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HOWIE'S NEW BUILDING.

Handsome Quarters for Two
Enterprising Houses.

Description of Mr. J. A. R.
Howie's New Clothing
Establishment.

And Mr. Jas. G. McNally's
General Home Furnishing
Enterprise.

With a few more finishing touches, Mr. James R. Howie's handsome brick building on Queen Street will be completed and ready for occupancy. The building, and that of Mr. J. A. R. Howie's, which is occupied by Sheriff Stirling as a warehouse for furs, are under the one roof and it is difficult to tell where the one leaves off and the other begins. The block presents a fine appearance, and is a most creditable addition to the business establishments of the city.

THE INTERIOR
of Mr. Howie's building has been very neatly finished with all modern conveniences from top to bottom. The two stories on the ground floor have been very elaborately finished off and have been the centre of attraction on Queen Street during the last few days. The upper store which Mr. Howie intends to occupy himself as a clothing establishment, is a very attractive one and fitted up with some of the latest American designs. The store is seventy feet deep and twenty wide; the shelving on the upper side runs nearly the whole length. On the lower side of the store, besides the shelving, which occupies about half of the length of the store from the front, is a very neat and beautifully finished office, as well as a large wardrobe, toilet room, for ready made clothing, with sliding glass sashes. The counters are ash and walnut grained. The office, wardrobe and all the shelving are surrounded with a large plate glass window in front and a large double window in the rear.

The store adjoining, which has been leased by MR. J. G. McNALLY, is also a very attractive one. The store is of the same depth and width as that to be occupied by Mr. Howie. All the interior woodwork is beautifully finished and painted a light blue, which gives quite a contrast in the appearance of the two stores. Mr. McNally will occupy the whole length and breadth of the building on the second and third floors, and the whole of his business of house furnishing goods which now occupies three stores, will hereafter be conducted in this one large establishment with even more store room at his command than he has ever had before. The store on the ground floor will be occupied with light furniture, crockery, ware, etc., similar to the store which he now runs on the corner, but he will also reserve a small portion of the shelving, which has been specially fitted up for the purpose, for the display of sewing machines and other ware. The second floor is divided in two apartments of equal dimensions, both of which have been very nicely and conveniently finished. The lower store on the second floor will be the carpeting and bed ware store; the other apartment on the same floor will be occupied with parlor and chamber furniture. The third floor is also divided into two apartments and will be used as a store room.

A STORE ROOM
for the cheaper and heavier furniture and other goods. A large elevator is now being constructed in the hall-way between the two stores which will make connection with the three floors occupied by Mr. McNally. When the elevator is not being used, access to the second floor can be made by a hinged stair in the same hall-way. The new wide stairway in the rear of the store. The whole building is probably the best lighted by windows of any building in the city. The second floor has eight large windows in the front and the same on the third floor with the addition of two skylights. Much of the floor work on the building has been done by Mr. Harry Blythe, who has been in charge since the foundation of the building was laid in May last. The painting and graining is the work of Mr. A. S. Thompson—Globe.

Mr. Howie's workshop will be in the same building as that occupied for the same purpose before.

Both Mr. McNally and Mr. Howie expect to move into their new quarters the first of next week.

A Political Curious Match.

An interesting curious match between J. A. R. Howie and the Attorney General and Mr. E. L. Watmore was played at the rink on Saturday evening last. The game was witnessed throughout by a large number of visitors including many ladies. The rink, were as follows: For Geo. Mitchell, Prov. Sec. McLellan, W. A. Park, M. P. P., A. F. Street, T. O. Lippin, Hon. A. G. Blair, skip, E. L. Watmore, skip. The game was very closely contested to the end and resulted in a victory for the leader of the Government with the following score: Blair 12, Watmore 7. The last shot made by the Attorney General in which he displaced several of his opponents' shots, and saved to his rink the game was a fine one and loudly cheered by the spectators.

Monopolized by New Brunswickers.

