

LOCAL MATTERS OF INTEREST.

SATURDAY

Farmers driving to and from the city seem to have been unusually careless of the parcels lately, and numbers of packages have been reported as missing.

It has been stated that some persons are getting ready to oppose the Navy Island bridge project and the success of the scheme will only be attended by the exercise of much care.

The ice companies are busy cutting ice and the crop at Spruce Lake and Lily Lake is reported excellent.

Early yesterday morning Mrs. Ann McClintock Henderson, died at the residence of Mr. A. J. Myrie, 81-1/2 streets street.

The live stock shipments from this port during the month of January have been unusually large.

The total wheat crop of Ontario last year was 18,419, 142 bushels compared with 18,019, 142 bushels in 1907.

The total amount collected by the Catholic churches in this diocese last Sunday for the relief of the stricken inhabitants of Montreal is \$1,154.

MONDAY

The many friends of Miss Maude Rogers, of Kentville, who was formerly companion to Madame Sinar.

There are two applicants for the Prince Edward Island for the Rhodes Scholarship this year.

Six children dying of diphtheria within a fortnight in the affliction that George Cleveland, of South Berwick, has undergone.

Intense indignation prevails at Sussex over the treatment accorded the Sussex hockey team at Moncton last week.

TUESDAY

The absolute purity and delicious flavor, the refreshing and invigorating qualities of "Salada" Tea have made it the daily beverage of millions of satisfied users.

Yesterday afternoon Dr. McFarland of Fairville was visited by a colored man named James A. Walker who was suffering from an obstruction in his throat.

Don Longley, the champion backward skater of the Maritime Provinces, is desirous of skating a half mile backward race from opposite sides with any person in the province.

On Wednesday eight liquor cases will come before Commissioner Farris. Those are alleged violations from Salmon River, St. Hilaire, St. Basil and St. Andrew.

On Saturday Chief of Police Foster returned from the section of the G. T. P. between Edmundston and Grand Falls where, pursuant to an order from Ottawa, he had been patrolling the right of way and disarming all the Italians.

The schooner Wood Bros., which was seriously damaged in a bad wreck at West Quaco on Saturday night last, is now being repaired.

WEDNESDAY

An interesting entertainment was given in Brussels street Baptist church program of the evening.

Word has been received here from George Wallace, the English runner, that his little sister Ruth, was burned to death in their home in London on Jan. 18.

THURSDAY

Rev. T. J. Delnstedt conducted the special service in Queen square church last evening.

A large number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Conlon were present last evening, when they called with the intention of taking charge of their home and having a good time.

Fishing through the ice has become quite a practice on the rivers and streams near the city.

Alfred G. Vanwart an esteemed resident of Wickham, Queens Co., passed peacefully away to his rest on Wednesday evening, Jan. 28th.

Mr. Vanwart will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends and acquaintances who will regret to hear of his death.

BOSTON, Feb. 3.—Abraham A. Elston, a prominent building contractor, died at his home in Boston and today.

CHATHAM, Feb. 3.—Charles Webster of Cambridge, was erroneously reported as belonging to St. John, was sentenced to six months in jail by Magistrate Connors this morning for stealing a suit of clothes and some small articles from Reginald Henry of Hotel Touraine.

Rev. George W. Titus has accepted the pastorate of Coburg street Christian church in the care of Rev. J. P. Floyd, who is now located at Charlottetown, P. E. I.

HALIFAX, Feb. 3.—The Halifax Fish Company factory in Dartmouth was destroyed by fire tonight.

The Fredericton Gas Co. has lost an electric light generator which cost \$3500, and a new one has been ordered to replace it.

Many daily habits, particularly of eating and drinking, are formed by following our elders.

OPPOSITION IN P. E. I. LEGISLATURE ACTIVE

CHARLOTTETOWN, Feb. 3.—The opposition in the provincial legislature, embodied in the fact that we have this year a baker's dozen of members of thirty instead of a much smaller number.

