

LOCAL EVENTS.

The News of the City and Vicinity

SINCE YESTERDAY.

General, Social, Personal and Political Items of Interest.

No Boat Friday.

No boat will leave Fredericton for the down river trip on Friday, May 24th.

Victoria Day Excursion

On May 23 and 24 the Canada Eastern will issue return tickets at single fare good to return until May 27.

Again Tonight.

Messrs W H Burns and Jeremy Taylor are to be entertained to dinner this evening at the officers mess of the R C R I.

After Sea Trout.

Messrs Geo Y Dibblee and R P Foster left by the Canada Eastern yesterday afternoon for the Miramichi to enjoy a few days fishing sea trout.

A Good Ad.

An Ottawa despatch says, "Today G. W. Ganong, M. P. for Charlotte, presented each member of the senate and commons with a package of confectionery as a reminder of the donor's birthday, which occurs tomorrow."

Empire Day Tomorrow.

Tomorrow is Empire day and will be kept as such with appropriate patriotic exercises at the different city schools. A very excellent special program has been prepared for the afternoon at the Regent street school and the public are cordially invited to be present.

Base Ball Notes.

Bangor is now at the top of the New England league. In Tuesday's game Lewiston vs Manchester the latter won 11 to 1. The Bangor News report says that one of the features of the game was a running catch by Howe. Tommy also participated in a double play.

Not Likely to go.

Dr. Inch of the Normal School was in town last week. He says that while Mr. Sargent, the South African delegate to investigate the Canadian public school system, wished certain teachers from New Brunswick to go to South Africa, he does not think any will really leave New Brunswick for the Cape.—Woodstock Press.

To Visit the Coal Fields.

During the coming week a committee from the government composed of Surveyor General Dunn, Hon. Mr. Labllois, Hon. Mr. Hill, Attorney General Pugsley and others will visit the Queens county coal fields in company with a mining expert for the purpose of making a thorough examination of the mines in operation and also test pits.

The Mystery Solved.

The body of R A Bridges, the Bangor travelling man, who disappeared from Fort Kent on Saturday night, May 11, was found in the St John river at Grand Isle, a short distance below Edmundston, on Saturday last, a week after Bridges' disappearance. The body was found at the exact spot where that of Mr. Shea, who was drowned through the ice four years ago, came ashore.

Crown Land Sale.

Ten timber berths aggregating 733 square miles and located on the Upsalquitch and Nepisiquit rivers, were sold at auction at the crown land office at noon today. Contrary to expectations the whole lot went to the applicant, W T Whitehead, M P P, at the upset price. F W Sumner, ex-M P P, of Moncton, was present at the sale but did not offer a bid.

Death at Lower St. Mary's.

Mrs. Ann Rice, relict of the late Andrew Rice, of Lower St. Mary's (Back Road) died at that place last evening, after a short illness from general debility. The deceased, who was 92 years of age, leaves three sons, John, William and Andrew Rice, and one daughter, Mrs. Howard Holland. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at one o'clock, interment at Lower St. Mary's after services by Rev. Mr. Belliss. R. B. Adams, undertaker, will have charge of the arrangements.

Pointed to Examples.

The Rev. Mr. Haslam in St. John's Episcopal church Truro, Sunday, presented the claims of the 20th Century Fund of the Church of England in Canada strongly clearly before the parishioners of

St John's. He showed that the \$1,000,000 aimed at would be reached without any doubt. He spoke of the great feat of the Canadian Presbyterians in raising \$1,400,000, and of the Methodists in securing \$1,250,000. He urged Churchmen to be just as liberal.

THE HEWITSON CASE.

Coroner Seery to Hold Another Enquiry on Tuesday.

Coroner Seery has decided to hold the second inquest over the body of the late Col. Hewitson on Tuesday of next week. A new jury will be empanelled, and several witnesses in addition to those who previously gave testimony, will be subpoenaed. Geo. W. Allen, K. C., will attend in the interests of the Crown and the enquiry will be as searching as possible.

A second enquiry was ordered by the Attorney General at the urgent request of a large number of citizens, and the fact of his having taken this course is no reflection whatever upon Coroner Seery. The latter acted in the first instance with commendable promptness, but being obliged to act without the assistance and advice of counsel, he was not able to make the enquiry as searching as many citizens think it should have been.

W. S. Harkins' Company To-night.

Miss Jessie Bonstelle, who was so well and favorably received here last winter, will begin a three day's engagement to-night with the W S Harkins Company in Madame Sans Gene, at the Opera House, to be followed Thursday night by the Little Minister, Friday, matinee, One of Our Girls, and Friday night with Under Two Flags. Mr. Harkins enjoys the distinction of being able to bring out the largest and most fashionable audiences that attend the theatres in the lower provinces. He has surrounded Miss Bonstelle with an exceptionally strong support and the critics in all the larger cities have lavished great praise on this clever little actress. The play of Madame Sans Gene is most enjoyable, there is not a dull moment in it. The costumes are elaborate and the play is well mounted. Miss Bonstelle, as the washerwoman countess, gives a most pleasing presentation of the highly interesting character and is said to be one of the cleverest actresses ever seen in these parts. A few choice seats left for tonight.

