

LOCAL NEWS

TRUSTEE REAPPOINTED.

At the city council last evening it was announced that Mr. James T. Sharkey's term as school trustee had expired. Mr. Sharkey was again appointed.

RACES CANCELLED.

Local horsemen have been notified that the Chatham races have been cancelled owing to lack of entries. The string of horses now at Woodstock will probably be shipped back to this city.

OFFICIAL VISIT.

Chief Commissioner Morrissey, Surveyor General Grimmer and Chief Superintendent of Education Carter made an inspection of the Normal School today with the idea of looking over possible changes.

COUNCIL PHOTOGRAPHED.

The members of the York County council and county officers assembled at Harvey's studio this afternoon and had a group photograph taken. Warden Hinchee, Couns. Croxley and Morgan and several other veterans intend dropping out of municipal politics this year.

PURCHASED A FARM.

Mr. Harry Johnston, who recently purchased a farm and large amount of stock at Lunt's Ferry, has disposed of the property to Conductor J. D. Yerxa. It is understood that Conductor Yerxa intends retiring from the railway service in a short time and go into farming.

MARRIED IN THE WEST.

The marriage took place at Stettler, Alberta, today of J. Weldon Alvie, a leading farmer of that place and formerly of Moncton, to Miss Alberta Jamieson, B. A. The bride was at one time a resident of this city and is a graduate of the U. N. B. She has been teaching in Alberta for several years.

WANT A POUND.

The residents of the lower end of the city want a pound. The matter was brought up at last evening's meeting of the city council by Alderman Jewett. It was decided to have a committee of four consisting of the Mayor and Aldermen Jewett, Kitchen and Calder look into the matter of the cost and the location of a suitable place.

A number of cows are running at large in the vicinity of the mills and it was the idea that a pound located at the junction of the river road and the Wilsey road could be erected at a reasonable cost and a pound keeper secured to look after stray cattle.

TEACHER REMEMBERED.

At the public examination June 30th, the scholars of the advanced department of the Keswick Ridge Superior school, presented their teacher, Miss Julia Buchanan, who is about leaving them, with a handsome watch fob, accompanied by an address, in token of her services as teacher, and of the high esteem in which she is held by them. Miss Buchanan was taken greatly by surprise, but in a brief reply thanked the scholars for their kindness, and assuring them of her continued interest in their future welfare and prosperity. She is well liked by both scholars and parents of the district.

MR. LENIHAN'S FUNERAL.

The remains of the late John S. Lenihan, whose tragic death took place at Miami, Florida, on Friday last, arrived here by C. P. R. at noon today and were taken to the residence of his father, Mr. Daniel Lenihan, King street. Mr. A. T. Holmes, C. E., a friend of the deceased young man accompanied the remains to this city and Mrs. Frank McCafferty, aunt of the late Mr. Lenihan, also came from Boston to attend the funeral.

The funeral will take place on Friday morning from the residence of Mr. D. Lenihan, King street. Service will be conducted at St. Dunstan's church at 9 o'clock and interment at the Hermitage.

AN ELOQUENT SERMON.

Dr. A. G. Hoben, professor of Homiletics in the University of Chicago, son of Mr. T. E. Hoben of Gibson, preached an eloquent and inspiring sermon Sunday night before the congregation of the Ludlow street Baptist church, St. John. Although but a young man, Dr. Hoben is gifted with exceptional powers, and he had no difficulty in holding the close attention of his hearers throughout a discussion that was listened to with much pleasure and interest. Dr. Hoben spoke from the words: "I came not to judge the world, but to save sinners," taken from the twelfth chapter of St. John's Gospel, the 47th verse.—Sun.

GRANTS TO BANDS.

The 71st Regiment band presented a petition to the city council last evening asking for a grant of \$150. The band promised to give concerts alternately with the Fredericton Brass Band. The 71st Band also pointed out that they gave two concerts each week last year but had received nothing. No action was taken on the petition. In connection with the matter Ald. Calder stated that he had a communication from the Fredericton Brass Band stating that that organization accepted the grant of \$150 passed at the last session of the council and would give one concert a week until exhibition time.

Miss Annie M. Wilson is visiting relatives and friends at Sheffield.

MORE HOLIDAYS.

Summer Vacation for Rural Schools Extended to Eight Weeks.

Governor Tweedie presided at the meeting of the Board of Education yesterday and all of the members were present except Chancellor Jones, Chief Supt. Carter succeeded Dr. Inch as secretary.

The matter of extending the summer vacations of the city schools was discussed and the board decided it would be inadvisable to make any change at the present time. They decided, however, to extend the summer holidays of rural schools from six to eight weeks.

A temporary board of trustees for Kingston Consolidated school was appointed as follows: E. A. Flewelling, chairman; R. C. Williams, John W. Chaloner, Leonard Crawford, Jas. Marshall and C. W. Wetmore.

Mr. William M. McLean, principal of the Aberdeen School, St. John, was appointed inspector for district No. 6 in place of Mr. W. S. Carter, promoted to Chief Superintendent. The new inspector is a native of Glasgow, Scotland, and is sixty years of age. He has had forty years experience as a teacher. The appointment is an excellent one and should be very satisfactory.

SUCCESSFUL PICNIC.

Outing at St. Mary's Yesterday one of Best in Some Years.

