

IN AND ABOUT THE CITY.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Eastern States and Northern New York.—Snow, sleet or rain to night and probably Saturday, rising temperature to night, brisk northeast to northwest winds.

Hockey at Marysville.

Don't forget the hockey match at Marysville rink to-night between the R. C. R. and Marysville.

Concert Next Week.

Victoria Mission Circle of the Methodist church will give a concert at the church vestry on next Thursday evening.

Choir Practice.

The choir of the Methodist Church will meet for practice this evening in the vestry immediately at the close of the regular prayer service.

Basket Ball.

The third game of basket ball will be held this evening at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, when the Tartars and gymnastics teams will play.

Fire Department Matters.

The investigation into fire department matters will be begun this evening before the fire committee, at the City Council chamber, at 7:30 o'clock. The inquiry will be open to the public.

Social Event.

Miss Daisy Perkins entertained a number of her friends at her home on Saunders Street last evening, a very enjoyable time being spent. What was the principal amusement. Refreshments were served.

Celebrating Ninety-First Birthday.

Mr. John Guion, mother of Mr. Will not Guion, is today celebrating her 91st birthday. She is remarkably hale and hearty, cheerful and bright, for a lady of her great age. She took dinner today with her son and this evening Mr. Guion and family and other friends will take supper with her.

For the Ladies.

Jas. P. Hogan, ladies' costumer and tailor, will be at the Queen Hotel Tuesday and Wednesday, 25th and 26th inst., in his spring season's business trip. He is showing an exceptionally fine range of imported goods for spring costume, also the most select style and models. The ladies of Fredericton are respectfully invited to call and inspect the same. All orders faithfully executed and satisfaction guaranteed.—3 in.

Police Court.

At the police court this morning the first business was done that has occupied the attention of the Court for over a month, when two drunks were before His Honor. One, a resident of Douglas, got off with the usual deposit of \$1, while the other, a city resident, went to jail for five days in default of paying the fine. Charles Hadlin was before the Court upon a charge of vagrancy. He pleaded not guilty and was remanded until Monday next.

A New Brunswick Product.

This speaks well for New Brunswick manufacturers. Mr. J. A. Edwards this afternoon received a letter from Mr. J. S. Sanborn, of Chase and Sanborn, Boston, in which the writer says that he has eaten breakfast in many parts of the world, but never did he eat such excellent bacon as that served at breakfast at Queen hotel when he was recently in Fredericton. He wished Mr. Edwards to furnish him with the address of the packers who put up the bacon so that he might procure some for his own breakfast table. Of course it was Dunn's. Mr. Edwards has written informing Mr. Sanborn that Surveyor General Dunn is at present at Boston, visiting the Sportsmen's Show.

Mrs. Black at Boston.

In a letter received today from a friend in Boston the friend writes that the musicale given there on Feb. 5th was a great success. Mrs. John Black of this city, who is visiting friends there, took part. Mrs. Black sang two numbers, Agnes Del of Blets and Don by Bette, a German song. Mrs. Black and her sister, also from this city, were in the audience, and were among those to congratulate Mrs. Black, saying they were proud of their country and its representative. Mrs. Black has continued her daily lessons during her stay in Boston, and it is said to be better voices than ever. She will also sing before some celebrities on the first of next week. Mrs. Black will return home the latter part of next week.

SPANISH RIOTS.

Great Excitement Prevails All Over the Country.

MADRID, Feb. 21.—According to this morning's advices from Barcelona, the situation there is improving, although it is still threatening. Advice received here direct from Bilbao, Valladolid, Coruna, Gijona and other industrial centres of Spain, show that the attitude of miners and other workmen is distinctly threatening. The greatest excitement prevails everywhere, and the general situation is extremely grave.

TRAIN QUARANTINED.

Notable Personages Forced to Remain on C. P. R. Train—Smallpox Discovered.

TORONTO, Feb. 21.—The C. P. R. express which left Ottawa last night for Toronto is quarantined near here, owing to the discovery of a case of smallpox on board. Colonel Denison, Mr. Dryden, M. P., and many others, are on board.

Y. Z. (wise head) has an advantage over soap powders inasmuch as it also acts as a disinfectant.

SOCIAL GATHERING.

Social at the Methodist Parsonage—The Programme.

Upwards of one hundred invited guests assembled at the Methodist Parsonage last evening, it being the evening of the social given by the home department of the Sunday school to the teachers, visitors, officers and members of that department. The Pastor, Rev. Dr. Chapman, and Mrs. Chapman, received the visitors very cordially, and the Doctor gave a very fitting address of welcome. Rev. J. J. Teasdale also addressed the assembly for a few minutes and was listened to with great interest.

