

Events of a Day.

Woodward Inquest.

On account of the absence of one of the jurymen, the Woodward inquest was further postponed yesterday until Monday at three o'clock.

The Fishing Season.

The season for salmon fishing in the rivers of the province closes on Tuesday next and those caught fishing after that date are liable to a heavy penalty. Net fishermen in this vicinity report a much smaller catch than last year.

Sunday Services.

Baptist Church—Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., by Rev. Geo. R. Baker. Sunday School and Bible classes at 2.30 p.m. Prayer and praise meeting on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited to these services. Seats free.

Critically Ill.

The friends of Mr. James Crangle will regret to hear that he is critically ill at his home on King Street from kidney trouble and is not expected to recover. The last rite the church was administered this morning and his death is hourly expected.

The Second Chance.

A half witted chap named Yerxa, belonging to Mangerville, was arrested by the police last evening charged with vagrancy. He was allowed to go by the police magistrate this morning on promising to immigrate to the potatoe regions of Aroostook.

Wants Repairing

The Thompson bridge at Neshwaak, is badly in need of repairs and should receive attention of the attention of the supervisor at once. There are numbers of holes in the flooring and if not soon repaired there is danger of horses breaking their legs.

Child's Death.

Gerald T., the three month's old son of Private J. T. Monteith of the R. C. R., died at the Park Barracks last evening from cholera infantum. The funeral took place at four o'clock this afternoon with services by Canon Roberts. Interment was made in the Rural Cemetery. John G. Adams had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Not Coming Here.

The famous Black Watch Band, which sails from Liverpool next Friday for a tour of Canada, does not include Fredericton in its schedule of concerts. It is coming to Moncton and St. John, and perhaps Mr. Fenety, who is wide-awake in procuring amusements for this city, will interest himself in securing at least one performance of the famous band for Fredericton.

Going to the Woods.

Mr. Percy K. Crocker, a bright and good looking member of the New York Sun staff, arrived here yesterday on his way to the headwaters of the Little Southwest Miramichi to enjoy an outing. He is an enthusiastic amateur photographer, and his principal object in making a trip to the woods is to secure photos of live game. He has engaged the services of the veteran Henry Braithwaite as guide, and left for Boiestown with him by the Canada Eastern this afternoon.

"Count of Monte Cristo."

The Katherine Rober Stock Company put on Damas' great play "The Count of Monte Cristo" at the Opera House last evening and the big audience which greeted them shows that the piece has lost none of its popularity. Most of the parts were well taken, though the Company found it necessary to curtail some of the features. Mr. King played the title role with great ability, but the support he received was not exactly what it should have been. The Company gave a successful matinee this afternoon and conclude their engagement here this evening.

A Large Market.

Most of the farmers are through with their haying operations, consequently the market this morning was the largest for some weeks. In most lines of farm pro-

duce prices seem to have advanced since last week, and the demand was quite brisk. Spring chickens seemed to be quite a feature, and though of the light weight variety they sold quickly at 60 and 65 per pair. New hay was sold at \$12 per ton and those who ought to know say that the price will be up to \$15 before Christmas. Other lines of produce sold as follows: Butter, 17 cents; lamb, 8 and 10 cents; potatoes, 20 cents; veal, 5 and 6 cents.

THE HIGHWAY BRIDGE.

Practice of Driving Over it at a Trot Must be Stopped.

Chief Commissioner LaBillois is determined to put a stop to the practice of fast driving on the highway bridge and has instructed Caretaker Miles to keep a strict watch and report all who violate the law. The worst offenders seem to be the hackmen and they get in their work when going to and returning from the Gibson train. The Chief Commissioner caught one himself red handed a few nights ago and sharply rebuked him. The chief had arrived by the Gibson train and was on his way to the Queen Hotel at the time. It seems that the driver, when he whipped up his horses to a trot near the centre of the bridge, did not know who his passenger was, but he was enlightened shortly afterwards and it is safe to say will be more careful in future. It was a bad give way, but served a good purpose, and the moral effect on other hack drivers has not been lost.

During his recent tour in the up river counties the Chief Commissioner in all his addresses spoke strongly against the practice of fast driving over the highway bridge, and urged his hearers to assist in putting a stop to it.

