

STREET LIGHTING.

Reports Of the St. John Experts Arrived on Saturday

AND WERE READ AT MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE.

Special Meeting of the Council Called

FOR WEDNESDAY EVENING.

The reports of H. D. Brown, who inspected the Electric Light plant of the Fredericton Gaslight Company, and Geo. L. Waring, who examined the boilers and engines, were received from St. John on Saturday evening and were read at a special meeting of the electric light committee of the council, afterwards held in Ald. Clark's office. The members of the committee are rather reticent about divulging the contents of the reports, but from Chairman Clark the Herald learned that Mr. Waring's estimate of the value of the boilers and engines was less than the value placed on them by the company. Regarding Mr. Brown's report he stated that there was not a great deal of difference between his figures and those furnished by the company. Neither gentleman made any estimate of the value of the company's buildings.

It was decided to have a special meeting of the city council called for next Wednesday evening to take action on the reports.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Movements of People in Whom Our Readers are Interested.

Miss Maud McKee is visiting friends at Sussex.

Dr James Peake, of Oromocto, was among the visitors to the city today.

Mrs Joseph Thomas of Cambridge, Mass, is a guest at Mrs D Hatt's, King street.

Mr Thos A Peters, deputy commissioner of agriculture, is fishing at Lake Utopia.

Conductor John Yerxa has severed his connection with the Canada Eastern Railway.

Mrs W C Crocker leaves next week to spend a month among her old friends at Dalhousie.

F P Layton, who has been spending a few days here, expects to return to the West tomorrow.

Mr and Mrs Enery Currie, of New York, are in the city, the guests of Miss Allen, Waterloo Row.

Mr Jos H Dickson, clerk of the executive council was at St John Saturday, on government business.

Miss McCann and Miss Taylor of the city teaching staff, were passengers to St John by boat this morning.

Mr J H Barry and Dr E B Fisher attended a meeting of the provincial board of health at St John, Saturday.

Mr W H Quinn is quite ill at his home on Westmorland street and his condition is causing considerable alarm to his friends.

Paul Mason, of Chelsea, accompanied his friend, Dr F B Gunter, to this city on Saturday, and is the guest of Mr and Mrs J B Gunter.

Col Larry Buchan, C M G, commanding the E C R, with headquarters at Toronto, has been made an honorary A D C to Lord Minto.

Miss Ida Renbens of St John arrived by boat on Saturday, and is the guest of her sister, Miss Lou Renbens at Mrs. Hatt's, King street.

Mrs G Ernest Powers arrived on the late train from Boston Saturday night, and is the guest of her father, Col. Marsh, P. M.

Mr. James Gillespie of St. John, spent Sunday at Cherry Bank, Springhill, the guest of Mr. F. B. Edgcombe, and returned home this morning.

Mr Douglas Biggs, of Boston, who has been among his friends here for some days, leaves for home this evening. Mrs Biggs and son will remain some weeks longer.

Messrs John W Davidson and Fred T Barbour of St John, are here on a yacht-

ing cruise, and are guests at Windsor Hall. They expect to leave for home tomorrow.

Miss Maud McLean, of the teaching staff of the Cambridge, Mass, schools, a young lady with many friends in this city, is visiting her brother Col. McLean, at St. John.

Mrs Sanford, Mrs W T Crocker and Miss Waterman of Providence, R I, who have been visiting Mr and Mrs F F Dow at Ravine Lodge, left for St. John by boat this morning en route home.

Rev J A Rogers went to Quebec last week to visit his son, who is on the staff of the Bank of N S at that place. The pulpit of the Methodist church was yesterday occupied by Rev J A Clarke of St John.

Mrs Spears of Caistorville, Ont., arrived from Toronto last week and is the guest of her son, Dr. Scott at the U. N. B. Mrs. Scott who has been visiting her former home in Toronto, returned with Mrs Spears.

Miss Albrigton Sampson and her friend, Miss Turner of St John, left this morning for Sackville to take a course at the Summer School of Methods, established in connection with the Mount Allison institution.

Dr and Mrs Fred B Gunter of Chelsea, Mass., arrived here by boat on Saturday to visit the doctor's parents, Mr and Mrs J B Gunter. It is needless to say that they are receiving a hearty welcome from their numerous friends.

Rev Father O'Neill of Memramcook, who spent Sunday in this city, the guest of Rev Father Carney, preached an able and instructive sermon at the high mass at St. Dunstan's church yesterday morning, which was much appreciated by the large congregation present.

SUCCESSFUL OPERATION.

John Tonar Got Rid of a Buckshot He Has Carried 35 Years.