No Military Salute.

The following militia orders were issued Tuesday at Ottawa: "District officers commanding and commanding officers of units are reminded that by the King's command all military forces of the empire are still in deep mourning for her late gracious majesty, Queen Victoria, and that such mourning does not expire until July 24. In these circumstances ceremonial displays such as salutes, feudo-joie, trooping the colors, reviews and other military exercises, except such as are for tactical instruction or for rifle practice, would be an act of serious disrespect to the memory of our beloved sovereign."

One More Trip.

The steamer Aberdeen arrived from Woodstock today at two o'clock with a large cargo of freight and a goodly number of passengers. The water up river is falling very fast, and Capt Norwood announces that the steamer will only make one more trip at present, and he is not sure that she will be able to make that. However, she will start at the usual hour tomorrow morning and will try and reach Woodstock.

The College Sports.

The college athletic sports to be held on the athletic grounds in the afternoon, promise to be the star attraction of Victoria day. There are in all fifteen events, and judging by the list of entries and the amount of training done by the students, all will be keenly contested. A brass band will be in attendance during the afternoon. Entrance to the grounds will be by way of Queen square.

What's the Time?

A Kingston despatch says: Mr A Harley of the Bank of British North America at Kingston, left for his new home at Fredericton, N B, on Saturday evening. Friend presented him with a handsome "Grand father's clock." The presentation was made by Mayor Kent.

The Election Case.

According to the terms of the order of Judge Gregory, the particulars of the charges of bribery in the York election case, must be placed in the hands of the respondent's counsel not later than this afternoon.

Contract Awarded.

The contract for supplying fifty tons of coal to the Victoria Hospital has been awarded to John S. Scott, the Campbell street dealer, at \$5.50 per ton.

Well Patronized.

The proceeds of the entertainment given at the Opera House on Monday evening under the auspices of the Kings Daughters amounted to \$201.35.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Movements of People in Whom Our Readers Are Interested.

E Pidgeon of Boston, is at the Queen today.

Miss Carrie Winslow is visiting friends in St John.

W S Peters of St John, is a guest at the Queen.

Hon A T Dunn, is a guest at the Queen today.

W S Harkins of New York, is stopping at the Queen.

A R Miles of Mauderville, is a guest at Long's hotel.

David Gilman of Pokiok, is a guest at Long's hotel today.

Ex-Mayor Sumner of Moncton is a guest at the Barker today.

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Major and Mrs Forester landed at Halifax from England on Friday last.

Daniel Canty is a patient at Victoria Hospital, suffering from an attack of congestion.

Rev Willard Macdonald attended the Presbytery meeting at St John, yesterday.

W. Egerton Everett left by the ten o'clock train this morning for a trip to Albert County.

W H McGinn, traveller for the A B MacLean Oil and Supply Company of Boston, is in the city.

Premier Tweedie was a passenger to the city by the C. P. R. train today, and is a guest at the Queen.

Mrs G A Sharpe left yesterday morning for Fredericton, on a visit to her brother.—Charlottetown Guardian 21st.

Mrs Carr of Sydney, N. S., who has been visiting her brother C W Hall, left for St John this morning, on her way home.

Rev A S Morton, of Fairville, has accepted the call to the Presbyterian church at St Stephen and will be inducted June 6.

Edward Williams, of Woodstock is in the city on his semi-annual visit and is receiving a hearty greeting from many old friends.

Miss Pyke, daughter of Geo A Pyke of Halifax, is to be married next month to George Howard, son of the late Major "Gat" Howard, killed in South Africa.

J H A L Fairweather, of St John, a former University student, appears in the list of 50 strongest college athletes in America. Mr Fairweather, who is now a student at Harvard, stands 29th in the list.

G U Hay, editor of the Educational Review, St John, is mentioned as a possible successor to Rev J H McDonald, who has resigned the principalship of Acadia Seminary, Wolfville, to become pastor of the Baptist church in this city.

Dancing Bears.

Two dancing bears of the cinnamon variety, in charge of three Italians, created considerable amusement about the streets today. The animals seemed to be well trained and did about as they were told.

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TENDERS.

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received until noon on Saturday, 1st June next, for the construction of additions to the Victoria Public Hospital, in accordance with plans and specifications to be seen at the Hospital. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

A deposit of five per cent of the amount of the tender must accompany each offer to ensure the prompt execution of the work if tender is accepted. By order,

CHAS. A. SAMPSON,

Secy-Treas.

Fredericton, May 20, 1901—dtd

WANTED.

A Girl for general housework. Apply at G. T. Whelpley's, Waterloo Row. May 14—dtd

WANTED.

A Smart Boy who has had about a year's experience in the printing business. Apply at the Herald Office.

WANTED.

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