

LOCAL EVENTS.

The News of the City
and Vicinity

SINCE YESTERDAY.

General, Social, Personal and
Political Items of Interest.

Exhibition at Harvey.

The Harvey Exhibition is to be held in the Agricultural Hall at Harvey Settlement on Oct. 8th.

County S. S. Convention.

The Sunbury County Sunday School Association will hold its annual convention in the Free Baptist church at Fredericton Junction on Tuesday, Oct. 1st, the first session at 10 o'clock, a. m.

The U. N. B.

The University matriculation examinations commence on Thursday morning, and lectures will commence on Monday of next week. It is likely that freshman the class will be a fairly large one.

Death at Ruslagornish.

Chester, son of the late Eben Hoyt, died yesterday morning from consumption, aged 22 years. He leaves one sister and one brother. The funeral took place this morning at 9.30. R. B. Adams, undertaker.

Young Peoples Christian Work.

Rev. C. E. Eberman will address the Young Peoples' Christian Work Conference on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the school room of the Baptist church. He will also take part in the mass meeting in the Methodist church on Thursday evening.

Death at Nortondale.

Mrs. W. Cox, an aged and highly esteemed resident of Nortondale, passed away Thursday morning, Sept. 5th, aged 75 years. She leaves two sons and three daughters to mourn the loss of a loving mother. The funeral was attended by Rev. Mr. Gascan.

Private Hawkins' Case.

Lieut. Col. Leggie was engaged at the drill hall this forenoon holding an investigation of the charge of theft preferred against Private Hawkins of the 71st regiment. The evidence of six witnesses, including that of the prisoner, was taken, and the Colonel took time to consider whether or not he will recommend a trial by courtmartial. Capt. H. F. McLeod, was engaged to defend the prisoner, but on account of the latter being a member of his company, was not allowed to act.

Miss Needham's Death.

The death occurred at St. John last evening of Miss Jane Needham, sister of the late William H. Needham at one time Mayor of Fredericton. She was a native of this city, but for some time made her home with her niece, Mrs. H. Lawrence Sturdee at St. John, and lately was an inmate of the Home for Incurables. She was upwards of eighty years of age and the last of the family. The remains will be brought here by the nine o'clock train tomorrow for interment. John G. Adams has charge of the funeral arrangements.

Will Go to St. John.

The 71st York regiment will probably take part in the military review to be held in St. John, in honor of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York. The matter was up for consideration at a meeting of the officers held during the camp at Sussex, and the proposition was favorably received. It is likely that the corps will leave here by special train on the morning of October 17th, and arrive in St. John several hours in advance of the Royal train. It is just possible that the 71st may also go to Halifax, to take part in the review there.

Farmers' Meetings.

R. Drummond, of Brooklyn, Ont. and C. F. Alward, of Havlock, Kings county, will address the farmers' institute meetings at Keswick on the evening of Oct. 21 and at Millville on the following evening. Messrs. W. S. Tompkins and Harvey Mitchell will address meetings as follows: Upper Jemseg, Oct. 21; Hampstead, Oct. 22; Fredericton Junction, Oct. 24; Harvey, Oct. 25; and Armstrong Corner, Oct. 26. Robert Ness, of Howick, Quebec and L. C. Daigle will speak in the agricultural hall, Prince William on Oct. 28th, and T. G. Raynor and F. E. Sharp at Zionville on Oct. 21st.

A Cool Trick.

Jas. F. VanBuskirk is mourning the loss of a sloop wagon taken from in front of his warehouse on the Normal school wharf on Wednesday of last week. The

wagon was taken by a stout man who drove a bay horse which he was seen to unhitch from a buggy and attach to the sloop wagon. After fastening the buggy to the rear of the sloop, he coolly drove off, and nothing has since been heard from him. Mr. VanBuskirk thought at first that somebody had taken the sloop by mistake, but he is convinced now that it was stolen. Suspicion has been directed towards a well known individual seen about the city on Wednesday, and unless the wagon is returned forthwith, there will be another case for the grand jury to deliberate upon at the October circuit court.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

Exciting Contests Expected in Several
of the Parishes.

Nominations for the York municipal elections closed last evening and polling will take place on Tuesday of next week. Full information is not yet to hand, but it is understood that there will be no contest in the parishes of New Maryland, Queensbury, Dumfries, McAdam and Douglas. The list of nominations so far received is as follows:

St. Marys—Conn. Rowley, Ludlow Young, Frank Densmore and Norman Hanson.

Stanley—Conn. McManiman, Conn. C. R. Merrill, Ex-Coun. John Hinchey and Charles Pond.

Douglas—W. L. McFarlane, Jacob Estey.

Canterbury—Conn. Hillman and Grosvenor, and ex-Coun. G. F. A. Jamieson.

Manners Sutton—Conn. T. Robison, ex-Coun. R. Thompson, and Richard Davis.

Dumfries—Conn. John Scott and Thos. Simmons.

Kingsclear—Conn. J. C. Murray, Conn. A. E. Cliff, B. W. Fox, and John W. Camber.

Bright—Conn. J. W. Jewett, ex-Coun. John McKeen, Edward Reynolds, Warren W. Estey and William Colter.

New Maryland—Alex. Haining and Henry Morgan.

