

LOCAL NEWS

IT'S A BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bennett, of Barker's Point are rejoicing over the arrival of a son and heir.

SIR MAX IN MUNICH

Sir Max Aitken has gone to Munich to consult a specialist. While better than he was last week, he is still far from well.

WATER FALLING FAST

The freshet in the St. John river here is now subsiding rapidly. Reports from up-river are to the same effect. The Keswick and Nashwaak Rivers also are falling.

MISSIONARY MEETING.

A public missionary meeting will be held in the Reformed Baptist Church Monday evening, the 19. A good program will be rendered by the young people and children. Seats free. Collection taken.

NEXT WEEK'S ATTRACTION

The monster sale and summer opening of Ladies' Misses and Children's Ready-to-wear at R. L. Black's, York Street, will be next week's great event. New Spring and Summer merchandise at special prices all next week. See ad on page 2 of this paper.

PROPERTY SOLD.

The Wilson property in Gibson consisting of the buildings upon a leasehold lot were sold at public auction at noon today at the City Hall by Auctioneer Atherton under mortgage held by A. B. Kitchen. The property was bid in by Coun. A. B. Neil of Gibson for \$175.

TENNYSON EVENING.

Lovers of Tennyson will be pleased to know that an opportunity will be given of spending Monday evening, May 18th, in the Auld Kirk with their favorite poet. The program will consist of an address, "Tennyson—the Poet and the Man," interspersed with songs and readings from the poet. Admission, 25 cts. Eight o'clock.

MOVIES MUST PAY MORE

Notice is given in the Royal Gazette of the government license fee moving picture theatres. The yearly license fee in St. John is increased from \$100 to \$150. This will be hard on the small houses. The film exchange must pay \$250, an increase of \$50. The St. John houses also pay large fees to the City.

AROUND THE MARKET.

The market this morning was the largest for some weeks and good prices prevailed. Potatoes brought from \$1.50 to \$1.75 per bbl. Butter brought 25 cts. and eggs were plentiful at 20 cts. Veal was plentiful and brought from 8 to 11 cts. and beef brought 9 and 10 cts. Country hams sold at 18 cts.

PREPARING FOR CAMP.

"D" Company, 71st York Regt., began its preparation for training in camp at Sussex by holding preliminary drill at the armory last night. The company will drill each Tuesday and Friday evenings and is the first of the local militia corps to begin drill. Capt. H. F. G. Woodbridge is commanding officer.

APPEAL IN NAGLE CASE

Applications was made by the Quebec and St. John Construction Company and the St. John and Quebec Railway Company, through Mr. P. A. Guthrie, to Justice McKeown, on Wednesday for a stay in the proceedings, pending an appeal to be taken in the case of Thomas Nagle vs. the above companies. It will be remembered Mr. Nagle won a verdict for \$12,000. The application was granted.

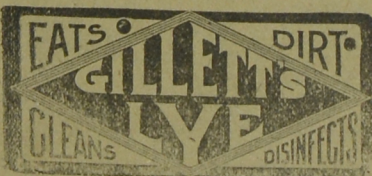
ANSWERS TO QUERRIES.

Yes, Maude, it is quite true. The Glenier wishes to teach Mayor Mitchell lessons in deportment. It is of the opinion that if he does what it advises his deportment will be perfect.

An anxious engineer asks when we think the Dugal investigation will be held. At present rate of progress, we would say in about ten years more or less.

SALE OF THE MAY QUEEN

The sale of the interest of the May Queen Steamship Company, Limited, in the steamship May Queen, together with the interests of the mortgagees at St. John Friday, brought together a large number of the owners and captains of the river fleet. The boat was sold by order of the court. The bidding was quite fast for a time, but was confined to a few bidders. Captain F. H. Caldwell became the owner of the interest at \$14,100.



Tumble Sale

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INSPECTOR ON NEW
SCHOOL BUILDING

Appointment Made by School Board
Large List of Applicants—Financial Arrangements Made by Special Committee

At a special meeting of the School Board held yesterday several matters connected with the construction of the new school building engaged the attention of the Trustees. Mr. VanWart, the chairman, presided and other members in attendance included Mr. Sterling, Mr. Weddall, Mr. Sharkey, Mr. Crockett and Mr. Spurden. Several additional applications for position of Inspector of Construction at the new school building were presented and included some capable men. The following is the list of applicants: John Maxwell, Judson Baxter, J. Limerick, Daniel Ryan, H. B. Clark, Marvin W. Ross, Chas. A. Hall, James Cunningham, Raymond B. Stevenson and John Oldham.

HENRY B. CLARK APPOINTED

It was generally believed that a permanent Inspector would not be necessary as the Architect, Mr. G. Ernest Fairweather will make frequent visits to the works. Finally it was decided to appoint an Inspector to go on duty at once and continue until July 1st. After discussion of the qualifications of the several applicants the question was taken, and resulted in the selection of Mr. Henry B. Clarke. The remuneration was fixed at three dollars for each working day.

FINANCIAL INSPECTOR

Mr. Sterling and Mr. Spurden were appointed a committee at a previous (Continued on page four.)

CITY COUNCIL
TO MEET AGAIN
NEXT WEEK

Important Matters to be Considered
at Special Session to be Held
Probably on Thursday—Year
of Many Meetings

The present year as far as the City Council is concerned bids fair to be known as one of many meetings. Although the council has held office little more than two months its meetings have been numerous. This is largely on account of the protest in connection with the mayoralty election. The necessity has not arisen for more special sessions the trouble between the chief of police and the police magistrate being the cause as the police commission will make a report upon that matter to the council.

It is probable that the meeting will take place on Thursday night next but the date has not been definitely fixed. The matter of grants to the local band in return for open air concerts during the summer will come up. Ald. Lemont chairman of the special committee which has the matter under consideration says the report is ready. The matter is expected to cause considerable discussion. A report is also expected from the City Hall Committee on the matter of repairs to the City Hall, the installation of a new vault and the refurnishing of offices and council chamber.

WENT TO ST. JOHN.

His Honor the Lieutenant Governor went to St. John this morning to remain till Tuesday. Prior to his departure he made no announcement of the appointment to the Royal Commission on the Dugal charges.



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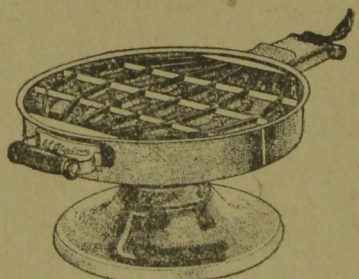
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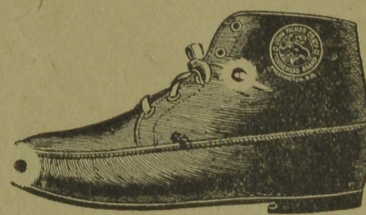
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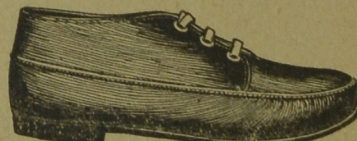
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