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WAS IT MURDER?

Two Boys, One of Them Nephew of St. John Lady, Supposed to be Drowned, Now Believed to be Victims of Foul Crime.

St. John, N. B., June 23.—The murder case at Sharbot Lake, Ontario, one of which two lads, Babcock and Martin, were believed to have been murdered by two Indians, has developed a local interest as Babcock was a nephew of Mrs. H. W. Belding of this city.

The boys disappeared four years ago, and it was always supposed they were drowned in Sharbot Lake. Recently a woman, Mrs. Neddo told the Chief Police of Kingston that the

boys were murdered by two Indians named Beaver and Bradore and the bodies buried. Search at the place indicated, resulted in the discovering of bones. Bradore, one of the Indians accused, is now in Kingston penitentiary for shooting a peddler and the police are searching for Beaver. Mrs. Belding has always supposed her nephew was drowned and the murder story came as a great surprise.

A VALUABLE ESTATE.

Late G. T. Whelpley Left Property Valued at \$26,040 --Will Admitted to Probate.

The will of the late Mr. George T. Whelpley of this city, has been admitted to probate, and letters testamentary have been granted to Messrs. A. J. Gregory, K. C., and Charles W. Whelpley, who are named as executors. The estate was sworn at \$26,040, of which \$12,840 represents real estate and the balance personal property.

The real estate consists of the homestead on Waterloo Row, a farm at Lincoln, a warehouse, in the Barker House, store on Queen street, known as Oak Hall (leasehold), a farm at Greenwood, Kings County and a farm at Doak Settlement, all free from encumbrances. The personal property consists of stock in trade, book debts, etc. The grocery business carried on by the deceased, is bequeathed to his

son Charles W. Whelpley, and his daughter Miss May Whelpley, the first named to have two-thirds and the latter one-third. The homestead is bequeathed to Mr. C. W. Whelpley and the Oak Hall property to Miss Whelpley. A government bond of \$1,000 is bequeathed to Mr. C. W. Whelpley. An insurance policy of \$3,000 in the Royal Templars is divided as follows: \$1,000 to Miss May Whelpley, \$1,000 to Mrs. C. W. Whelpley and \$1,000 to Mr. A. J. Gregory in trust for Frank Whelpley, grandson of the testator. The household furniture and all the residue of the estate, both real and personal is divided equally between the testator's son and daughter. The will is dated July 2nd, 1895, and is witnessed by Judge Gregory and J. S. Millican.

OLD TIMES RECALLED.

A Glance Into the Local News of Fredericton Twenty-Six Years Ago.

(From the Farmer Files June 24, 1890.)

PERSONAL.

Dr. Frank Steeves of St. John, is in town, the guest of Dr. Brown. Maurice Mullin has opened a hair dressing saloon opposite the Brayley House.

John S. Harrison, of Sheffield, has carried off the alumni gold medal at the University. Mr. J. Douglas Hazen, B. A., is to deliver the valedictory address on behalf of the graduating class of '79 at the University today.

TELEPHONIC.

Telephone communication has been established between the western Union Telegraph office in this city and Mr. Gibson's residence, Marysville.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

The Methodist church at Smith's Corner, Parish of Bright, was struck by lightning Monday evening and the spire and front of the building were materially damaged.

McKEEN'S CORNER FIRE.

Mr. James Kennedy's house at McKee's Corner, Parish of Douglas, was totally destroyed by fire with nearly all of its contents on Monday afternoon. The fire originated from a defective flue. Insurance \$1400.

BAND EXCURSION.

The Reform Club Band excursion to Calais and St. Stephen, starting on the 2nd of July and returning on the 5th, is the most popular thing inaugurated here for a large time and a large number of people will take established between the Western Union of the band, has been to Calais and made all arrangements for the reception of the visitors.

DIVORCE SUIT.

Clayton vs. Clayton, a suit for divorce, came up for hearing before Mr. Justice Fisher on Tuesday. The circumstances of the affair are briefly as follows:

Daniel Clayton was married to Miss Clarissa E. Harris, a daughter of Rev. William Harris, a Baptist minister at Douglas, in 1869, and the two lived together at different places for several years, until the wife, tiring of her spouse, left his bed and board, and went to live as wife to one Gilbert, who until recently resided in this city, but has gone to the United States, accompanied by Mrs. Clayton. Clayton sued for divorce and the case came up on Tuesday. Mrs. Clayton did not appear, the charge against her was proved and a divorce granted. Mr. George F. Gregory was counsel for plaintiff.