The Ottawa Times remarks that the immense forests of a crooked crooked are being rapidly destroyed by lumbermen from New Brunswick, who take the lumber to the mills of St. John for manufacture and shipment. All the profits of the vast lumbering interest are monopolized by the merchants of St. John. Nearly all the men and teams engaged in lumbering come from New Brunswick, thus giving to foreigners the whole profits of the business.

Journalistic Note.

The Ottawa Free Press, the able exponent of the Liberal cause at the capital and one of the leading journals of the Upper Provinces, has been again enlarged and otherwise greatly improved. It gives every evidence of increased prosperity.

Church Property Sold.

The leasehold property on Carleton Street, known as the Cooper property, was sold at auction at the County Court House yesterday, by Christ Church corporation and bid in by Nelson Campbell for \$616.

TOWN OF MARYSVILLE.

Area of the Town and other Particulars of its Incorporation.

The bill to incorporate the town of Marysville was before the Committee on Municipalities yesterday and was agreed to with some amendments. It will probably come before the House to-morrow. The bill directs the school district of Marysville into a town, excluding the Lewis lot and the rear of the river lots included in the school district. The town will begin at Mr. John McDonald's lower line, and extend up to the Peniac bridge. On the west it will be bounded by the line of Mr. John Neill's property, and on the east by the Margerville parish line. On the eastern side of the Nashwaak the town will only extend down to Mr. Fisher's lower line. This town will be divided into three wards, distinguished as No. 1, No. 2, and No. 3. No. 1 will be on the west side of the Nashwaak and will extend from the lower line of the town to a line drawn from the western end of the milldam to the Neill line; No. 2 will embrace the remainder of the town on the west side of the Nashwaak; No. 3 will include that part of the town which lies on the east of the Nashwaak. Each ward will elect two councillors, and at the same time the ratepayers will vote for the Mayor and assessors. Provision is made for the appointment by the Government of a Police Magistrate on the request of the Town Council, for the election of a lock-up when ever the Council see fit, and for the appointment by the Council of a police force. The residents of the town will be bound to pay their share of the contingent expenses of the County, of the county school fund and of the interest and sinking fund assessments now imposed. They will vote for the County Councillors as heretofore. They will not be liable for the support of poor outside of the County, and the town will have exclusive control of all matters affecting the town as fully as they are possessed by any other city or town in the province. The act will come in force immediately, but no provisions are so designed that they will not take effect until January next, during the first week in which the preliminary steps will be taken for the election of the first Mayor and councillors which will be held on the fourth Monday in January. Neither the Mayor or councillors will receive any pay.

Fredericton Theatre-Gossip.

It is a great satisfaction to dramatic companies who have visited this city in the last year, to find that Fredericton can turn out as good a house as any other place in the Maritime Province, the advanced seats often surpassing even those of St. John. It is also an encouragement to the party interested in bringing first class companies here, and the result will be that Fredericton will ere long enjoy as good a share of real good dramatic talent as either Halifax or St. John. In fact all first class companies that have visited either of these places in the past six months, have not been allowed to pass by without a call either one or two nights, through the enterprise of our local dramatic agent. It is understood that during the coming season we will be favored with calls from the strongest and very best dramatic companies and operas that have ever visited the Provinces, opening with Mr. W. S. Harkins in "My Father's House" and "The Two Orphans" next month, and each month following we are to enjoy a rare treat in this line of amusement. The very popular drama "Kerry Gow" will be among the attractions of the season with Mr. J. S. Murphy and his splendid company who visited this city last fall.

Salvationists Travelling.

On the late train from Fredericton on Saturday evening were two young girls wearing the hat and badge of the Salvation Army, who attracted considerable attention among the passengers. They were spoken to by Mr. M. Coll, who was on the train, and they told him they had left Fredericton because they could not get work there. They said they had positions but found it impossible to keep them and attend to the Army, so they left for St. John hoping to find employment there. They had no money, and all the clothing they owned they were wearing. Mr. Coll took charge of them when the train arrived in St. John and sent them to Mr. McDonald's Pond street, where they remained till this morning, when they started to see Staff Capt. Morton, of the Army, to find out if the salvationists could do something for them. They gave their names as Painter and Allan and their ages as 16 and 18 respectively. It is supposed they have run away from their homes—Globe.

