LOCAL EVENTS.

The News of the City and Vicinity

SINCE YESTERDAY.

General, Social, Personal and Poltical Items of Interest.

Slight Fire.

John Bolster's residence at Gibson was slightly damaged by fire at noon today.

New Potatoes.

New potatoes were brought to the market this morning and disposed of at fifty cents per peck.

Camp Life.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Hawthorne and a few of their lady friends are enjoying camp life this week at that delightful retreat "The Birches."

A Sad Case.

Miss Maud Hartt, whose mental condition has recently showed signs of unbalancing, was taken to the P. L. Asylum at Fairville this morning.

Band Concert.

The Fredericton Brass Band will give an open air concert on Parliament Square this evening, weather permitting, commencing at eight o'clock.

Police Court.

The hearing on the North Lake rape case has been postponed by Col. Marsh until Monday next to enable the prosecution to call an additional witness.

Threw up the Job.

An Ottawa despatch says that Gilmor Brown, C. E., of this city, appointed by Hon. A. G. Blair to investigate the cattle guard question, will not act, and that another appointment will be made.

The Temple Estate.

Letters of administration in the estate of the late Senator Temple have been granted to Mr. Allen H. F. Randolph, in place of the late Hon. A. F. Randolph, who was sole executor of the will. Mr. J. W. McCready proctor.

An Adjournment.

The Supreme Court was to have met to-day for the delivery of judgments, but as it was impossible for some of the of the members of the bench to be present, Judge Gregory declared the court futher adjourned till Aug. 8th.

Bitten by a Dog.

Marion, a little daughter of Capt. and Mrs. J. H. Hawthorn, was bitten by a dog while playing on the road at Kingsclear near "The Birches," a few days ago. The savage brute imbedded his teeth in her thigh, inflecting an ugly and painful wound.

The Haying Season.

A great many of the farmers in the vicinity of the city, have commenced haying and report the crop to be about up to the average. What they need very badly just now is an occasional fine day to permit them to get the crop housed in good condition. All crops are reported to be looking well for the time of year.

Met Their Solicitor.

The directors of the Fredericton Deaf and Dumb Institute held a conference with A. J. Gregory, their solicitor in the investigation now being conducted by Commissioner Barry, at his office last evening. There were some half dozen of the directors present, but they decline to give out any information in regard to what took place.

Still in Capetown.

E. Byron Winslow this morning received a letter from his son, Capt. J. J. F. Winslow of the 71st, who went to South Africa as an officer in the fourth Canadian contingent. It was written and mailed at Capetown on June 16th and stated among other things that the officers and men of the contingent were being well treated. Capt. Winslow stated that his regiment was under orders to return to Canada and intimated that he would cable his father on the day of his departure. As no word has been received by wire it is presumed that the start has not yet been made.

Mr. Pitts on the Road.

H. H. Pitts, proprietor of the Reporter, has leased his job printing office to his foreman, William M. Clark, and has accepted a position as traveller for the Sunlight Gas Company of Montreal, of which he has been the local agent for some time. His sister-in-law, Miss McLeod, is looking after the publication of the Reporter. It is generally understood that of late years Mr. Pitts has derived more revenue from the gas business than from his journalistic ventures, and it would not be surprising if belong long he should shortly dispose of his business here. It is noit he intention, as far as can be learned, to remove his family from Fredericton in the near future.

HOSPITAL AUTHORITIES

Acknowledge the Receipt of $500.60 from Proceeds of Ball Game, Mr. Giles' and Other Donations.

The Hospital authorities naturally feel under obligation to all the ladies and gentleman who assisted in making the recent "Hospital" base ball game such a pronounced success. The originator of the undertaking, Mr. F. S. Hilyard, has invariably been successful in the various philanthropic schemes in which he has been engaged, and in this instance he was ably supported by our leading citizens, For general information the following statement of receipts and expenditures is published.

From sale of tickets.....	$237 60	
Donation of CH Giles, Kingsclear.....	200 00	
		$437 60
Gross receipts young ladies table, (including donations Mr McCafery $5.00 and McKee & Sons $1.00) per Mrs Hilyard treasurer.....	74 60	
Expenses as per vouchers	20 60	
		54 00
The following contributed $1.00 each to make up the $500 for the X-ray plant—The Gleaner, F St. John Bliss, A. H. F. Randolph, M. Tennant, C. F. Chestnut, J. H. Hawthorn F. B. Edgecombe, A. W. Edgecombe, T. Carleton Allen.....		9 00
		$500 60

CHAS. A. SAMPSON.
Sec'y Treas.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Movements of People in Whom Our Readers are Interested.

