

LOCAL NEWS.

QUESTY.—Did Mr Jordan ever vote for the Scott Act? And, if so, how many?

AMBITIOUS.—And now it is said Mr Temple wants to be governor. Ha! ha! ha!

WILE RUN AGAIN.—Aldo Block and Duffie are appealing to the Kings ward ratepayers for reelection.

APPOINTMENT.—Miss Myra Sherman is to take charge of the Madras school, resigned by Miss Moffat.

A HOLIDAY.—The city schools had a holiday Thursday, in respect to the memory of the late Governor Boyd.

THE XMAS GAME.—Rinks chosen by president and vice presidents will play at curling Xmas for the Wizard oil pitcher.

AN UNUSUAL CONTEST.—Mayor Beckwith goes canvassing in his stylish coach and pair, while Mr. Jordan huffs it, and both, no doubt, think they are getting there.

GOING TO HUNTON.—Dr. J. Z. Currie left yesterday afternoon for Cambridge, Mass., where he has established himself in practice.

REPRESENTED.—John McCoy, of St. John, formerly of St. Marys, has been reinstated as a member of the national trotting association.

FOR GOVERNOR.—Judge Fraser is likely to get the governorship if he will accept it, and the appointment would be a most popular one. Mr. Temple is not in it.

RETURNED.—Rev. Mr. Payson has returned from Carleton county, where he filled the pulpit for Rev. Mr. Murray, Presbyterian, of Kirkland, for two Sundays. To-morrow he conducts a service at the Lincoln Baptist church.

A SENECA SUIT.—C. E. Duffy, barrister, is at Margerville to-day conducting A. R. Miles' case in magistrate Raymond's court, against one Foss, an action on a promissory note for \$50. Alex. Baird appears for the defendant.

AWARDED.—The snow ploughing tenders have been awarded to Wm Smith up town division, \$37 70, and Aaron Smith for the down town, \$43. The contractors will evidently have their hands full and earn their money this year.

SELECTION OF OFFICERS.—The annual meeting of the Fredericton boat company was held at St. John Tuesday, when the old board of directors was elected as follows: Hon. A. F. Randolph, E. G. Dunn, W. H. Murray, H. W. Miller, George S. Cushing, E. C. Sutton and Charles P. Woolman. At a meeting of the directors Mr. Randolph was re-elected president, and H. J. Olive, secretary-treasurer.

PERSONAL MENTIONS.

Hon. A. G. Blair was in the city to-day. Hon. A. F. Randolph returned this week from a business trip up river.

Miss Burnside is home from St. John where she made quite a lengthened visit with Mrs. J. D. Hanson.

John Anderson, ex-M.P.P., of the Barony, was in the city this week and was warmly greeted by his many friends.

Miss Marion Blair, of St. John, who has been since Thanksgiving visiting her friends, returned home to-day.

Dr. Inch, sup. of education, T. Carleton Allen and F. B. Edgcombe, attended governor Boyd's funeral at St. John on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Byron Winslow returned on Monday from their trip to Europe. They came over on the Lucania, making the run across to New York in five days, fifteen hours and thirty-nine minutes.

CROWN LAND SALES.

At the weekly sale of timber berths at the crown lands office, Nov. 29th, areas covering eighty-six square miles were sold. All the berths went at the upset price of \$8 a mile, with the exception of a two mile block on the North-west mill stream in Northumberland, applied for by Harry Gunn, knocked down to J. H. Barry at \$9 a mile, and a three mile block at Murrill's brook, Miramichi, bid in by W. T. Whitehead for \$40 a mile. The sales at the upset price were as follows: Thirty-eight miles in Restigouche, to A. H. Campbell, for the Muskoka company; 22 miles on the Upsalquitch to Kiley; 3 miles on the North-west mill stream in Northumberland, applied for by Harry Gunn, knocked down to J. H. Barry at \$9 a mile, and a three mile block at Murrill's brook, Miramichi, bid in by W. T. Whitehead for \$40 a mile. The sales at the upset price were as follows: Thirty-eight miles in Restigouche, to A. H. Campbell, for the Muskoka company; 22 miles on the Upsalquitch to Kiley; 3 miles on the North-west mill stream in Northumberland, applied for by Harry Gunn, knocked down to J. H. Barry at \$9 a mile, and a three mile block at Murrill's brook, Miramichi, bid in by W. T. Whitehead for \$40 a mile.