The Late Wm. Hallett.

The funeral of the late Wm. Hallett, of whose death and the circumstances in connection with it were mentioned in Saturday's Globe, took place at the Free Baptist church at South Kewick on Sunday morning last. The services were very largely attended, the large church being crowded to its utmost capacity, many coming from long distances to attend the funeral. A very effective and powerful sermon was preached by the Rev. J. E. Read from 2 Cor. xiii, 4, chap. 4, v. 18. "For the things which are seen are temporal, but the things which are not seen are eternal." The service throughout was a very solemn and impressive one.

The Mock Parliament Frogsquand.

Although the attendance at the Mock Parliament on Saturday evening was not as large as usual, the session proved to be the most interesting one held since the opening. Several fiery speeches were made by both Government and Opposition members, those of Mr. Hughes, leader of the Government, and Mr. Williams, from Madawaska, being listened to with the keenest attention. The discussion was upon the general policy of the Government. The non-confidence motion of the leader of the Opposition was defeated by a vote of 14 to 10, after which the Parliament was prorogued with the usual ceremonies.

Railway Notes.

The freight traffic of the New Brunswick line is brisk just now. Yesterday 61 loaded cars arrived at McAdam Junction for transportation over the Maine Central. The last locomotive of a contract for 12 arrived at McAdam Junction yesterday from the Manchester Works. Within a few weeks Mr. J. Hogan and his men will resume ballasting operations on the New Brunswick—Globe.

The Salvation Army.

The Fredericton Corps bid farewell on Sunday evening to Capt. Malby and Cadet Clark who left for Moncton, yesterday where they will be assigned new fields of labor at the council of war to be held in that place.

LOCAL LEGISLATURE.

Summary of Proceedings Since Saturday.

Mr. Leighton's Bill to Extend the Franchise.

At Municipal and Civic Elections to Widows and Spinsters.

Sixteen bills were disposed of by the House on Saturday, quite a busy day for everybody from the Speaker down to the pages. Most of them were local bills. Those of general interest were Mr. Leighton's bill to extend the franchise at municipal and civic elections to widows and spinsters. This, as introduced, applied only to Woodstock, but it was amended to include the whole Province. It met with no opposition. The Attorney General consented the bill to provide for the appointment of commissioners under the great seal, and for the taking of evidence on oath before such commissioners. He explained that the Government already had the right to create commissioners, but the commission could not administer an oath. Messrs. Wetmore and Adams opposed the bill, and were replied to by the Attorney General, who showed conclusively that the measure was in the interest of economy. Mr. Wetmore had concluded that the Government, instead of sending out a commission to examine subjects of complaint, could bring the complainants and their witnesses to Fredericton. The Attorney General, in reply, said that there was no process by which such persons could be brought to Fredericton, or to take their sworn testimony after they came, and as to the matter of expense, he thought it would be much cheaper to send one man to the witnesses in any case, than to bring all the witnesses to Fredericton. The bill was agreed on a straight party division. Yesterday morning the house did not sit, the members being engaged in committee work.

The Late Theodore Porter.

The remains of the late Theodore Porter arrived in this city yesterday noon, and were met at the station by a number of the deceased's personal friends and relatives. Accompanying the body were Mr. J. B. Morgan, of the junior class of Acadia College, and Mr. S. W. Porter, a representative sent by the class Miss Clara Porter, of Middleton, N. S., an aunt of the deceased, also came over with Mrs. Porter on her sad mission. The funeral took place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from his mother's residence on Brunswick Street and was very largely attended. The services at the house and the grave were conducted by Rev. F. C. Crowley, pastor of the Baptist Church, assisted by Rev. Jos. McLeod and were marked with characteristic solemnity and sadness.

In Short Note.