McAdam—Conn. George Moffat, Conn. J. W. Green, Robert Cooper and R. S. Dixon. It is said that the papers of the two last named are irregular and that the old councillors are therefore elected by acclamation.

Southampton—Conn. W. R. Fawcett, Frank R. Brooks, Peter Johnson and William Haines.

Queensbury—Conn. G. F. Burden and Conn. John Timmins.

No information has been received from the Parishes of North Lake and Prince William, but it is understood that in the first named parish the old councillors, David Cropley and H. H. Veysey, are being opposed by Ex-Couns. Geo. S. Inch and J. Leonard Gould.

Married at Fort Fairfield.

Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seaborn, the marriage of Mr. Seaborn's mother, Mrs. Nellie Seaborn of this village and Mr. Benjamin Merrithew of Presque Isle, occurred. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Cheney of Presque Isle. Numerous beautiful and useful presents attested to the kind wishes and appreciation of their many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Merrithew left soon after the ceremony for a trip to Fredericton, N. B. On their return they will go at once to Mr. Merrithew's home at Presque Isle, where they will reside. The bride who has lived several years in this village, is a very estimable woman, and the groom is, we learn, a worthy man, and one of the successful farmers of the town.—Fort Fairfield Cor. Bangor News. [Mr. Merrithew is a former resident of York county.]

Exhibition Executive Meeting.

The executive committee of the exhibition will meet on Thursday evening next at eight o'clock at the office of R. W. McLellan. Parties having any claims against the association in connection with the recent exhibition are requested to file the same with R. W. McLellan, the solicitor, on or before Thursday next. Committees are expected to have their reports ready for this meeting.

Will Wed Tomorrow.

The nuptials of Miss Clara McFarlane, eldest daughter of the late Peter McFarlane, and Arthur H. Woods are to be celebrated at the bride's home on Charlotte street, tomorrow afternoon. The young couple will leave by the five o'clock train on a trip to the Pan-American.

Matrimonial Rumor.

It is rumored that a popular salesman in a corner store on Queen street, is soon to take unto himself a life partner in the person of a young lady employed in an uptown establishment. Of course, the young man declines absolutely to verify the rumor.

J. A. McDonald, of Munroe, Iowa, spent a day in the city last week, the guest of his brother, Norman McDonald, of the Waverly hotel, whom he had not seen for thirty years. Mr. McDonald is a native of P. E. I. and carries on a carriage manufacturing business in the west.

A LOVER'S GIFTS.

Interesting and Spicy Law
Suit Going On at
Sheffield.C. W. McBEATH, PLAINTIFF AND
J. JORDAN, DEFENDANT.Plaintiff Seeking a Balm for
Wounded Affections.WANTS MR. JORDAN TO PAY FOR
PRESENTS GIVEN TO HIS
DAUGHTER.

Squire William Harrison of Sheffield, is engaged this week in hearing evidence in a rather unique and spicy law suit. The plaintiff is Chas. W. McBeath, and he is seeking to recover from John Jordan by process of law the value of certain articles, which he claims Mr. Jordan's daughter, Sadie, procured from him on the strength of a promise of marriage, which promise she failed to keep. He submitted to the court the following inventory of the articles or gifts which he bestowed upon Miss Jordan, while laboring under the belief that she was to share his joys and sorrows:

Sheffield, Sunbury Co.

John Jordan
to Chas. W. McBeath, Dr.

Articles.	Value.
1 red dress.....	\$1 99
1 blue dress	2 40
1 cape.....	60
1 pair of shoes (size not stated).....	1 35
Another pair do.....	1 10
2 pairs rubbers at 60.....	1 20
1 night dress.....	1 00
1 pair kid gloves.....	1 00
1 set pins.....	25
1 engagement ring.....	3 00
3 photos.....	75
2 handkerchiefs.....	1 00
1 do.....	75
1 do.....	10
1 collar button.....	5
1 purse.....	25
1 second hand purse.....	20
4 cards.....	10
3 bottles perfume.....	50
2 stick pins.....	20
Cash at different times.....	6 35
Total.....	\$24 24
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By 1 pair black gloves.....	30

To balance due.....\$23 94

Squire Isaac Stevenson appeared in the interests of the defendant, and seems to be making out a very good case. A large number of spectators are in daily attendance at the court, and great interest is being taken in the proceedings. The plaintiff declares that if the case goes against him, he will institute proceedings against Miss Jordan for breach of promise.

Royal Yacht at Halifax.

Halifax, Sept. 24.—The royal yacht Ophir is here. In company with the big four-funnelled cruiser Diadem, she entered the harbor at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and they steamed quietly and majestically up the harbor, and Ophir going to one of the moorings off the dockyard, and the Diadem anchoring farther down the harbor. The Diadem is one of the largest warships ever seen here. The Niobe, sister ship to the Diadem arrived this morning. The Ophir will go into dry dock Wednesday, to have her bottom cleaned and painted.

LOST.

From the residence of Fred. S. Williams, Marysville, Sunday, Sept. 15, a Fox Terrier Pup. Will be known by the even marks on face. Both ears and sides of face black, leaving an even white stripe down centre, and a small round black spot in centre of forehead. Also docked tail. Any information leading to his recovery will be suitably rewarded by FRED. S. WILLIAMS, Marysville, or Barker House Stables, F'ton.—Sept. 23, d61.

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