Mrs A E Hanson has arrived from a pleasant sojourn at Raime Lodge, Kingsclear.

Hon A G Blair, who has been enjoying a yachting cruise with Robt Thompson on the St John river and Grand Lake, will spend the next ten days with his family at Duck's Cove.

Miss Brown of Bathurst, who attended the Teachers' institute here, and has since been visiting friends at Kingsclear, returned to her home by the Canada Eastern this afternoon.

Miss McNally, Miss Perley and Miss Parker, hailing from Fredericton, were among those who left St. John Wednesday on the first C. P. R. western excursion party of the season.

Miss May Eaton, daughter of Albion Eaton of Calais, and niece of Mrs F. B. Edgecombe of this city, has been successfully operated on for appendictis at the Chipman Memorial Hospital, St. Stephen.

Charles Babbitt of the Bank of N. S., staff who has been temporarily filling a position in the staff of the Bank of N.S. at Liverpool, has returned home and resumed his duties in the Fredericton agency.

Successful Business Trip.

Robert Scott, manager of the Fredericton and Woodstock Steamboat Company, was in the city yesterday, having just returned from a collecting tour up river in the interests of his concern. In company with Purser Sharp Mr. Scott called at the residences of the Aberdeen's patrons living on both sides of the river between Fredericton and Woodstock, and strange to say found that only three persons for whom they had freight accounts were absent from home. And stranger still, those who were at home, without a single exception, squared up their bills on presentation and complimented the manager on the excellent service given by the company. The steamer Aberdeen is now at St. John undergoing repairs, and upon her return to Fredericton in the course of a few days will be available for picnic parties and excursionists on reasonable terms.

Having a Hot Time.

The St. John Globe says:—It is reported that as the result of the fracas which took place on Tuesday between Mr. Woodbridge, of the deaf and dumb institution, now undergoing investigation, and Mr. C. J. Milligan, who is instrutmental in pressing the charges, legal proceedings had been instituted. Mr. Woodbridge to-day said this was not true; he had not yet decided what course he would pursue. He said it was true he had some words with Mr. Miligan, and that he had called him a liar, whereupon Mr. Milligan struck him in the face. Mr. Woodbridge also declared that Mr. A. E. Macintyre also struck him because he was reminded he was no gentleman. Fortunately for all concerned these "irregular proceedings" did not occur in the court of inquiry but on the stairs and in the hall.

MR RANDOLPH'S WILL

Disposes of an Estate Valued at $143,170.

SPLENDID GIFTS TO CHARITABLE OBJECTS.

Residue of Estate After Provision for Widow

TO BE EQUALLY DIVIDED AMONG CHILDREN OF DECEASED.

Judge Barry came up from St. John last evening and held a special sitting of the York County Probate Court, at which the will of the late Hon. A. F. Randolph was filed and letters testamentary granted to the widow and three sons of the deceased, Allan, Robert and Charles, the executrix and executors named in the will.

The estate is entered for probate at $19,800.00 real, and $123,370 personal property.

After payment of debts, funeral and testamentary expenses, legacies, annuities and bequests and providing for Mrs Randolph, the residue of the estate is to be equally divided between the three sons and two daughters of the deceased.

Other bequests are as follows:

Victoria Hospital, Fredericton, N B, to be invested by the Trustees and the income applied and used in permanently endowing a "free bed" in said hospital.....	$5,000 00
Fredericton Baptist church.....	1,000 00
Baptist Foreign Mission Board..	1,000 00
Baptist Home " " ..	1,000 00
Baptist Ministerial annuity.....	1.000 00
British Foreign Bible Society, Fredericton branch.....	1,000 00
Susan McCallum, sister.....	5,000 00
F. Weyland Porter, Fredericton	1,000 00
R L Phillips of Fredericton.....	250 00
William Davis, coachman.....	500 00
William Carten, gardener.....	500 00
Hugh O'Brien, employee..	250 00
Charles Manzer, "	250 00

Francis Banks, $100 00 annuity.

Sarah L FitzRandolph an annuity of $300.00.

Mr. James W. McCready is proctor for the estate.

The succession duties on the estate payable to the government will amount to over $7,000.

M A Hagerman, of Bear Island, and Ex Councillor Jewett, of Keswick Ridge, are guests at Long's Hotel.

A Driving Outfit for Sale.

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LATEST IN ART.

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