

LOCAL NEWS

FINED FIVE DOLLARS.

A man from Springhill was summoned to appear at the Police Court this morning for using abusive language to a lady of that place. He did not show up and after hearing the evidence of the plaintiff His Honor fined the man five dollars and costs.

YORK APPOINTMENTS

The last issue of the Royal Gazette, contains the following appointments:
In the County of York—David Lind say to be a Commissioner of the Parish of Bright civil court, in place of Thomas Morris, removed from the parish.
Samuel Allen to be a justice of the peace.

TO START RANCHING.

Mr. Walter Blair, of the Hart Boot & Shoe Co., and Mr. A. Holmes of the Yexxa Grocery Co., who left on the harvesters' excursion, Tuesday, for Alberta where they will be joined in February by another Fredericton young man, will start a ranch.

Y. M. C. A. OF U. N. B.

The Y. M. C. A. of the University has undertaken to secure boarding houses for the new men, and those who have accommodation for college students, will kindly address F. L. Orchard, city, stating terms and other particulars. He will be pleased to send your name along to those seeking boarding places.

HOUSING THE HOMELESS.

Dr. Bruce Miles, son of Mr. A. R. Miles of Margerville, is chairman of the housing committee at Cranbrook, B. C., looking after the 1,500 to 2,000 people who fled to that town from Fernie after the recent fire. Dr. Miles in a note to a friend says he never worked so hard in his life.

WIRES DAMAGED.

A large portion of a tree which stands at the lower side of the Officers' Square was blown down this morning and fell across the Gas Company's wires on Queen Street. Workmen are busy today repairing the damage and may have the lights on tonight, though Mr. Morrison stated this morning the lower portion of the city might be in darkness for a couple of nights so far as the incandescent lights were concerned.

MISS PETTICOATS.

"Miss Petticoats" was the attraction at the Opera House last evening and no bill put on here for sometime was more successful. The play was put on by a company who know their business and the performance throughout was of exceptional merit.

The costumes were both handsome and appropriate, and were the subject of much favorable comment by the audience.

RECENT WEDDINGS.

A very pleasant event took place last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kierstead at Nashwaakasis, when their daughter Ida A., was united in marriage to Lewis E. Smith. The bride was prettily attired in white batiste and carried a bouquet of white sweet peas. Rev. Mr. Boyer tied the knot in the presence of immediate friends and relatives. Among the many beautiful presents was a brass clock and card receiver from the United Baptist choir of which the bride had been a valued member. Mr. and Mrs. Smith will make their future home in Milltown, Maine.

On Monday afternoon last Mr. William McFawn and Mrs. Maria Kingston, both of Doak Settlement were united in marriage by Rev. J. H. MacDonald. The happy couple will reside at Doak Settlement.

Frank Parker of Morrison's Mill, and Miss Nellie Storey of Doaktown, were married last evening by Rev. Dr. McLeod.

Mr. Harry D. Fass of Marysville and Miss Dolster of Gibson were united in marriage last evening by Rev. Willard MacDonald. The happy couple will reside at Marysville.

DEATH AT KESWICK.

The death took place at Keswick at an early hour this morning of Mrs. Susan Jewett, widow of the late Isaac Jewett of that place after a lengthy illness from the infirmities of old age. The deceased lady was 87 years of age and is survived by two sons, Messrs. Thomas Jewett of Keswick Ridge and Alfred Jewett of Douglas, also three daughters, Mrs. George Howland and Mrs. James Wilson of Macquac and Mrs. Alexander Barr of Reading, Mass.

The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at three thirty o'clock. Services will be conducted at the late home of the deceased by Rev. Mr. Ross and interment will be made at the Keswick Cemetery. J. G. Adams has charge of the funeral arrangements.

MR. WHITTAKER HONORED.

Word was received at St. John last evening from Wickford Jet, Mass., to the effect that W. C. Whittaker, assistant post office inspector of New Brunswick, had been elected most worthy templar of the Supreme Council, Temple of Honor, at the meeting of the Council there yesterday. This is the highest office in the order and is a great distinction for the St. John man.

THE U. N. B. VACANCY.

The University Senate will meet on Thursday next, the 20th instant, to fill the vacancy in the University faculty caused by the resignation of Professor Perriott dean of the Engineer Department.

CHANGE OF LOCATION

School of Manual Training to be Removed to High School Building

At the special meeting of the school trustee board yesterday afternoon a letter was read from Rev. Dean Schofield notifying the board that the Madras School building on King Street which has recently been under lease to the trustees and used as the home for the manual training department of the city schools, would no longer be available for that purpose as it was wanted for church purposes.

