

PROVINCIAL NEWS

SAKOVILLE, N. B., Nov. 29.—Tuesday evening F. McDougall, manager of the Merchants' bank, received news of the sudden illness of his only daughter, Kathleen, aged eight years, who was with her mother in Pictou. The child died of convulsions before he could get there. The little girl was a great favorite, and universal regret is expressed. The remains will be brought home today, the funeral taking place on Friday.

A sudden death that is a shock to the whole community is that of Roy Ford, who died this morning of spinal meningitis after only two days' illness. The deceased was the son of Alex. Ford, and was in the employ of his uncle, Geo. E. Ford. He was but 21 years of age, and leaves a widow and one child.

The Parley house, a very strictly residence on Tor street, has been purchased by Capt. B. McHaffey. He will probably rent it for a year.

BLOOMFIELD, Kings Co., Nov. 23.—Gillis Hayes, who lost his house by fire last year and has since been living near the station, sold his farm to G. W. Titus and moved to St. John last week.

James Titus and his wife of Hampton intend to move here and board with John E. Titus, so as to be near Mr. T.'s lumber operations on the Point farm.

Howard Erb, of Erb settlement, had a sale last week before moving to Nashua, N. H.

MILLTOWN, N.B., Nov. 29.—Thanksgiving day over the river is being quietly observed today. Most of the mills are in operation. The cotton mill is shut down, and the schools have been closed until Monday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church paid over the amount necessary to clear the debt from the Methodist parsonage, and a note bearing \$1,000 on its face will be publicly burned on Sunday week in the presence of the congregation by Rev. W. J. Kirby.

Rev. E. Bell and Mrs. Bell of Oak Bay were in town today. Mr. Bell has received an unanimous invitation to St. David's Methodist circuit for a fourth year.

Mrs. Lavinia Magoon has returned from Edmonston after visiting her son, who was ill with slow fever, but is now convalescent.

Charlie Boardman has been away camping and shooting for a few days. One young deer was the result of the effort.

Rev. J. A. Sellar has gone to Hartland to visit his old friends on this field of his recent labors.

Rev. Mr. McKenzie, M. E., minister from Massachusetts, is visiting his brother, A. M. McKenzie, on Pleasant street. He has been spending a few days at his old home on the Scotch Ridge.

Mrs. Lewis Dexter is spending a few days in Boston.

W. H. Dickerson and Mary E. Smith of Pomeroy, were married by Rev. H. Harrison at the Oak Hill parsonage on the 21st instant.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lunn, of Milltown, Me., celebrated the thirtieth anniversary of their marriage on Friday. Rev. H. F. Bridgman addressed the happy couple. Thirty-two relatives were present.

Amos O. Garecion died at his residence, Oak Bay, on the 23rd, aged 66 years and 7 months.

Lorne McAdam is visiting his father, Mr. McAdam, at a good position in Boston with a piano firm.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Nov. 22.—St. Andrew's day was duly celebrated by St. Andrew's Society of this city by a dinner at the Queen hotel tonight. About seventy persons sat down to the sumptuous banquet prepared by host Edwards, and everything passed off in a most satisfactory manner. Greetings from other fraternal societies throughout the province were received and read amidst great applause. The party broke up at an early hour this morning.

Sergt. Wm. Ross of Kingsclere and Corp. Herbert Endall of Fredericton, who have been taking a short course at the military school, completed the course today and they have enlisted in the permanent force and taken on to the strength of No. 4 Co., Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry.

The following named officers and non-commissioned officers have today finished a short course at the military school, and are leaving for their homes: Lt. Randolph, Lt. Moore, Sergt. Walker, Corp. Wicks, Fredericton; Corp. Frier, Shelack; Corp. McDuff, Corp. Isenor, Dutch Settlement; Corp. Kennick, Grand Pre; Corp. Smith, Corp. Williams, Bay du Vin.

Lt. Hill of Halifax, who has been here for several weeks, remains for a special course.

The examination of Martin Cogswell, for an assault upon and stabbing of Albert Poor, commenced on election day, was resumed at Waasla this morning before Magistrate Grass. J. D. Hazen, who is prosecuting attorney, came up from St. John last evening and went to Waasla this morning.

A contract for placing a bath room, with all modern improvements, in the barracks of No. 4 Co., R. C. R. L., has been placed with H. G. Kitchen, plumber, of this city. The bath room will fill a long felt want.

Word has been received here of the death at Pasadena, Calif., of Herbert Nason, formerly of this city, and a graduate of the U. N. B.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 2.—The value of goods imported at this port last month was \$28,283 as compared with \$18,521 in November, 1899. The great difference in the amount of imports in the corresponding months of this year and last is owing to importations of raw cotton, upwards of \$18,000, which was brought in November, 1899, the same as this year, but was not entered until December 1. The duties paid in November of this year and last were \$59,510.42; 1899, \$1,942.66.