SENT TO PAPA.

Says Wednesday's St. John Globe: A sergeant of the infantry school corps, Fredericton, received an unexpected present Tuesday afternoon. When the train from the junction arrived at Fredericton, it was noticed that among the passengers was a good-looking young woman wearing a light sacque. She had an infant about six or seven months old in her arms, and a gentleman who happened to observe her, was almost pained with surprise to see her place the infant carefully into a basket, and address it to the sergeant. She then called a teamster and had him deliver the basket, and he took it without knowing that it was a live baby. The young woman then got on the train again and came to St. John. On the way down it was noticed that she felt badly. She stayed around the station until the train started for St. John, where it is said she lives. None of the trainmen knew who she was. Perhaps the sergeant could tell.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Fanny, wife of Duncan Jones, died at New Maryland, Nov. 29th, of consumption.

Mrs. Eliza Ann Smith, a daughter of the late James Drake, who did business in Fredericton many years ago, died at St. Louis, Mo., November 27th.

Thos. T. Raymond, the well known proprietor of the Royal Hotel, St. John, died last night at St. John, aged 72 years. He was a bachelor and had been in the hotel business for 21 years.

Fr. Jos. Barnard, of R.F.C., who died on Tuesday, was given a military funeral on Thursday. The deceased had driven his horses into the yard to hitch to a sled loaded him by John B. Orr, and half an hour afterwards his dead body was discovered lying in the snow by an employee of the stable. He had evidently been attacked by heart disease while in the act of hitching the horses' traces, and fell across the sled pole. The horses were found a few yards off. Mr. Lispet's remains were carried into the stable office by Mr. Orr and his assistants. Drs. Coulthard and McLaren were soon on the spot, but the unfortunate man had passed beyond the need of their services. Dr. Coulthard conducted an inquest unnecessary, and the body was at once removed to deceased's late home on George street. Mr. Lispet was highly respected. He leaves a wife, whose maiden name was Haining, and a sister, Miss Hannah Lispet, of this city. The funeral took place Wednesday forenoon, the interment being made at Lincoln. Rev. Mr. Payson conducted the services.

GOVERNOR BOYD

Dies Very Suddenly of Heart Disease.

Hon. John Boyd, governor of New Brunswick, died at his home in St. John at 1 o'clock Monday morning of heart disease. The sad event was most unexpected. His honor had been in the best of health for some time, and at the dinner of St. Andrew's society on Thursday evening which he sat out, he was in high spirits, and was the life of those around him. On Sunday morning he was at St. David's church. Late on Sunday afternoon, about five o'clock, he complained of feeling unwell, and suffered from a pain in the region of the stomach. Although Dr. Bayard was called the matter was not considered very serious. At 9:30 o'clock the physician returned and spent a half hour, and the governor then seemed much better than during the afternoon. He conversed with members of his household on general matters. At half-past twelve a hasty summons from Mrs. Boyd brought Mr. Critchbank, the governor's nephew, who was sleeping in the house, to her aid. Mr. Boyd had taken a turn for the worse, was suffering great pain and apparently dying. The young man hastened to his father and then summoned Drs. Bayard, MacLaren, and Innes. Mr. Critchbank reached the house just a moment before the governor died. He was

... when the physicians arrived. The governor was in the very best of health and spirits Sunday night up to the time the attack seized him. He ate a hearty dinner and talked in his entertaining way on a great variety of subjects. Several of the guests of the evening the morning also spoke of the good-natured cheerful way he addressed them. It was about five o'clock when the first complaint, and for a time the pain in his stomach seemed to be working upward. Dr. Bayard, when called, gave some warm water, which caused vomiting, and after that the pain grew less and the governor seemed much better. At times the pain was very acute, causing him to lose about in agony. He was conscious until the last, and only a few minutes before his death talked with those around him, and the final dissolution came when he was alone, Mrs. Boyd having stepped out of the room for a moment. He had not nor had any of those with him, the least idea that his illness would prove fatal.

