

LOCAL NEWS

QUARTERLY BOARD MEETING.

A meeting of the Quarterly Board of the Methodist church will be held tonight.

BICYCLE FOUND.

A bicycle was found on the street Saturday night by Chief of Police McCollom and now awaits its owner at the police station.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

The City Council holds its regular monthly meeting in the council chamber tonight. There is little but routine business to come before the council.

CARD OF THANKS.

Herbert M. Fisher and relatives wish to thank their many friends for their expressions of sympathy and token of love at the time of their recent bereavement.

NEW TIME TABLE

The new C. P. R. time-table went into effect today. There is little change. The suburban train from St. John now runs as far as Fredericton Junction making connection there.

SCHOONERS ARRIVED.

The schooners Wanola, Doan and Lucia Porter arrived here this morning. The Wanola is consigned to A. H. VanWart & Son, the Doan to R. T. Baird and the Lucia Porter to S. L. Morrison. All are coal-laden.

DECLINED CALL.

Mr. Sterling Thompson has declined the call to the Presbyterian church at Prince William. He is taking up work in connection with the ministry at the North West Arm, Halifax.

MILITIA APPOINTMENTS

Lieutenant Hueston, of Halifax was in Woodstock Saturday and transferred the command and stores of the 10th Field Battery from Captain A. W. Fields to Lieutenant Edward London of Canterbury, who will take command of the battery. Major J. J. Bull has been appointed instructor of musketry for Camp Sussex.

SPECIAL MOURNING WINDOW

A special mourning window has been arranged at the store of the F. B. Edgcombe Co., by Mr. Hawkes the window dresser in memory of those lost on the Empress of Ireland. A large picture of the ill-fated steamer is a prominent feature of the display which has attracted much attention.

RECEIVED INVITATION.

The publicity committee of the Board of Trade has received an invitation to present an exhibit of maps, plans, etc., at a convention to be held by the Alberta Town Planning Association at Calgary from June 16 to 18. The committee decided to send pictures and a blue-print of the city street-plan.

ROYAL COMMISSION

Ex-Judge Wells, who has been selected by Lieutenant-Governor Wood as a member of the royal commission to investigate the Dugal charges against Premier Fleming has arrived in St. John from Ottawa and is at the Royal. The three commissioners, with Hon. H. A. McKeown as chairman and W. S. Fisher, the third member, will hold their first session on Thursday afternoon at 2.30. A private organization meeting will be held previously, it is expected.

GIVEN FIVE MONTHS.

Roy Feehey, the young man who confessed to breaking into Harry Crotty's pool-room, Regent street, on Saturday, May 23, and taking \$35 in silver, was sentenced to five months in the county jail by Police Magistrate Marsh this morning. His Worship gave Feehey a severe talking to and told him that he had committed a serious offence and could be sent to penitentiary. Had it not been for his mother and family his sentence would probably have been much heavier. Feehey looked none the worse for his past experience but his eyes dropped when he heard his sentence.

BOARD OF HEALTH CASE.

The case of the Board of Health against a local plumber was before Police Magistrate Marsh this morning. The magistrate stated that he did not care about trying the case as he was connected with Mr. Beckwith the informant. Col. Marsh then said he would adjourn the case till next Monday but F. H. Peters, attorney for the defendant, said it was not fair to his client to have him leaving his work all the time. Finally Mr. Peters and Mr. Beckwith agreed to have the case come up next Monday morning, June 8th, for hearing. Col. Marsh is still on the job but expects to be all through with the police court tomorrow.



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WILMOT PARK BOARD WANTS MORE LAND FOR PARK USE

Will Ask Provincial Government for Permission to Use Part of Government House Grounds---Board Made Inspection Today

The Wilmot Park commissioners visited the park in a body on their annual tour of inspection this morning. This year there was a new feature of the proceedings which was to endeavor to secure an additional lot for park grounds it being a lot between Government House and the Victoria Public Hospital fronting on the river. They appointed a committee to intervene the local Government with a view toward obtaining this permanently. Among other things they decided to have a new curbing placed around the pond and additional help for the caretaker for the improvement of the grounds.

The Park board is in want of funds this year and has decided if possible to have a Tag Day to meet the needs of considerable further expenditure. This will very likely be the next public holiday, Dominion Day, July 1. It is intended to have a public Band Concert on that day. All members of the Park Commission were present today, including the chairman, M. Tennant His Worship the Mayor, Dr. T. C. Allen, Mr. C. H. Allen, Mr. J. T. Stanley, and the secretary T. H. Fenety.

