case of Luther B. Smith vs John S. Scott was heard before Mr. Justice White in chambers yesterday morning. The evidence in the case was taken in Fredericton last fall. The action was brought by Mr. Smith to recover \$800 in connection with some timber claims. Judgment was given for the plaintiff for \$150.17. R. B. Hanson appeared for the plaintiff and Hon. W. P. Jones for the defendant.

### "A FOOL LAW."

This is a brief description of an act of the New York legislature, which is to go into effect on June 1st. The act provides that each bundle of laths taken into New York must have a tag giving the number of laths in the bundle. This will cause a lot of unnecessary trouble. A bundle of laths is supposed to contain 150 laths and the responsibility of putting in the proper number is left with the sawyer. Putting on a tag will cause the loss of much time.

### INTERESTING RELIC

Mr. Nilson Coy of Oromocto has in his possession an old time battle axe which is attracting much attention. He found it last summer while excavating in an island in Maguabitt Lake, and is of the opinion that it was lost by French soldiers during the latter part of the eighteenth century. He also has another relic which he found at the same time and believes to be some kind of a firearm. A number of people are under the impression that the island in which Mr. Coy found the relics contains buried treasure.



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## COURT WILL BE HELD BY SITTING MAGISTRATE

Col. Marsh Has Requested Him to Act--Time of Magistrate's Resignation Uncertain--City Clerk Returns in Better Health

City Clerk J. W. McCready returned yesterday after a sojourn in Kings and Queens' Counties. He is much improved in health and has reentered upon his duties. It is probable that as sitting magistrate he will take over the conduct of the police court. Col. J. L. Marsh the present magistrate has requested Mr. McCready to take over the duties next week and he has consented. There is some uncertainty as to the time when Col. Marsh will retire. He has expressed a desire to leave office as soon as possible but had not yet tendered his resignation although in a position to do so. He stated this morning that he intended to consult with Hon. George J. Clarke, attorney general on the matter of his resignation. The next meeting of the provincial government will take place in St. John a week from today and his resignation may go in at that meeting. Until the successor of Col. Marsh is appointed, Mr. McCready will perform the duties of the office of magistrate. His name is also mentioned today as that of probable appointee to the office in succession to Col. Marsh.

## FREDERICTON MAN SENT FIRST WIRELESS MESSAGE INTO CALGARY

Edward Hanning Set up Stations at Calgary and New Oil Wells--Son of Mrs. James Bird of This City

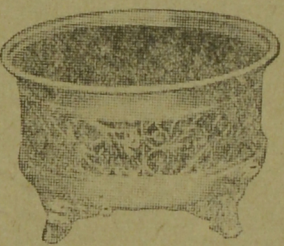
Edward Hanning of this city, son of Mrs. James Bird of St. John street, has the distinction of sending the first wireless telegram ever received at Calgary. Mr. Hanning not only sent the first message but also set up and tuned the wireless station at Calgary and that at the Lady Betty oil well in the recently discovered oil-field. The wireless service was established by the Mowbray Berkeley syndicate, owners of oil territory near Calgary. The first message was sent from the Lady Betty station to Calgary on May 20. The message was to the editor of The Calgary Herald and was reproduced in The Herald of May 21.

Mr. Hanning is teaching school at Calgary. He was instructor in manual training at St. Stephen several years ago and is a graduate of the Provincial Normal School. While at St. Stephen he experimented with wireless telegraphy and set up a working station at which he sent and received messages.

The system installed by him at Calgary is the first in the west to be used for commercial purposes.

### LICENSES EXPIRED.

Licenses for coaches and coach-drivers have expired and notices to that effect are being issued by the police.



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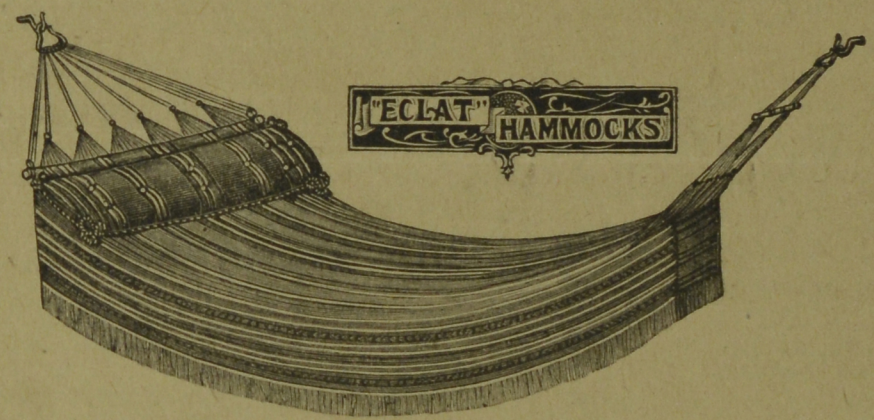
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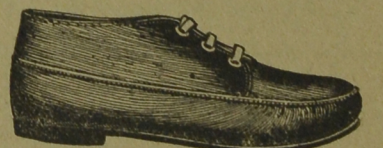
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