Diphtheria still lingers in the city. A large number intend going down to the concert at Belmont this evening.

The Hindoo Festival.

The members of the Free Baptist church and congregation are making extensive preparations for the Hindoo Festival, which they intend giving in the vestry of the church on Thursday evening next. An extraordinary bill of fare is being made up, which will be served by volunteer men arranged in Hindoo costume. Among the other novel features of the bazaar will be a market conducted by an experienced hand after the fashion of the Hindoo bazaars. An attractive and interesting entertainment may be expected by all who attend.

Fredericton Horses to Compete.

The colts stakes open to all comers in Washington Co. Me. and New Brunswick to be trotted over the Calais Driving Park the autumn season commencing on March 1st. Among the list of entries two Fredericton horses are entered as follows—N. A. Lafontaine a Conductor, by Olympus, dam by Goble, J. Bell as Governor Douglas, by Bay Douglas, dam by Melina pony. The former is entered in the three year old class and the latter in the four year old.

A Delayed Train.

The Fredericton train from St. John last evening was delayed a few miles below the Junction by a broken wheel on the tender of the locomotive. It was immediately despatched from Fredericton to the scene of the accident, and the passenger and mail cars were brought to the city, arriving here shortly after eleven o'clock.

Scott Act Legislation.

Mr. J. Willard Smith of the St. John Alliance, is in the city in consultation with Mr. O. H. Luggin, Rev. J. McLeod and Mr. J. A. Belyea, the committee appointed by the Provincial Alliance for the passing of the bill relating to Scott Act legislation. A petition signed by upwards of 5000 has been presented with the bill.

The Fowler Cup.

Williams, of the University, who won the first two races at the Forest Open Air Rink, will receive the Fowler Cup. It will be remembered that the cup was to have been given to the person who won three races throughout the season, but unfortunately here were only two races before the rink was abandoned.

The Missing Letters.

Inspector Symington, from Ottawa, is assisting Post Office Inspector McMillan in his investigations of the missing Chatham registered letters. It is stated that they have a line to the guilty party.

The Telephone System.

The telephone system in the city, is being re-arranged in many places and generally repaired at the hands of Mr. MacKinnon, of St. John, assisted by Mr. D. J. Stockford. The following new subscribers are also being added to the circuit—J. R. Bates & Co., Geo. Hodge, Randolph & Son, Stewart Morrison, John M. Wiley, John Black, G. T. Whelpley, J. S. Neill, (residence) and D. W. Hodge.

Resigning Priest.

Nearly all of the piers at the Douglas booms and about the island have been gone recently and repaired and strengthened. The piers at the Stirling boom show the work will also be put in better condition. Men and teams began work on them this morning.

Holiness Convention.

It is expected a Holiness Convention will place in Fredericton about the middle of April. Rev. Joshua Gill, of Boston, and Deacon George M. Morse, of Putnam, Conn., are expected to be present.

LUMBERING NOTES.

Operators on the Nashwaak—Mr. Connor's business on the Aroostook.

A correspondent informs us that lumbering on the Nashwaak and Fall Brook has been quite extensive during the past year. Besides a large number of small operators all along the stream that have put in from ten to twenty or thirty thousand, the names of the following operators are mentioned: Messrs. Johnston and Palmer have had eighteen men employed and have close on to five hundred thousand on their brow. Mr. O. Sharp has put in upwards of two hundred thousand. Mr. Edward Hay about two hundred and fifty thousand. Mr. A. F. Jones who has recently built the steam saw mill on the Nashwaak, has also been operating quite extensively in the woods near his mill. He will probably have about three hundred thousand. Other operators will receive mention later.

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Fredericton, September, 3, 1884.

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A. H. VANWAT, Campbell Street, Fredericton, March 11.

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Also, Four Building Lots on Little River Road, near Shaw's Bridge, in Saint Mary's.

Also, Two Plots in a desirable locality, on Mackin Street, St. Mary's, a little below the St. John's River. Rent suitable for a private boarding house. Particulars on application.

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