

LOCAL NEWS

BAND IN ATTENDANCE.

The Marysville Brass Band will be at the Arctic Rink tomorrow afternoon and will furnish music for skating.

WITH THE CURLERS.

Two matches in the Managing Committee Series at the Curling Rink last night, resulted as follows:
Hagerman 11, Macnutt 10.
Hatt 17, McLellan 9.

IN SOUTHERN FRANCE.

Hon. E. L. Wetmore, formerly of Fredericton, and Mr. Allan Wetmore, manager of the Imperial Bank, Regina, arrived in London on Sunday and are shortly going to the South of France.

MADE GOOD SHOWING.

The traffic earnings on the New Brunswick section of the G.T.P. last year totalled \$32,605 and the expenses were \$35,146, leaving a deficit of \$3,541.

MR. COLPITTS DISMISSED.

Scott Act Inspector Colpitts, who has held office in Carleton county for a number of years, was dismissed by the County Council yesterday. Mr. John F. McLean of Richmond, was appointed at a salary of \$400 a year.

ENTERTAINED LAST NIGHT.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McLaggan of St. Mary's, entertained their friends at a party last evening. Games and dancing were indulged in. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening was spent. The guests were from Fredericton and vicinity.

BOY'S SUDDEN DEATH.

Roy Chesley Sharp, the nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Sharp, died quite suddenly last night from an attack of croup. His death was a great shock to his friends and relatives. He is survived by his parents and two sisters.

MAY GO SOUTH.

Hon. William Pugsley, who has been confined to his house for some time through illness, is improving slowly. He has been advised by his physician to go south for his health and it is doubtful when he will be able to return to Ottawa to resume his seat in the House.

OFFICIALS DISMISSED.

The Municipal Council of Westmorland yesterday voted to dismiss Mr. A. D. Richard from the office of county treasurer. Mr. R. W. Hewson was dismissed from the office of county solicitor and Mr. James Friel appointed. The latter formerly held the office but was dismissed by a Tory council in July last.

HARMONY RESTORED.

It looks as if members of the Fleming government who have been at war for some time, have buried the hatchet. Yesterday a visitor to the departmental building actually saw a smile creep over the sombre countenance of Hon. Dr. Landry and a little later noticed him in conversation with Hon. John Morrissey.

AT THE GEM.

Another great show at the Gem, including a Broncho western, an American side-splitting comedy, "The Mishap of E. Z. Smithers," it's a corker; a Thanbouser featuring Marie Elaine, it's too funny for anything; and an excellent Reliance drama with Rosemary Theby. An extra good show.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Howard of Gibson, announces the engagement of their daughter, Reba M., to Mr. S. Raymond Richardson of Bangor, Me. The wedding is to take place in the near future. Miss Howard formerly was employed in the Fredericton telephone exchange and recently has been residing in Aroostook county, Me.

NOTHING TO IT.

With reference to an article appearing in The American Lumberman, a journal published in Chicago, stating in effect, that there exists a difference of opinion between the Canadian and United States members of the St. John River Commission, arising from varying interpretations of the treaty made in 1842 between Great Britain and the United States, John Keeffe, one of the Canadian members of the commission, says that the story is new to him. H. A. Powell, K.C., legal counsel for the company interested in the development of power and the construction of pulp and paper mills at Grand Falls, is not inclined to take the story seriously.

Mr. W. B. Bishop of Montreal, is at the Queen Hotel. He hopes Mrs. Bishop will be here in time for the Rosa Ball.

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BEGIN NEXT WEEK

Q. M. Sergt. Hobkirk R. C. R. Assigned as Instructor---School First of Its Kind to be Held Here

A provisional school of instruction for officers and non-commissioned officers of the 71st York Regt. will begin in this city on Monday night next. The school will continue as long as necessary. Afterward similar schools will be held at the headquarters of outlying companies. Q. M. Sergt. Hobkirk of the Instructional Cadre, attached to No. 3 Station, R.C.R., will be the instructor. Through the kindness of Capt. M. E. Roscoe of No. 3 Station, a lecture room at the armory will be provided. The school is the first of its kind to be held in Fredericton and promises to be largely attended. A number of captains intend to qualify as field officers, lieutenants and non-commissioned officers as sergeants. It is the intention to have the 71st Regt. train in 1914 with officers and N.C.O.'s having the best of qualifications.

Lt.-Col. H. F. McLeod took the matter up some time ago and Major W. H. Gray more recently continued the work. This provisional school is in line with the announcement made some time ago by the minister of militia that the schools were to be sent to the militia rather than the militia to the schools.

In pursuance of authority received from Halifax, Major Gray at present

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NEW VARIETIES OF
APPLE-TREES FOR
EXPERIMENTAL FARM

Dominion Horticulturalist, W. T. Macoun Addressed Fruit Growers Association This Morning---Meeting Will Close Tonight

The New Brunswick Fruit Growers' Association continued its session this morning and heard some very interesting remarks from W. T. Macoun of Ottawa, Dominion Horticulturalist, who came here from Kentville, N.S., where he had been attending a meeting of fruit growers of the Annapolis Valley. Mr. Macoun talked at considerable length upon "New Varieties of Apples." He told of experiments at Ottawa during which nine hundred varieties of trees had been used. Of those about ninety had been retained as the most satisfactory. These will be experimented with further. A number of trees of these varieties will be sent to the Dominion Experimental Farm in this city probably in the spring. The intention is to find new varieties of apples which will be favored by the soil and climate of New Brunswick.

IMPORTANT MATTER.

S. B. Hatheway of Springhill, brought up an important matter at this morning's session. He drew attention to the fact that at present ninety per cent of the evaporated and canned apples, vinegar and cider consumed in New Brunswick was imported from Nova Scotia and Ontario.

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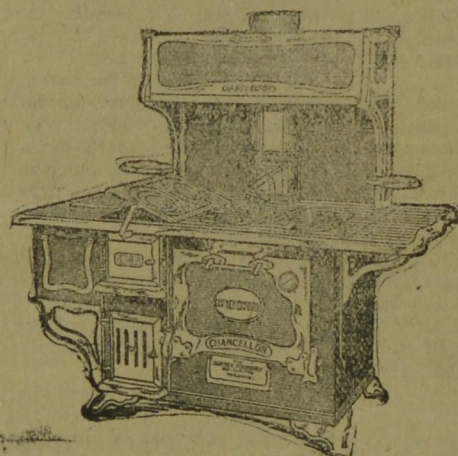
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