Savings bank returns for last month show \$746,950 at the credit of depositors here.

The Sunbury assault case is still going on before Magistrate Grass at Waasla.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary J. Edwards took place from her home, corner of George and Smith streets, yesterday afternoon, and was largely

attended. Interment was made at the Rural cemetery. Many floral tributes testified to the esteem in which the deceased lady was held.

Yesterday was the best business day our merchants have had for some time. The recent fall of snow made excellent travelling, the surrounding country, and a large number of country people flocked to the city. The market was unusually large and good prices prevailed.

Rev. Dr. Brockton of Mt. Allison University, preached an able sermon to a large congregation in the Methodist church tonight.

The weather today has been very mild.

WHITE'S COVE, Queens Co., Nov. 30.—An interesting event took place on Wednesday evening, when Alexander McKinlay of this place and Dora Hanselbacher of the Den settlement, youngest daughter of the late Philip Hanselbacher, were united in marriage.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. B. McDonald of McDonald's Corner at the residence of George Palmer, step-father of the bride. Only intimate friends were present. A rousing charivari was given in honor of the young couple.

J. A. Mosher of White's Point saw several deer amongst his flock of sheep on Thursday. The recent snow storm has made splendid travelling on the roads, with runners. A missionary meeting addressed by the pastor, Rev. L. J. Wason, took place at the church on Thursday evening.

Leslie E. Wright, who has spent some time at McDonald's Point repairing barns, is home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Wright, Henry Durost & Sons are doing a large business at Jemseg this winter in cutting and hauling cordwood.

CHATHAM, Dec. 1.—The first day of winter, and the weather is simply delightful. The storm of Monday last left us with a covering of snow to the depth of nearly ten inches, and as it finished up with rain, the travelling is perfect. The river has assumed its winter garment, and fishing for smelts is being vigorously prosecuted, but the catch so far has been small.

Sch. Baden-Powell managed to get clear of the river before it finally closed up. This was the last departure.

Woodsmen are at a premium here just now. Several operators are in want of hands, and none are to be had.

Coal is also a cash commodity. I have heard of one manufacturing concern which is in immediate need of about one hundred tons, and none of the local dealers can supply the demand. Fuel of all kinds will be scarce this winter, and country teams will have all the work they can handle in that line.

Such beautiful roads at a time when the moon sheds such glorious beams give a charm to driving parties, and four-horse teams attached to extend several sleighs which will accommodate thirty passengers are in evidence, while driving parties from Newcastle, Nelson, Derby and other outlying places visit Chatham with welcome frequency.

One of the oldest residents was laid to rest yesterday at the funeral of James Anderson, sr., who passed away at the great age of 91. He came to Miramichi from Scotland about sixty-five years ago, and settled in Chatham, where for many years he carried on his business as a tailor. He has been a widower for forty years, and leaves a family of three—Mrs. Joseph Dickens, Mrs. Thos. Allison, and James, a marine engineer.

Cards are out for a supper party to be given to the Chatham Curling Club by L. Tweedie at the Adams house on 5th Dec.

The wife and family of Capt. Shand have the sympathy of the entire community in the bereavement which overshadows them at this time. Capt. Shand, who was owner and master of the scho. Advance, which was recently wrecked near the Isle of Shoals, was a seaman of marked ability, and in the absence of direct proof of his death his friends and family, who are there, citing the possibility of his escape having been effected by some passing vessel.

The loss of Mr. Anderson's schooner off Horse Head, P. E. I., has now been confirmed, and no hope whatever can now be entertained that any of the crew has escaped.

St. Andrew's night entertainment, under the management of the congregation of the "Kirk," was held last night in the Masonic hall. The programme included songs and other musical selections, readings, recitations and addresses, whilst refreshments were for sale during intermissions. A generous patronage was extended by the public, and the hall was well filled by a very attentive audience. Among those who assisted in the entertainment were Messrs. Tweedie, Anderson, Nicol, Baxter, Clarke, Edgar, and Miss Edgar, Mrs. Cameron, McEachern's orchestra rendered selections during the evening.

MONCTON, Nov. 29.—An escort bound I. C. R. special in charge of Conductor Chisholm, Driver Starrat, ran into the Joggins train which was unloading freight at Maconn at 7 o'clock this morning. The Joggins engine was slightly damaged and two or three cars derailed, but fortunately no person was injured. The wreck was cleared by an auxiliary train sent out from Moncton.