... AN ANATOMY OF HEART DISEASE. An autopsy was held by Drs. Inches and McLaren, and it established the fact that the heart was weak. With the exception of the heart, all the organs were found in a perfectly healthy condition. A rupture had taken place in the wall of the left ventricle, causing an effusion of blood into the pericardium. Dr. MacLaren said to a reporter that the organs of the heart were weak, and that the governor's whole illness was from the heart. Some special effort, probably an attempt to raise had caused the rupture, and death had resulted almost instantly. As to whether or not the general activity displayed by Hon. Mr. Boyd since his appointment as governor was in any way responsible for his death, Dr. McLaren said he could not speak with certainty, but such great activity as he had displayed had probably predisposed the trouble.

... AN HONORABLE CAREER. The Hon. John Boyd was born at Magherafelt, county Derry, Ireland, Sept. 28, 1828, and educated at the grammar school St. John, N. B. In 1858, he was a wholesale mercantile house of Messrs. Holdwork & Daniel, and in 1853 became a partner in the firm under the style of Messrs. Daniel & Boyd. In 1852 he married Annie P., daughter of Mr. Cerevo P. of Weymouth, N. S. He is a director of the Sun Life Insurance Company, and he also took an active part in all the political and commercial movements of his time, with Sir Leonard Tilley, which produced responsible government, the confederation of Canada, and the national policy. In June 1865, he was a delegate at the Detroit convention of the boards of trade of the United States and Canada, and one of the delegates chosen to speak for Canada. These being the Hon. Joseph Howe, of Nova Scotia; the Hon. Joseph Skiddy, of Ontario; and the Hon. John Boyd, of New Brunswick. In 1868 he urged the construction of the railway between St. John and Beauséjour, his pamphlet on this having been adopted and published by the board of trade. He was an earnest advocate, through the press and on the platform of the union of the provinces, which was settled in July 1867. For many years he was a trustee of the grammar school, and for sixteen years he was chairman of the board of school trustees, and during his time the Catholic and Protestant relations of Roman Catholics and Protestants were harmonized, for which he was publicly thanked from the Cathedral pulpit by the bishop the Right Rev. Dr. Sweeney. During and after the great fire of 1857, in which his loss was very heavy, he lost his warehouse destroyed, and he was foremost in building up the city; his own and other private buildings, the gas works, school houses, and others, which now mark St. John as one of the most progressive cities of Canada. The deceased gentleman was called to the senate Feb. 11, 1870, and was appointed lieutenant-governor of New Brunswick Sept. 21st.

... Mrs. Boyd has been the recipient of telegrams and letters from prominent friends of the late governor from all over Canada, and in St. John the display of grief at the sad event has been universal. From Monday until the funeral the family residence on Queen square was thronged with people anxious to have a look at the lovely and deceased. All classes and conditions of the people were represented in the sorrowful crowd.

... THE FUNERAL. All arrangements for the funeral were undertaken by the local government, Hon. Mr. Blair giving his special attention. Major Gordon, A. D. C. of Fredericton, was placed in general charge. The services at the house were of a simple and yet most solemn and impressive nature. The services were led by Rev. Geo. Beza, pastor of St. David's Presbyterian church, and was assisted by Rev. Dr. Macrae, pastor of St. Stephen's Presbyterian church, and Rev. John DeSousa, rector of St. John's Episcopal church.

... At 2 o'clock, when the funeral services at the house began, the palatial residence at the corner of Queen square and Charlotte street was so completely blocked that there was hardly room to pass by. By the aid of various societies and organizations began to assemble, and at 2:30 the hour to start—all were in line in their proper positions.