After the following programme refreshments were served.—Piano duet, Mrs. Edwin Clark and Miss Emma Gardiner; address of welcome, Pastor; solo, Bertie Thomas; reading, J. B. Allen; address by the Superintendent, Mr. Osborn; vocal duet, Misses Ethel Lotzner and Carrie Gardiner; piano and banjo duet, Misses Jennie Torrens and Annie Tweeddale; address Rev. J. J. Teasdale.

WHIST PARTIES.

Dr. and Mrs. Vanwart Entertain Friends—Delightful Surprise Party Last Evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Vanwart entertained about thirty of their friends at their home last evening. Progressive whist was much enjoyed by all, there being six tables. The prize winners were—Miss Clara Reid, J. Beverley, Mrs. Jos. Colter and Mr. W. S. Fisher. Refreshments were passed during the evening and at midnight a sumptuous supper was served.

About thirty five friends of Miss Nellie Parker, called at her home on King street, last evening, and gave her a delightful surprise party. It was not long before progressive whist was announced and eight tables were kept in motion until a late hour, the prize winners being Miss Belle Staple, Mrs. Alfonso Kitchen and Messrs. W. R. Parker and Frank H. Logley. The evening passed all too quickly for the young people, and it was in the wee small hours before they took their departure; but before doing so they had a flashlight photographed by Merseau.

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Spring Shirts.

They have opened at Oak Hall a large variety of regatta and soft front shirts from the factories of Tooke Bros., Williams Green & Baine and E. Van Allen & Co., all of the very latest patterns, styles and grades, it will be to your advantage to inspect these goods early as they are already on the move, the prices 75c., \$1.00, \$1.25, will keep them going.—A.

Immigrant Cheese.

G. T. Whelphy has received to day McLaren's cheese in small jars, 25 cts., and medium jars 50 cts.—A.

Ham Ready for the Table.

Another lot of these superior P. E. I. hams and bacon at Logan's, including cooked ham sliced and sold just as one wishes it; also, boneless ham sliced by the pound, and selected small hams, rolled bacon and breakfast bacon.—A.

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DRIVE AND DANCE.

A Drive by Moonlight and Dance at the Home of Mr. A. R. Miles.

A very happy driving party was that which went last evening to the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Miles at Marysville. The party left the city early in the evening and thoroughly enjoyed the beautiful moonlight drive. Arriving at the hospitable home all were charmingly received and delightfully entertained. Dancing was indulged in until near midnight, when supper was served, and the merry makers arrived home about one o'clock.

Mrs. W. T. Whitehead chaperoned the party and those participating were Mrs. R. A. March, Misses Taber, Winslow, Carrie, Babbitt, Whitehead, Armstrong, St. John, Wiley, Wilson, Thompson, Coulthard, Misses W. T. Whitehead, W. B. McLellan, S. W. Babbitt, H. S. Murray, D. H. Neil, R. B. Hanson, C. A. Robinson, Edgar, Miles, Dr. Wiley, Dibblee, D. B. Winslow, T. Oulins, Seeley.

SKATING PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Delightfully Entertained a Party of Friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Merritt of Marysville entertained friends last evening in a novel and happily conceived manner and that all thoroughly enjoyed themselves need not be reiterated to those who know of the charming hospitality of the host and hostess. Friends to the number of sixty were entertained at a masquerade skating party at Marysville rink. The band was in attendance, and at 9:30 o'clock the skaters unmasked, after which skating was enjoyed for another hour. Many of the costumes worn were strikingly handsome. After the skating the party repaired to the home of the host and hostess where a recherche supper was served.

The guests were—Mr. and Mrs. W. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. D. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. M. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. C. Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gibson, Mrs. Merritt, Mrs. E. Tapley, Mrs. J. R. McConnell, Mrs. P. E. Edgercomb, Misses Day, Misses Tuffe, Misses Likely, Misses Millington, Misses Lowley, Misses Inch, Misses Tapley, Misses McConnell, Miss Blair, Misses Donnelly, Misses Cadwallader, Misses Oulins, Mrs. Clayton, Dr. and Mrs. Fisher, Mr. Shaw, Mr. A. A. Rideout, Mr. F. Dwyer, Dr. McMurray, Mr. V. Babbitt, Mr. W. Torrens, Mr. H. Pope, St. John, Mr. E. Merritt, Mr. J. Christie, Mr. G. Babbitt, Mr. A. Perley, Mr. F. Edwards, Mr. F. Smith, Mr. F. Robinson, Mr. J. Hatt, Mr. W. McPherson, Mr. W. McCatroll.

Unintentionally Omitted.

The names of two ladies who took part in the programme at the social at Gibson on Wednesday evening were unintentionally omitted in last night's GLEANER. Miss Jennie Babbitt gave a solo and Miss Emack a reading, which were much enjoyed.

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