FIRST POULTRY SHOW HERE PROVES A GREAT SUCCESS

Over Four Hundred Birds of Many Varieties on Exhibition—Birds of Excellent Quality—Keen Competition Among the Black Minorcas—Work of Judging

The poultry show in the Sears building was well attended this morning, many persons taking advantage of the chance to see a fine collection of fowl.

Mr. Killion, who has a good entry in many of the classes, made a grand total of 360. In the Rhode Island Red class Mr. Killion's entry was judged a first one.

Fredericton has another sensation. Charge laid against Chief of Police.

A SCOTT ACT ECHO in the Escape of "Spotter"

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ST. JOHN MAN IS TOWN MARSHAL AT SACKVILLE

SACKVILLE, Feb. 3.—Mr. W. J. Sullivan, formerly a member of the St. John council, has been appointed Town Marshal of Sackville.

MONCTON, N. B., Feb. 3.—At the adjourned meeting of the New Brunswick Petroleum Co., which was held Monday, was presented the agreement entered into with the Maritime Oil Fields Ltd., which had already been ratified at a previous meeting.

GASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Watson. In Use For Over Thirty Years. CASTORIA. EXACT COPY OF WRAPPER.

NOTICE OF SALE To the Heirs at Law, next of kin, Executors, Administrators and Assignees of William Crofton, deceased.

HALF-BROTHER AND SISTER MARRIED Young People Were Told They Were Cousins—Fell in Love, Eloped and Wed.

PLAYING HAVOC WITH PATENT MEDICINES An Old-fashioned, Home-Made Mixture which Cures Kidney and Liver Trouble.

ONE KILLED AS RESULT OF WIND NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 10.—One person was killed, another injured, possibly fatally, and serious material damage was done today when a wind of great force struck this city.

MARRIAGES PIERCE-SAYRE—At St. John west on March 17, 1908, by Rev. H. R. Reid, Evelyn Sayre, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sayre, of Roxbury, Mass., to James Harrison Pierce, of St. John.

WANTED. MEN WANTED—Reliable men in every locality throughout Canada to advertise our goods, tack up show-cards on trees, fences, bridges, and all conspicuous places, also distribute small advertising matter.

South African Veterans. Wishing to dispose of land grant for cash, write at once, stating least possible price, to JOHN BORDER, Yorkton, Sask.

Wholesale Liquors. WM. L. WILLIAMS, Successor to M. A. Fines, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 115 Prince William St. Established 1870. Write for family price list.

SCHOONER GEORGE HERE, GROUND Captain and Crew Marooned on Monroe Island, Maine. Vessel Starts to Assist—ance of Wrecked Sch. but Fails to Reach Her. Crew—Escape by Climbing from End of Jibboom to Surf.

ROCKLAND, Me., Feb. 10.—While trying to get in Penobscot Bay to seek shelter the three-masted schooner George of New York, Captain Smith, mistook and ran her forefoot on the bleak headland of Monroe Island, off Owl's Head, during the heavy snow squall early today.

A fishing schooner belonging to M. T. Jamison & Co. of Owl's Head was sent out to the assistance of the wrecked vessel, but was unable to get close in shore upon reaching the island.

AMHERST, N. S., Feb. 2.—A very serious accident occurred today at Jubilee coal mines about three miles from Maccan station, when Peter Murphy, underground manager, and his oil cutter, Charles Ackles, were seriously crushed.

THEY were brought to Amherst Hospital. Ackles is married and belongs to London, Ontario, having been made in the Eastern Settlement, on called on the eastern shore of the Washemosee Road, and originally granted to Donald McLachlan and devised by him to his two sons by will, namely, Donald P. McLachlan and Robert J. McLachlan and duly registered in the Registry Office in the Records in and for Kings County, and on the North by the block line of the Grant and containing in the whole two hundred acres more or less.

SNOW FOR MEN WOMEN AND Moccas Tobogg Skis. W. H. Thorne. Market Square, St.