

ALL NEWS OF LOCAL INTEREST

REMEMBER.—Rev. W. W. Rainnie's lecture in Zion Church tonight at 8 o'clock. Admission 2 cents.

The eldest son of James McMillan, West River, underwent at his home yesterday, a successful operation for appendicitis.

The hockey match between the Victorias and Abegweits has been postponed till the end of the series owing to the absence of the former.

There was crossing both ways at the Capes yesterday and mails reached the city at four o'clock. The Minto reached Pictou at 11.10 and the Stanley, Georgetown at 11.45.

Just one week from tonight the young men of the First Methodist Church will give a "Young Men's Social." Reserve the night Feb. 12th. They guarantee a pleasant evening.

At the Epworth League meeting tonight in the parlor of First Methodist Church at 7.30 p. m., the subject will be, "Which is the most conducive for good, the hope of reward or the fear of punishment."

The funeral of the late Miss Alice Dewar took place yesterday afternoon to People's Cemetery. The service was conducted by Rev. T. F. Fullerton, assisted by Rev. Donald McNeill and Rev. G. R. White.

Messrs Allison and Sutherland have come to an agreement with the proprietor of the Hotel Davies. They will at once begin the work of renovation and expect to open the hotel to the public about two weeks hence.

Tonight

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INSTRUCTIVE AND EDUCATIONAL

(Continued from First Page.)

Inspector McNeill on Packing and shipping Fruit for export.

Professor A. S. Blair following spoke on Soil Moisture and its Relation to Fruit Culture. The matter of soil moisture is an influence often lost sight of. Can we control soil moisture so as to best utilize it? Soil must be considered from the plant food it contains and also from its physical condition. Cultivation is for the purpose of improving the mechanical or physical conditions of the soil. The finer the soil the more rocky particles are exposed to the action of the water. The necessity for cultivating the soil and thus preventing the moisture from being drawn from the sub soil while still keeping the soil warm by the sun was clearly shown, and illustrated by a chart. Any system therefore that will enable us to cultivate the land as early as possible and thus conserve the moisture is a good one. The benefits of early cultivation were clearly shown by experiments that had been conducted by Prof Macoun at Ottawa. If the water is not present the plant food cannot be taken out and used by the tree and the plant. The leaves of the tree must be kept healthy in order that they may take in the carbon necessary. By a chart Prof. Blair showed the effects on trees by growing them in no crop, in oats, corn, clover and grass at the Illinois Experimental Farm.

As Prof. Blair had to leave in order to catch the train the lecture was briefer than otherwise. A hearty vote of thanks was passed.

In speaking of the best time for holding the annual meeting F. L. Haszard threw out the suggestion for a grain show, a fat cattle show and a fruit show early in March. Where these could be combined or not he did not know. In the new market would be fine rooms for exhibits as well as for lectures and speeches. The President thought the Fruit Show would be too late in March and John Newson also maintained that March was too late. He urged that bonuses be given to farmers who would grow their own seeds.

The matter was left with the Executive to devise the best means of settling the matter.

The following resolutions were unanimously passed:

Moved by Richard Burke, seconded by J. G. McCallum, that a committee of three be appointed to examine the whole question of Co-operative Fruit Packing as outlined in the President's address and report thereon.

Moved by D. J. Stewart and seconded by A. M. McEae, that the excessive railway freight charges for fruit be referred at once to the Railway Commission for adjustment of rates and that excessive express rates be looked into and remedied by our several representatives.

Moved by A. A. Moore and seconded by James Essery, that the Department of Agriculture be asked to devise ways to prevent continued frauds by dishonest graftsmen.

President Burke said Summerside was asking to have the annual meeting there. He thought the City Council should give some assistance to the Association.

The question of uniting the fruit and grain shows was further discussed by A. A. Moore, Edward Bayfield and F. L. Haszard.

The president spoke of the high railway rates and urged that, in the interests of the country, the lowest possible rates be given.

After the usual votes of thanks to the officers and executive and the Press the Convention adjourned by singing God Save the King.

PRIZE LIST.

(Concluded)

Best County Collection between ten and twenty varieties—1st, J. A. Moore; 2nd, John Robertson; 3rd, J. T. Weeks.

Best ten varieties commercial apples—1st, J. A. Moore.

Best five varieties winter apples—A. A. Moore.

Best plate Baldwin—1st, A. M. McEae; 2nd, D. E. Clarke.

Gravenstein—special mention, J. G. McCallum.

Ontario—1st, John Johnstone; 2nd, Harry Morris.