MILITIA APPOINTMENTS.

The Canada Gazette of Saturday contains the following promotions in the 71st battalion:
To be Major-Captain and Brevet Major, Jeremiah Staples of No. 2 Company, vice-Brevet Lieut. Col. W. S. Morris, who is placed on the retired list.
No. 2. Company, St. Mary's.—To be Captain, Lieut. William Anderson Barker, vice Staples promoted.
To be Lieutenant, 2nd Lieut. Jared Boone, vice Barker promoted.
To be second Lieutenant, Col. Sergeant Thomas V. Clayton, vice Boone promoted.

No. 5 Company, Fredericton.—To be captain, Lieut. Thomas George Johnston Loggie, M. S., vice Henry Adams Cropley, who is hereby permitted to retire, retaining rank.
To be Lieutenant, Richard Monkman Pinder, M. S., vice Loggie, promoted.
To be second Lieutenant, Color Sergeant John Douglas Hazen, M. S., vice Pinder, promoted.

UNIVERSITY ALUMNI.

The annual meeting of the University alumni was held last night in the college library, with the president Dr. A. B. Atherton, in the chair. Prominent among the members present were Mr. Justice Fisher, Dr. Bailey, Dr. Jack, Rev. G. G. Roberts, Rev. C. H. Paisley, William

Crocket and E. L. Wetmore. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

President—Dr. A. B. Atherton.
Vice Presidents—Rev. C. H. Paisley, Dr. Bailey, H. S. Bridges.
Secretary-treasurer—J. A. Vanwart.

Council—Dr. F. E. Barker, G. Fred Fisher, Rev. G. G. Roberts, E. L. Wetmore, William Crockett, G. Herbert Lee, G. R. Parkin.
Representatives to the Senate—Dr. F. E. Barker and William Pugsley.

MARRIAGES.

In this city on June 21st, William R. Saunders to Clarissa A. Crockett, both of Gladstone, Sunbury.

DEATHS.

In this city, June 18th, Mosella S. only and beloved child of M. S. and Panny Hall, aged six years and four months.
At St. Mary's, June 22nd, William Good, a native of County Cork, aged 92 years.

ASSIGNED PULPITS.

Members of Methodist Conference to Occupy Evangelical Pulpits Tomorrow.

Following is the list of the different ministers of the Methodist conference who will occupy the pulpits in Gibson, Fredericton and Marysville churches tomorrow.

Fredericton—Brunswick St. Baptist Rev. Geo. L. Dawson, 11 a. m.; Rev. J. C. Berrie, 7 p. m.
Gibson St. Baptist—Rev. Thomas Pearce 11 a. m.; Rev. H. D. Marr, 7 p. m.

MARYSVILLE.

Methodist—Rev. W. W. Lodge, 11 a. m.; Rev. S. D. Chown D.D. 7 p. m.

United Baptist—Rev. G. Ayers, 11 a. m.; Rev. C. H. Manaton, 7 p. m.
Baptist—Rev. Hugh Miller 3 p. m.
Reform Baptist—Rev. J. B. Young 7 p. m.

GIBSON.

Broadway Baptist—Rev. J. F. Estey—11 a. m.; Rev. W. E. Johnson, 7 p. m.
Neill St. Baptist—Rev. Thomas Pierce, 11 a. m.; Rev. Henry Pierce 7 p. m.

Methodist—Rev. J. C. Berrie 11 a. m.; Rev. J. R. King, 7 p. m.

BRITISH ARMY VETERANS.

Made Presentation to Sir Charles Parsons—Old Colors Placed in Their Keeping.

Halifax, June 23: (Special)—The Royal British veterans' society at a meeting last night, presented a large photograph of themselves to General Sir Charles Parsons, who soon leaves for England.

They also gave him an address at the same meeting. The colors presented by the maritime members of parliament to the Halifax Provisional battalion, as it passed through Otter river yesterday, to the northwest at the time of the Riel rebellion in 1885, were presented to the veterans' society for safe keeping.

UNPLEASANT RUMOR.

Report that Irregularities Have Been Found in Bank of Nova Scotia Agency at Woodstock.

Woodstock, N. B., June 23.—(Special)—Rumor has it that certain irregularities appeared in the accounts of a few clerks in the branch of the bank of Nova Scotia here.

Assistant Inspector Hammett of Toronto who was here and conducted an investigation, left for home yesterday. The manager upon being interviewed this morning, declined to give any information, and the rumors consequently cannot be verified.

GONE TO CAMP.