The finding of a new location for the department presented a serious problem to the trustees, as all available rooms in the school buildings are already occupied. It was finally decided to fit up a portion of the High School Assembly hall for manual training and it will be ready for the next term.

It is understood that the Board regretted having to take this course as the Assembly Hall has been largely used by the High School for examination day, Empire day and other exercises, but no other place appeared available for the manual training school.

It is hoped however that this arrangement will be only temporary, as an assembly hall is much needed by the High School and if the usual semi-annual and other exercises that have been held in the present hall are continued, some other building will have to be utilized for that purpose.

SCOTCH SETTLEMENT.

Aug. 12—The majority of our farmers have finished haying and report a very good yield.

The grain is looking better since the recent rain. Some have already begun to harvest their oats.

A slight shock of earthquake was felt in this section on Saturday last about 7 a. m.

Our Sunday school is still being well attended but there seems to be a scarcity of teachers just now. There is to be a picnic for the S. S. in the near future probably on Thursday of next week.

Mrs. Samuel Allen has been spending the last week visiting her former home at Durham Bridge. She is expected to return today.

Miss Mac Nagerman of Fredericton is visiting at her uncle's, Mr. George Hagerman.

Miss Hattie R. Hagerman is visiting relatives at Andover.

Miss Margaret C. Reid has gone to Brookville, Carleton County to take charge of the school there.

The Misses Clayton of Fredericton are spending their vacation at their old home here.

SOCIAL TODAY.

The Brunswick Street United Baptist Sunday School were to have gone down river by Steamer Victoria this morning on their annual picnic, but had to call the affair off owing to the rain. The pupils and teachers are holding a social party at the Y. M. C. hall this afternoon and evening, and are going to get even with the good things just the same as though the rain had not taken place.

ARRESTED TODAY.

A man with a wooden leg was arrested this afternoon by Chief Winter and Officer Phillips for unseemly conduct on the public street.

REMAINS COMING HERE.

The remains of the late Mrs. P. J. Phelan will be brought here for burial and will probably arrive on Saturday.

A journalist at a dinner was talking to William Dean Howells about literary fame.

But, after all said Mr. Howells, with his gentle smile, literary fame is not so very highly regarded by the people is it? I remember when I was in San Remo some years ago seeing in a French newspaper a notice that bears upon this question.

It was a notice inserted by a rat-trap maker of Lyons, and it said:

"To Whom it May Concern—M. Pierre Loti of Lyons, inventor of the automatic rat-trap, begs to state that he is not the same person, and that he has nothing in common with one Pierre Loti, a writer."

Many a man gets the upper hand by dealing it to himself from the bottom of the deck.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of People in whom our Readers are Interested.

Messrs. Frank and Edward Falvey of South Boston, who have been spending the week in Fredericton and vicinity, will return on Saturday, going via St. John.

Miss Margaret Dryden of St. John, who has been visiting Miss A. Aenas Planagan, Charlotte street, will return home Saturday morning.

Hon. Messrs. Fleming and Grimmer of the provincial government, are here on departmental business.

Mr. Troner and wife of Taunton, Mass arrived in the city last evening in their automobile. They will remain until tomorrow and will visit St. John and elsewhere in the province.

Mr. G. Wetmore Merritt of St. John is at the Queen.

Mr. F. Ansley of Toronto is at the Queen today.

Rev. G. M. Campbell was among the visitors in the city yesterday and was a guest at Mr. W. T. Whitehead's.

THE METHODIST PICNIC.

The Methodist Sunday School picnic which was to have been held today had to be postponed on account of the rain. Weather permitting it will be held tomorrow at the same place. If the weather is unfavorable in the schoolroom of the church and on Friday a tea meeting will be held all members of the school are to be admitted and given their suppers. Outsiders will be charged ten cents for admission and twenty-five cents for tea.

The opening night for roller skating (last Monday night) at the Arctic Rollaway, proved to be a big success. The next band night will be on Friday and a much larger crowd is expected. Every person attending will be presented with a bag of candy. Admission 10c. Skates, 15c. Aug. 13—d11.

THE WEATHER.

Fresh southerly to westerly winds, showers and local thunder storms.
Friday, moderate to fresh to northwest to north winds, showery but partly fair.

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A Big Production of Great Dramatic Worth

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Dramatized from the Popular Book of the same Name.

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THIS POWERFUL PLAY
THIS GRAND REPRODUCTION
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Prices—25, 35, 50 and 75 Cents.
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\$6.00 Suit for	-	-	-	\$4.25

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The kind the other fellow asks \$2.25 for.

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