The picnic held at St. Mary's on Thursday afternoon and evening under the auspices of St. Anthony's Church congregation was one of the most successful held in recent years. About twelve hundred people were present during the day and a most enjoyable time was had by all. The different games were well patronized and the ladies were kept busy during the day waiting on the different booths and tables. The prize winners of the different games were:

Air gun—1st—Fr. Hayes, St. Mary's; 2nd—tie between four.

Bowling alley—Hayes Doochan.

Ring toss—1st—Clarence McAloon, Marysville; 2nd—Wm. Hughes, St. Mary's.

Large Bagatelle—1st—Hayes Doochan; 2nd—tie between John Bowlen and Arthur Hanlon.

Small Bagatelle—1st—Mr. Cremin; 2nd—Miss Driscoll.

The lottery prizes will be announced later.

There was a purse found on the ground which can be claimed at the presbytery.

SALE OF TIMBER LIMITS.

DALHOUSIE, N. B., July 5.—Wm. Currie, M. P. P., was in town today and confirmed the report about the sale of his company's property to an American syndicate. The interests sold by Wm. Currie & Company, Ltd., consist of 163 1-2 square miles of lumber limits located on the different branches of the Charlo River, a new shingle and railway mill, one of the largest in the province, situated at River Charlo, all the logs in the Charlo boom general lumbering outfit consisting of horses, etc.

Walter Miller, formerly bookkeeper for Wm. Currie & Co., Ltd., will manage the new business and the affairs will be conducted as in the past, except that the head office of the company will be at River Charlo instead of Campbellton. Mr. Currie still holds his general store business at Campbellton.

Armand Lavergne, M. P. P., of Montmagny, (P. Q.), acted in the interests of the Credit Foncier Canadian, of Providence (R. I.), for the transfer of the Currie property.

GOVERNMENT MEETING.

At the meeting of the local government this morning Hon. Mr. Fleming made a report on the liquor license investigation which he lately conducted at Campbellton. He found some irregularities and recommended that Messrs Joseph and Isaac Boudreau be refused licenses.

The question of introducing N. B. farm produce into the West Indies was taken up, and a sub-committee composed of Hon. Messrs Fleming and Landry was appointed to take the matter up with transportation companies and exporters.

The members of the executive will return home this evening.

TO UNION MEN.

The officers and members of the Shoe Workers, Painters, Carpenters, Printers, and Carriage Workers Unions, are requested to meet at their rooms, Colter building, Friday evening, July 9th, at 7:30 o'clock. Important business.—J

Most of the people who want to get out of the matrimonial frying pan do so because they want to get in it again.

SEASONABLE

GOODS

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EDGE COMBES

New Fabric Gloves, Long and Short. New Hosiery, all the New Makes. Cotton Lisle Thread, Silk and Summer Cashmere, Gauze Cashmere etc. in Plain Face and Embroidered, in Black, Tan, Sky, Resida, Oxblood, Grey, Helio.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of People in whom our Readers are Interested.

Mr. Fred Devine is acting as stenographer at the divorce court in the absence of Mr. S. Dow Simmons, who is in St. John reporting the proceedings of the St. John River commission.

Mrs. Payson arrived from Boston today to visit her father, Mr. Wm. White, Marysville.

Mr. E. G. Hoben came in from Maguadavic by the Boston train today.

Mr. Arthur White of the Bank of Montreal staff, Quebec, is visiting his father, Mr. M. White at Marysville.

Miss Mabel Barker of St. John is the guest of Mrs. D. F. Cameron, Smythe Street.

Rev. Frederick Ryan, of Tobique Point, is the guest of Rev. Fr. Ryan, St. Mary's.

Messrs Joseph P. McPeake and W. A. Vanwart arrived home on Tuesday afternoon from a pleasant two months tour in the old country.

OUT FOR SPORT.

Mr. W. E. Shea of Worcester, Mass., and Mr. J. R. George of Chicago, are at the Queen today, en route to the Miramichi on a fishing trip.

Major Hinman of Boston, a veteran sportsman, who has made a number of hunting trips to this province, is also at the Queen today. He will leave this evening for Boiestown, to enjoy a few days' fishing on the Miramichi.

BOYS WANTED

Two boys wanted to learn the plumbing business. Apply to A. H. FARRELL, Queen Street.

July 7d 31.

ESTATE SALE

ON WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, July 7 and 8, of FURNITURE, CARPETS, CURTAINS, BEDDING, PICTURES, DISHES etc., etc., and one fine MASON & RISCH PIANO, at residence of late MRS. LOUNSBURY, corner St. John and Brunswick streets. As this is not an auction sale articles may be inspected and purchased at any time during the above days.

MRS. H. B. McDONALD.

W. G. CLARK, (executor.) July 6, d21.

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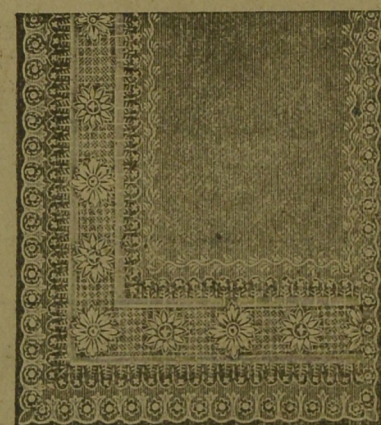
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