Rhode Island Greening—1st, Howard Clarke; 2nd, Lock Jones.

New and promising Commercial apples—1st, A. A. Moore; 2nd, A. M. McEae.

New and Promising Desert Apple—1st, T. H. Duncan, the Bethel; 2nd, Mrs. Dawson, the North Star.

Plate, any other Variety—1st, T. H.

Duncan, the Bethel; 2nd, John Newson, the Wealthy.

Pears—1st, F. E. Lepage; 2nd, D. J. Stewart.

Barrel Apples—1st, A. A. Moore; 2nd, Franklyn Boyer.

Box Apples—1st, John Robertson, the King; 2nd, John Robertson, the Wealthy.

Collection Bottled Fruit—1st, J. T. Weeks; 2nd, Mrs. Rogers.

Alexander—1st, Senator Ferguson; 2nd, J. T. Weeks.

The Margate Sunday School held a concert on Monday evening Feb. 1st in the public hall proceeds in aid of the Sunday School library. Though the night was somewhat unfavorable, the hall was well filled, and a snug sum realized. The committee spared no pains in making it a success. Rev. H. S. Young acted as chairman, which he executed in an efficient and pleasing manner. Miss Lulu Tuplin ably presided at the organ and program was as follows:

Chorus—Choir.
Address—Chairman.
Recitation—Clinton Glyden.

Leap Year Dialogue, Marrying a Poetess—Mr. Mayhew, Miss Tuplin, Miss Baker and others.

Solo—Miss Carrie McArthur, (encored), Music—Instruments, Miss Tuplin and Prof. Durant.

Farce—Entitled, Courtship, Under difficulties—Messrs Marks, Baker and Miss Winters.

Recitation—Master Willie Profit.
Chorus—Choir.
Recitation—Miss Lottie Durant.

Dialogue, The train to Mauro—Miss Durant, Messrs Cameron and Baker.
Music—Sunday School Class.
Recitation—Miss Mary Whitehead.

Solo—Miss Jean Howitt, selected.
Dialogue, The Letter—Messrs Glyden and Mayhew.
Recitation—Miss Beatrice Baker.
God Save the King.

The entertainment was in every respect a credit to those who took part, as each item was perfectly rendered. The committee in charge are to be congratulated on their efforts.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

MEETING of the Fourth Regiment Band this evening at 7.30. Important business.

"Changes" of ads must be in not later than 1 p. m. each day to insure insertion following morning and not later than noon Saturday for the "Weekly."

Men! Come to the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday afternoon at 3.45 and hear Rev. Leo Williams speak on "Who is Jesus, Do we know?" Good music and bright meeting.

A. E. WILLIAMS, Manager of the Bank of New Brunswick will give his "talk" on Arithmetic before the students of the Union Commercial College this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock. Those who had the pleasure of hearing him at the meeting of the Teachers' Institute, speak very highly of his work.

ENORMOUS GROWTH.

Ever since Dr. Chase's Kidney Liver Pills were first introduced to the public, his sales have steadily increased, each year being larger than the year preceding. This is probably the best evidence of their remarkable efficiency, as a treatment for derangements of kidney, liver and bowels. They are valuable as a family medicine.

SOURIS BOARD OF TRADE.

At the annual meeting of the Souris Board of Trade retiring President, Kiekham delivered a comprehensive report; a resolution was passed re the freight grievances and the following officers elected.

President—CH S. Sterns.
Vice-President—Dr. A. A. McEae.
Secretary—A. Currie.

Council—H. H. Acorn, Lauchlin McDonald, Thos Kiekham, Geo. B. McEachern, Dr. J. C. Houston, and the Sec'y and President.

Board of Arbitrators—John McLean, Chas. McKinnon, J. J. Hughes, A. L. McDonald, A. I. Fraser, Dr. F. S. McDonald, V. S., Capt. Wm. McDonald, Geo. W. Sutherland, John Keays, J. C. Underbay.

Audit Committee—A. I. Fraser, G. B. McEachern, H. H. Acorn.

Delegates to Maritime Board—Thos Kiekham, J. J. Hughes, John McLean Vice-President M. B.

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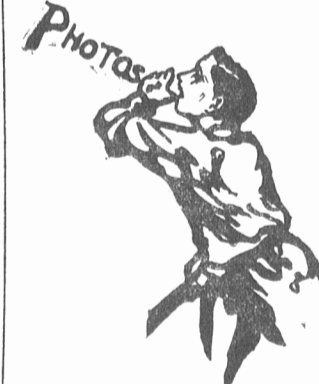
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