St. John, June 23.—(Special)—The army service corps, Major A. E. Massie, of Fredericton, in command, left this morning for camp Sussex.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Two young men who do business on Queen street, had a rather exciting experience on the river yesterday. They were out yachting when a squall struck their craft and capsized it. The young men clung desperately to the bottom of the craft until some employees of the Boom Company put off in a boat and rescued them.

Mr. William Lemont, who has been in Boston attending the closing exercises of the conservatory of music, where his son, Wilmont, graduated, returned home today.

THE CITY SCHOOLS.

Interesting Closing Exercises Witnessed by Many Spectators—Graduating Class and Prize Winners at High School—The Addresses.

(For Honor List see elsewhere.) The public schools of the city closed at noon today and teachers and students have entered upon a well earned vacation of nine weeks. Nobody begrudges it to them and all will unite with the Herald in the earnest wish that they will thoroughly enjoy the respite from their work.

The public examinations in the several departments took place this morning and attracted a very large crowd of visitors. The pupils were examined on subjects taught during the term and acquitted themselves in a manner most creditable to themselves and their hard-working and painstaking instructors. Fredericton is proud of her public school system and has every reason to be.

The honor certificates won by the pupils during the term were presented at the York street, Charlotte street and Model schools by Secretary Sampson, and Mrs. Lynch discharged that pleasant duty at the Regent street school. A list of the winners will be found in another part of this issue.

THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The closing exercises of the High school were as usual carried out in the assembly hall of the York street building and were exceedingly interesting. The walls and ceiling of the hall had been very prettily decorated by the students and presented a bright and attractive appearance. The High School colors were festooned from the ceiling with a beautiful floral bell for a centre piece, and the walls were fringed with evergreens. The High School motto colors and class numeral loomed up conspicuously.

Dr. Atherton, chairman of the school board, occupied the chair and others on the platform included Rev. J. H. MacDonald, Rev. Father Carney, Dr. Bailey, Chancellor Harrison George A. Inch, Principal Foster, Prof. Kidner, John J. Weddall, Dr. Vanwart, Mrs. W. G. Clarke, J. M. Palmer.

The proceedings opened with a chorus by the students, followed by an address from Principal Foster. The latter expressed pleasure at seeing such a large attendance, and extended to all a most cordial welcome. He dealt at some length with the work of the school, and was inclined to think that there were almost too many subjects to crowd into a three years course, and at the same time do justice to the students. He was inclined to think that to get over the difficulty it might be necessary before long to extend the course to four years. The principal also referred to some important additions made to the school library during the term.

A. M. Knight gave a reading, after which the students rendered in chorus "Come where the Fields are Beaming." J. L. Feeney gave a French recitation which elicited very hearty applause. J. W. Estey read the valedictory for the graduating class and acquitted himself exceedingly well.

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Ashley A. Colter was announced as the winner of the Coulthard Memorial medal for natural science, and the presentation was made in felicitous terms by Dr. Bailey. Mr. Colter was also announced as the winner of the Mathematical prize, presented by the U. N. B. Senate, and it was presented to him by Mr. George A. Inch.

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The Class of 1905 prize for history was presented by Dr. Creed to Miss Florence May Morton.

The class of 1905 Consolation prize for the highest general average was presented to John Louis Feeney by Rev. Father Carney.

Mr. J. W. Spurden. The members of the graduating class were then called to the front and presented with certificates in the following order:

THE GRADUATING CLASS, 1906.

FULL COURSE—DIVISION I.

Ashley Alexander Colter.
Elsie Vera Vanwart.
Albert Matthew Knight.
John Louis Feeney.
Archibald Randolph Babbitt.

DIVISION II.

Harriet Mabel Lister.
Josephine Maude Matthews.
Fannie Iola Steeves.
Cora Alice Macmahon.
Norman Edgar Cook.
James Wilfrid Estey.
Jennie Muriel Burpee.
Jean Eliza Saunders.
Kenneth Mowatt Campbell.
Helen Waycott Coulthard.
Myrtle Pauline Miles.

DIVISION III.

John James Gibson.
Edwin Ruthven Blackmore.

STUDENTS WHO OMITTED LATIN OR FRENCH.

Florence May Morton.
Walter Wallace Peppers.
Robert Joseph Rush.
Roy Coburn Burpee.
Annie Gertrude Smith.
Raymond Robert Stevenson.

ENGLISH COURSE.

Luke Stewart Morrison.
Gordon Roderick Brewer.
Partial student—Miss Hazel Emma Winter.

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