The Silver Slipper.

John C. Fisher's big production of the musical comedy "The Silver Slipper," by the authors of "Floradora," comes to the opera house on Monday, September 5th, (Labor Day). The cast contains many clever performers, while there is a large chorus. In its equipment of gorgeous scenery and beautiful costumes, the production, it is claimed, surpasses all former efforts in this line, and it is in point of numbers and equipment, one of, if not the largest, musical organizations ever conceived for a travelling tour, embracing as it does one hundred members. The sale of seats will open on Monday morning next at Wilkes' confectionery store.—d.

Long Canoeing Trip.

A party of Boston gentlemen, composed of Messrs. D. W. Bradt, R. M. Miller and W. J. Arnold, arrived in the city last evening, having made the trip from Grand Falls in canoes. They started from the Falls on Saturday last and camped along the route. They did not have the services of a guide, and though the river was new to them they made the run without mishap. It goes without saying that they had a very pleasant outing and are delighted with the river and scenery. The party will leave for Magaguadavic this evening to spend a few days before returning to the Hub.

Band Concert.

The Fredericton Brass Band rendered the following excellent program on the up town band stand last evening:
March—Caba Temple.
Serenade—Baritone Solo, "Starlit Night."
Overture—Encore.
Cornet Solo—I Dreamed a Dream.
March—The Copper Queen.
Concert Waltzes—In Dreamland.
Serenade—Love's Response. (By request.)
Overture—Idyllic.
March—The Canadian Club.
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Mrs. Charles Moffat and her friend Miss Blair of Boston, have returned from a pleasant visit to Dumfries, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Scott.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of People in Whom Our Readers are Interested.

Mrs. D. A. Morrison of St. Stephen, is at the Queen.

Mr. H. W. DeForest of St. John, is a guest at the Queen.

Mr. J. C. Allen returned yesterday from a trip to Montreal.

Mr. John Anderson ex-M. P. P. of the Barony, is in the city today.

City Clerk McCready went to St. John, this morning to spend Sunday.

Mrs. F. G. Walker of Newcastle, is among the guests at Long's Hotel.

Mr. J. R. Haycock of the Dominion Express Company, returned to St. John this morning.

Mr. W. B. Bishop traveller for Green-shields & Son, Montreal, is among the guests at the Queen.

Matters Kenneth and Massie White of St. John, who have been spending the summer here returned home this morning.

Mrs. W. Fred Nicholson and her children of St. Stephen, are visiting her mother, Mrs. L. A. Belyea at Gibson, for a few days.

Lieut. A. E. G. McKenzie of Campbellton, completed a special course of instruction at the R. C. R. today, and returned home by the Canada Eastern this afternoon.

Mr. Winslow Staples late of Sydney, but now of Halifax, arrived here this morning to spend Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Joan Staples, King Street.

Miss Ella Rossborough of the Herald composing staff, left this morning to visit her brother, Mr. Robert B. Rossborough, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Sussex.

Mr. Arthur V. Branscombe who has just returned from a trip to Europe will arrive this evening to spend Sunday with his family who will return with him to St. John with him on Tuesday.

Miss Mary A. Doohan, Mrs. George W. Swinimer and Miss Dorothy Doohan, who have been spending a very pleasant outing at Rockdale Hotel, King's County, returned home today after a most enjoyable holiday trip.

Married in South Africa.

Cable advices from Pretoria, South Africa, announce the marriage of Miss A. L. Carr, of St. John, step daughter of Rev. John DeSoyres, to Mr. Charles John Gyde, of Pretoria. The wedding took place in St. Alban's Cathedral on Wednesday, the Right Rev. Lord Bishop of Pretoria officiating, assisted by Rev. Canon Sidwell. Miss Carr, who was one of the most successful Canadian volunteer teachers in South Africa, came home on a visit and only recently returned to South Africa. Her husband is an engineer employed in the Public Works department and they will reside at Ermelo.—Globe.

L. O. A.

The quarterly meeting of York Co. Loyal Orange Lodge will be held with Pickard Lodge No. 40, at Marysville, on Tuesday evening, 16th inst., at 7.30 o'clock.

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