... Before the start was made the procession extended from the Sydney street corner of the Queen square away along Charlotte street to the corner of Princess street. Such a funeral procession was never before seen in St. John, and the gathering was but another evidence of the popular esteem for our late governor. He moved up the minute guns at the Dorchester battery fired a salute of thirteen guns. As the pall bearers carried the casket from the house after the impressive service and placed in the hearse, the band of the artillery played the first march, the "Minute Gun," "Searer," "John to Die," etc.

... The turnout of representative citizens was very large. Every member of the provincial government was present, and a great many members of the local legislature. There were five judges of the supreme court, the county court judges, Peters and Wells, Messrs. Baird, Hazen, Chesley, Wilton, Wood, McLeod, M. P.'s, and officials of the provincial government and of the city and county.

... As the cortege started the artillery band looked up the beautiful strains of Beethoven's Funeral March, while The Dead March in Saul was played by the 62nd battery band. Under the guidance of Major Gordon, Col. Armstrong and Chief Clark, the great procession moved along without a hitch, and finally reached Haymarket square. There the lines in front of the hearse opened up, allowing the mourners to pass through and take the coaches that were in waiting. Many went on to the rural cemetery, where the interment took place. The procession was over a mile long, and was viewed by 15,000 people.

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A MATTER OF

MOONSHINE!

WHEN people advertise 'bargains,' did you ever pause long enough to think that the bargains they speak of may be for the seller and not the buyer? Many of the alleged 'great offerings' are but a delusive mixture of moonshine and misrepresentation. That may do for just once; but folks are not hankering after it for a steady diet.

For Solid Worth

GO TO

JOHN J. WEDDALL'S.

We are now making a BID for your trade, and intend in the future, as in the past, to be on TOP.

JOHN J. WEDDALL, Opposite Normal School.

Over 1000

PRESENTS,

TO BE GIVEN AWAY AT—

Lottimer's Shoe Store.

HAVING a desire to add to his Customer's happiness during the Christmas Season, A. LOTTIMER has decided to give a Present with Cash Purchases of 50 cents and upwards, during the month of December, commencing December 7th, 1893.

HE has a very large stock of Winter Goods to select from, INCLUDING—

SKATING BOOTS, OVERBOOTS, ALASKA'S,

Cotton and Wool Lined Rubbers.

FELT BOOTS, SHOES and SLIPPERS.

FANCY and COMMON MOCCASINS,

Ayer's Celebrated OIL TAN SHOE PACKS.

We have a Beautiful Line of

Gents' Fancy Slippers,

Suitable for Christmas Presents.

A. LOTTIMER, 210 QUEEN STREET, Fredericton.

GROCERIES, FRUIT

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Confectionery,

AT

PRICES.

New Cooking Raisins

New Table Raisins

New Currants

New Dates and Figs

Green Grapes

Note of all kinds

Florida Oranges

Cape Cod Cranberries

Golden Syrup

Shelled Pop Corn

160 Barrels of Apples,

—COMPRISING—

Bishop Pippins

Redwins and other varieties, for sale

AT

\$3.50 per Barrel,

Delivered anywhere in the city or to railway station.

Valencia Oranges,

20 cents per dozen.

Try our BARBADOS MOLASSES, it is the best in the city.

Sugar Cured Hams and Bacon.

Confectionery.

Have not space enough in this paper to name all the kinds in stock, suffice it to say, I have a large variety, including

Angel's Food.

FIVE POUNDS

New Raisins or Currants,

GIVEN AWAY.

To the Cash Purchasers of Five Pounds of Tea, at either of the following prices, viz: 25, 30, 35 or 40 cents per pound, I will make a present of either 5 pounds of Raisins, or 5 pounds of Currants. The Tea is of excellent quality, and the price is not advanced to make up cost of fruit given away

W. R. LOGAN,

Opp. County Court House, Queen St.

Mr. Laurance, oculist optician, will be at John M. Wiley's drug store on Tuesday and Wednesday, December 28th and 29th. All those suffering from defective vision should call on him. No charge for consultation, and if you want your eyes fitted to perfection, Mr. Laurance is capable of doing it and at prices lower than that paid to incompetent peddlars for inferior articles.