The board of school trustees last night appointed W. McLean, assistant principal of the Harkins academy, Newcastle, to take the place on the Moncton high school staff vacated by Mr. Mills, who goes to Fredericton at the first of the year.

In the county court, in the case of the Queen v. Dunlop, Kent, charged with forgery of the name of Mr. Bastaroch on a note of \$5, the jury disagreed, and accused was admitted to bail for his appearance at the next term of court. The alleged forgery was committed some six years ago.

Frank Holstead, formerly with W. C. Pittfield & Co., St. John, but latterly of Rossland, B. C., who has been spending some weeks with his mother in Moncton, left tonight on his return to the west.

MAUGERVILLE, Sunbury Co., Nov. 28.—John Cox recently received a letter from his brother, now Sergeant W. J. Cox, dated at Hills Gate, near Lydenburg, South Africa, in which he says that he is well and still after the

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Boers in the north Transvaal. He hopes to return home near springtime. The many friends of the late Mrs. Johnson have gone to Patten, Me., to work in the woods.

The late Mrs. Johnson has been laid to rest in the cemetery. The funeral was held on Monday last.

The will of the late Thomas Robinson, deceased, has been proved. The executor is Mr. J. H. Robinson.

MEMRAMOOC, N. B., Nov. 29.—Today the courtiers of the Latin music are jubilant for it is the feast day of their beloved professor, Rev. A. T. LeBlanc. For twenty-five years the admirers of Ovid and Virgil have regularly banqueted in honor of their kind preceptor.

The president announced himself pleased to receive the testimonial presented, and hoped that the majority of the students would bear "excellences" when they returned to their homes on the 21st of December.

WATERVILLE, Nov. 28.—A large crowd gathered to witness the marriage of David Crawford of Cape Enrage and Miss Hannah Marks, which took place here this evening in the Baptist church.

The bride was attired in a very pretty suit of light gray, with white sash trimmings, and was assisted by her sister, Mrs. Luck Marks, who was the bridesmaid.

The groom was assisted by his brother, Mr. Crawford, who was the best man.

The bride and groom are a very estimable young couple and have the best wishes of many friends. They will reside at Cape Enrage.

Rev. F. N. Atkinson has had a call to this church and will take up the work the first of February. The present pastor, Rev. Mr. Addison, goes away the last of January, much to the regret of the entire community.

NO TIDINGS OF THE CREW. BOSTON, Dec. 1.—No tidings have as yet been received from the crew of the ill-fated schooner Advance, which drifted ashore near Portsmouth, abandoned, several days ago. Little hope is held out that the men escaped.

Delong, Seaman & Co. of this city, the agents of the vessel, have received from Keeper Frank E. Stevens of the Knobs Beach Life Saving Station a communication stating that the wreckage which drifted ashore there, included in which was a patent fog horn, a quantity of spruce boards and other material have been recovered, and are awaiting shipment to the agents.

The agents have also received a letter from Capt. Shand's wife, seeking further information regarding the supposed fate of her husband. The woman has eight children, the eldest of whom is only 12 years of age.

A LONG VOYAGE. HALIFAX, Dec. 2.—The Italian bark, Venera, that was "jammed" between the Sisters and Chebucto Head last Sunday evening, and was blown southward, came in today. She is over one hundred days from Trapani, with sail.

THE MARKETS.

Revised Every Monday to the Semi-Weekly Sun.

ST. JOHN MARKETS. (Wholesale Prices.)

Table listing market prices for various goods including Canadian herring, Beef (butcher), Beef (country), Mutton, Veal, Pork, Butter, Eggs, etc.

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REV. JAS. M. QUINAN 'DIED.

For Many Years Vicar of the Diocese of Antigonish, N. S. HALIFAX, Dec. 2.—Very Rev. Jas. M. Quinan, D. D., of Arichat, vicar of the diocese of Antigonish, died yesterday in Montreal, where he had gone for his health. He was 51 years old and a native of Halifax. He was the son of the late Joseph Quinan, and was one of a family of twelve children.

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COLUMBIA REVOLT.

KINGSTON, Jan. 2.—Advised brought from Kingston by the royal steamer Don, indicates the continuance of rebel activity in all quarters of Columbia. Last Wednesday a strong force of insurgents captured the town of Chagres, 15 miles from Colon. Eight hundred government troops were sent immediately to relieve the town and sharp fighting followed. The government forces lost heavily, but the rebels were compelled to retire.

Before the Don left, news had reached Colon that the insurgents were attacking Porto Colombia and Sardinia and that government reinforcements were being ordered there. It was believed at Colon that the insurgents had changed their plan and would concentrate against Colon, instead of Panama, owing to the strict precautions taken by the government at the latter city. Martial law was being strictly enforced in Colon.

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