FIRE AT WAPSKEY

The Wapskegan Lumber Co's mill at Wapskey, was burned on Sunday night, May 24th. There was some insurance.

JOHN MUNRO OF SOUTHAMPTON DROPPED DEAD YESTERDAY

Well Known Man and Ex-Councillor---Heart Failure Said to be Cause---Rev. Dr. W.H. Smith Will Conduct Funeral Service

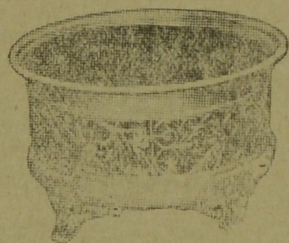
The news has reached here that Mr. John Munro of Southampton, dropped dead yesterday afternoon at the residence of his son, Mr. George Munro, also of Southampton. Only little information has reached here as to the details of his death but it is thought that he succumbed to an attack of heart failure. The late Mr. Munro was in his eighty-fifth year and besides leaving a sorrowing widow, there are two sons, George and David, both of Southampton. Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith will leave by the Gibson Branch for Southampton tomorrow morning to conduct the services, which will be held in the Presbyterian church at that place tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock.

The many friends of Mr. Munro in this city will regret to learn of his untimely death. The deceased was formerly a municipal councillor and was well known throughout the country.

DEATH AT DURHAM

The death of Mrs. Mary O'Neill occurred Saturday May 30th at her late home in Durham, aged 76 years. She leaves one daughter Mrs. Estey of Durham to mourn her loss.

The funeral will take place Monday afternoon from her late home. Rev. Mr. Ramsay will conduct the services and interment will be made in the Durham cemetery.



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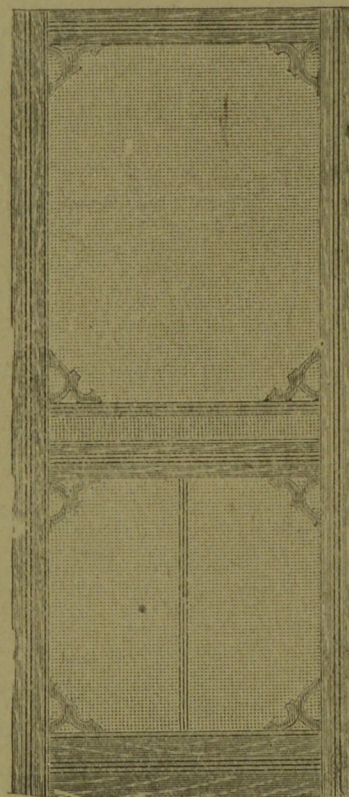
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BAND CONCERT MUCH ENJOYED.

The excellent concert played in Wilmot Park by the Fredericton Concert Band on Sunday afternoon attracted a very large crowd. The weather was ideal and everybody seemed to take advantage of it by going to the concert. It is probable that there will be more Sunday afternoon concerts this summer than in previous concert seasons.

The program was as follows:
March—Onward Christian Soldiers, and Adaste Fideles, Air by Mackie Beyer.

La Priere—The Druid's Prayer, by Gordon Davidson.

Overture—The Feast of Lanterns, F. W. Bennett, cornet solo, by Robert Brown.

March—Battle of Rome, C. Taylor.

Intermission.

March—"Good Fellowship" Jos M Daly.

Melody—Evening Bells, Geo Rosenkraus.

Overture—Jublat, Berbie Fraser.

Sacred Quick Step—What a Friend we have in Jesus, Wallace.

God Save The King.

PERSONAL

John Jennen of Ottawa is a guest at the Barker House.

J. J. Ross of Sussex is a guest at the Barker House.

F. B. Rorland of Montreal is in the city today.

N. M. Jones of St. John is at the Queen.

H. H. Harvey of St. John, P. A. Rich of Montreal, A. M. Jones of St. John, J. G. Emsley of Montreal, J. H. Bossack of Toronto, M. L. Hayward of Hartland, J. K. Seammell of St. John, and H. S. Estabrooks of St. John, are registered at the Queen.

Atlantic City, N. J. June 1—Leading representatives of the clothing business from all parts of the country are gathering here for the eighteenth annual convention of the National Association of Clothiers.

Business of the convention will begin tomorrow and continue through the greater part of the week. The effects of the new tariff and a number of other topics of importance to the trade are slated for discussion.

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