Jacob S. Smith, of this city, and Sadie Callum, of Carleton, were married by Rev. F. C. Hartley at the P. B. parsonage on Monday.

For sleigh robes, lap robes, horse blankets, Tennant Davies & Co's. establishment is headquarters.

For men's fur coats you should go to Tennant Davies & Co.

The Fredericton Market, Dec. 9th, 1893.

Corrected Saturday morning by SAMUEL COOK, Market Clerk.

Pork, per lb. .... \$0.05 to \$0.05

Beef, " " " " " " " " " " " "

Mutton, " " " " " " " " " " " "

Butter, " " " " " " " " " " " "

Lamb, " " " " " " " " " " " "

Sausages, " " " " " " " " " " " "

Lard, " " " " " " " " " " " "

Carrots, " " " " " " " " " " " "

Eggs, per doz. .... \$0.20 to \$0.22

Potatoes, per bush. .... \$0.80 to \$0.90

Turnips, " " " " " " " " " " " "

Onions, " " " " " " " " " " " "

Hay, per ton .... \$11.00 to \$13.00

Straw, " " " " " " " " " " " "

Backhead, per cwt. .... \$1.25 to \$1.40

Onions, per bush. .... \$0.30 to \$0.35

Carrots, " " " " " " " " " " " "

Socks and mitts, per pair. .... \$0.20 to \$0.25

Chickens, per pair. .... \$0.40 to \$0.45

Geese, " " " " " " " " " " " "

Partridge, " " " " " " " " " " " "

Ducks, " " " " " " " " " " " "

"The Arch."

The downtown windows at Edgcombe's are dressed with Christmas handkerchiefs showing a beautiful arch in the background. There seems to be enough of these for all the people in Fredericton and York county. You have your choice from a very low price, up to those elegant embroidered ones, and you should go and secure what you require in that way, for you know Mr. Edgcombe's goods always sell quickly. Dear friends (Dear none) send a lady to see what I might do for you. My dear friends, will you kindly buy me a half dozen of these elegant handkerchiefs for a Christmas present. Now John's forgot.

PLEASE WALK UP-STAIRS.—The Christmas room is now ready up-stairs second floor at Edgcombe's. It is filled with delightful novelties for Christmas gifts and bric-a-brac of all kinds. Two weeks from next Monday will be Christmas day you know.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure.

A crown of better baking powder. Highest of all in quality and purity. Largest of all in the world. Made in England. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO. 100 Wall St. N. Y.

XMAS PRESENTS.

We have the best selected stock of

English, French and American

Perfumes

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Also a fine assortment of

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of elegant design and finish.

A large stock of

FINE HAIR BRUSHES, COMBS,

PUFF BOXES, SOAPS,

RAZORS, SHAVING MUGS, etc.

Also a fine Hand Painted CALENDAR, PLATES, etc.

Come and Examine Our Stock and Compare Prices.

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BEAUTIFUL HOLIDAY GOODS

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WATCHES

GOLD, SILVER, GOLD FILLED and NICKEL.

JEWELLERY.

BROOCHES, EARRINGS, BUTTONS, STICK PINS, etc.

RINGS.

ALL KINDS at prices to suit everybody.

SILVERWARE.

A SPECIAL OFFER from this date until Dec. 29th. We will give free, with every Two Dollar Cash Sale of Silverware, a handsome

Set of Child's Knife, Fork and Spoon.

REMEMBER THE PLACE.

JAS. D. FOWLER,

Opposite Post Office.

SHEET ZINC and FLOUR SIFTERS.

3 Cases Sheet Zinc, 3 cases Flour Sifters (patent) 1 case 100 mesh fine sifter 12 boxes Family Scales, just right for the season of the year.

1 case Steel-shoe Bells, 6 cases Wrought Iron Hubs, 4 cases Carpenter's Planes, 4 cases Barn Ladders, 4 cases Barbed Wire, 4 cases Saws and Hinges, 2 doz. Steel Iron Pins for looking stores, 1 doz. Tin Sifters, 1 doz. Blenders.

Just to hand R. CHESTNUT & SONS.