

**LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS**

**SCOTTISH GATHERING.**—J. Murphy & Son the well known caterers will be in attendance at the Caledonian Club to be held at Summer-ide August 18th.

**SHORT CROPS.**—The King's county apple crop is very light. A moderate calculation would make it one-third of other years. There is a prospect of shortage in oats and potatoes.—Wolfville Acadian.

**MORE GOLD.**—Gold has been discovered in West Gore, Hants Co., and a large number of areas have been taken out by Nova Scotia people and others. Some good specimens have been secured.—Truro News.

**POLICE COURT.**—This forenoon Ronald Stee for assaulting Lewis Huestis, keeper of the Driving Park, was fined \$20 or 60 days. A. J. Quirk's Scott Act case was further adjourned for one week. Two drunks were disposed of.

**YACHT IN PORT.**—The sloop-yacht Mignon, owned by Dr. James Fournier, of New York, which has been in port for a day or two left this forenoon. Dr. Fournier was accompanied by his wife and several guests.

**RIFLE MATCHES.**—The Queen's County Rifle Association will hold their Rifle Matches on Wednesday next, July 28th commencing at 2 p. m. Entrance fee to each match 25cts. Ammunition and sighting shot free. No two competitors allowed to shoot out of same rifle.

**I. O. O. F.**—St. Lawrence Lodge meets in regular session to-night at 8 o'clock. Visitors will be cordially welcomed. The degree team will practice at 8.30 sharp. All members of the team who intend to go to Grand Lodge at Pictou will please make a special point to be present to-night.

**PROVINCIAL ELECTION.**—On Wednesday next the special votes cast at the recent election will be opened by the sheriff's of the three counties and forwarded to their respective districts. On Tuesday, August 3rd, all the votes cast will be counted by the sheriff, and the candidates receiving the majority of votes will be declared elected.

**COMING THIS WAY.**—A party of railway men will visit Halifax August 18, and stay a day or two. They will be mostly transportation men, superintendents and car-service officials, and the party will number twenty-five or thirty, including a few ladies. They will come from St. John to Halifax and go hence to Sydney, Pictou and P. E. Island. Mr. Campbell of the I. C. R. is arranging the trip.—Halifax paper.

**WILL COMMENCE BUSINESS.**—It is announced that The Royal Victor a Life Insurance Co. of Montreal will commence to issue policies about the 1st of August, and that the Manager is now ready to receive applications for local, district or general agencies in Canada. Further information may be had on application to David Burke, General Manager, Montreal.

**SHIPPED FROM SUMMER-IDE.**—Mr. Chas. A. McNutt on Thursday shipped to Halifax 42 sheep and two live hogs. On Saturday there were three horses taken away which were brought up from Charlottetown the day before. On both Friday and Saturday there were a number of large sacks of wool as part of the steamer's cargo.—Pioneer.

**MIRACULOUS CURE.**—From the famous French shrine of Lourdes comes the tale of the miraculous cure of a young woman of 23, who had been paralyzed since she was three years of age. She could neither sit upright nor turn in her bed without assistance, nor could she walk a step without support. After two baths at Lourdes she was able to walk as easily as any one, and astonished the people of Pongerey by walking through the town on Ascension Day.

**SUPREME COURT.**

GEORGETOWN, July 23.

The Supreme Court met here today, His Honor Mr. Justice Hodgson presiding. There was a very small docket. The following is a list of the cases and the manner of their disposal:

**Richard Doyle vs. Thomas Kickham.**—Action for damages for illegal distress. This case was left over till next February term by consent of counsel. Mathieson for plaintiff; Morson, Q. C., for defendant.

**Daniel F. McDonald vs. Malcolm McDonald.** Action for damages. Settled out of court. Mathieson for plaintiff; McKinnon for defendant.

The non-jury cases were as follows: **Cartney McLure and another vs. James Saunders.** Action to recover balance of account. Judgment for plaintiff \$50. Mathieson for plaintiff; McKinnon for defendant.

**Louisa Ann Davey vs. Josiah Robert.** Action to recover balance of wages. This case was referred for arbitration to the Honorable Senator Prowse by order of the court. McKinnon for plaintiff; Mathieson for defendant.

Court adjourned sine die.

**NEWS NOTES.**

The threatened strike of telegraphers at London has been averted. The operators are inclined to compromise.

At a sale in London recently a four-page letter of the Queen to Prince Alfred was sold for \$17, and a three-page letter of Prince Arthur for \$4, while a short letter of George Washington's brought 50.

Another painting by George Romney, "Two Children in a Garden," from Carlton Hall, has brought a very high price \$45,500, at a London auction. This is, next to the \$53,550 paid for the Clifton picture last year, the largest sum ever given for a Romney.

Silas Hinkley, a son of the millionaire president of the Poughkeepsie Electric Railroad company, is leaving coal as a stoker in the employ of the company at \$1.50 a day. He is a Harvard graduate but took his present place voluntarily in order to learn the business thoroughly.

Dr. Kandt, a German explorer, has started out to find the ultimate sources of the Nile. Having the promise of assistance from the Congo authorities when he reaches their territory, he has set out from German East Africa, intending to make his way to Uruudu, Uhha and Ruanda. There he will ascertain the size of Lake Akenjaru and measure the volume of water in the rivers Kagera, Ruvuru, Akenjaru in the dry and wet seasons. He will trace that having the greatest volume to its source.

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