Thirty-five years ago John Tonar, the well known truckman of this city, while out shooting, received a charge of buckshot in the left leg, from a gun accidentally discharged by a companion. Most of the shot lodged near the knee joint, and physicians succeeded in extracting all but one, which they were unable to locate. Of late the stray shot has been making its presence felt by causing Mr. Tonar a great deal of trouble and inconvenience. He consulted Dr. G. J. McNally, who after making an examination, expressed the opinion that he could remove the leaden pellet. Mr. Tonar consented to an operation and it was performed by Dr. McNally yesterday, and was entirely successful. He found the shot imbedded in the knee joint and removed it. Mr. Tonar is around today attending to business as usual, and is naturally very much pleased at the result of the operation.

Tibbitts' Great Work.

The Roses defeated the Alerts at base ball in St. John Saturday afternoon, 11 to 7, and to James Tibbitts of this city belongs the chief credit for the victory. The Sun says:

"Tibbitts was in the box for the Roses and the veteran pitched a splendid game. He seemed particularly effective against the men who have been swiping at his shoots for the past ten years, Britt, for instance, failing to get a hit and striking out twice. It was a victory for 'Dick' in more ways than one, and his hundreds of friends kept shouting words of encouragement and congratulations to him."

Dick's record included two hits, three runs, one assist, and no errors. The Alerts had the celebrated Coombs as pitcher.

To St. Ann de Beaupre.

The A. O. H. excursion to Quebec and St. Anne De Beaupre will leave Fredericton on the regular train at six p. m. tomorrow 14th. The fares are as follows: to Quebec via C. P. R. to Megantic, Quebec Central Ry. to Levis, Ferry to Quebec, returning same route, \$7.00. Returning all C.P.R. via Montreal \$9.00. To St. Anne De Beaupre and return \$7.50, if return via Montreal \$9.50. Passengers must decide before purchasing tickets, as to the route by which they desire to return. All tickets good for return until July 21st, inclusive. Passengers should purchase tickets early to avoid a rush at the train.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Horrible Death of a Child at Moncton.

Moncton, July 13.—A terrible fatality occurred on Lower Robinson street Saturday evening, by which Maggie Gaudet, aged five years, had her life crushed out. The little child was playing on the side of the street when a heavy truck team was driven along. Some men walking along the railway track near by attracted the attention of the driver for an instant, when the child appears to have walked out into the street. The first the driver saw was that she was in contact

with the front wheel of the truck which knocked her down and the hind wheel of the truck passed directly over her head, crushing it badly and causing blood to gush from the nose, ears and mouth. Death was almost instantaneous.

Speerville.

(Special correspondence to the Herald.) June 11th.—The weather is warm with pleasant showers, and the crops are growing splendidly; but the farmers think hay will be very light.

Mrs. W. J. Fowler, wife of our energetic pastor, and her young son, Grant, have gone to visit friends in St. John, and Spenbrooke, Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Wm. Gover and Mrs. Rankin Speer were visiting Mrs. Joseph Speer on Friday last.

Mr and Mrs Henry Speer and children and Mr and Mrs Robert Purvis, have returned home from visiting Mr and Mrs David Young of West Glassville.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Annie S. Kerr who has been suffering for the past four months from the effects of an operation to remove an abscess from her side, is entirely convalescent.

Mr. Clifford Speer is busily engaged building a handsome and commodious residence on his farm at Greenville.

Mrs. Catherine Crawford, of Kirkland, is visiting relatives in this place.

There was a school picnic held on the summit of Oak Mountain on June 27th. Miss May I. Freeze of Doaktown, who has been very successful in her term of teaching there, had ample preparations made for a pleasant afternoon, which was participated in by a large number, and much enjoyed by all. Miss Freeze has resigned her position and expects to enter a training school for professional nursing in Toronto. She will be much missed by the many friends she has made since she came among us three months ago.

Mrs. Burton Carr of Debec, who has been in Lowell for several months on account of her health, has returned and is visiting her mother, Mrs. Stephen Chapham.

Miss Blanche Malone of Oromocto, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. J. Speer. She expects to return home on the 18th inst.

James Crawford, a much respected citizen of Debec, died at his home of paralysis of the brain on Wednesday the 8th instant, in the 52nd year of his age. Interment took place on Friday at 10 a. m. in the Methodist cemetery at McKenzie Corner and upwards of 75 teams followed the remains to its last resting place. Rev. Thos. Sebtios conducted the services at the house and cemetery, assisted by Rev. W. J. Fowler. The deceased leaves a widow, who was Miss Peacock of Rolling Dam, four sons and two daughters to mourn the loss of a kind and loving husband and father, also a large number of relatives and friends. The pall bearers were John Ivey, Wallace Hemphill, David Hemphill and Samuel Hemphill. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved family.

Bathing Suits and Trunks.

If the young men and boys who go in bathing along the city front would each procure a nice bathing suit or trunk at Edgcombe's it would be the correct thing to do. It only costs a trifle to procure one of these garments.—d.

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D. POTTINGER,
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