

FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, April 13—A successful basket social in the interests of the Hopewell Cape basket club, was held in the public hall at the shore town last evening.

A large number of the young people from the village went to Menel on Saturday evening, and enjoyed a maple candy party at the residence of S. S. Stevens.

In addition to the various forms of the maple product, made on the spot, ice cream was served and games and music furnished.

Forse Downey, the young son of Harding Downey, of Louisbourg, who has been seriously ill for a long time, is slowly improving. Dr. Carwash is attending him.

The Presbyterian church at Riverside, will be opened during the summer, a divinity student, just out from Scotland, having arrived last week to conduct services for a few months.

Mrs. Alice Barkhouse, widow of Wm. E. Barkhouse, sold her household effects at auction on Saturday, having broken up housekeeping.

The proprietors of the new fish weir on the Daniel's, although they have only barely got the weir erected, are already reaping a good harvest, having had a fine run of cod.

Light Keeper E. C. Peck, at Grandstone Island, was off to the mainland recently, his first trip since the ice ran out. Mr. Peck and his engineer report a satisfactory passing of their enforced sojourn on the ice-bound island, having a great deal of thick weather. The new light installed last fall, which has been a "fixed" light, the past winter, will now be operated as an intermittent or revolving light, the clock work for which will be set up shortly.

Hopewell Hill, April 15—The death occurred recently at Chester, Albert county, of Mrs. Tingley, widow of John Tingley. Mrs. Tingley was upwards of 80 years of age, and before her marriage was Miss Elizabeth Cole. She was a woman of many excellent qualities, and was very highly respected. Surviving her are several sons and daughters—Chapman Tingley, of River side; Arthur, of Lower Cape; John and Edson, of Chester; Mrs. Harvey Stevens, of Albert; Mrs. Joseph Stevens, of Moncton; and Mrs. Harvey Walton, of Westport. The funeral took place yesterday.

Harvey S. Wright has elected commissioner for the Shepody marsh district, known as the "Green Marsh." In an election held today that was made necessary by the resignation of J. Wesley Newcomb. Mr. Newcomb held the position until the end of the term, which will be four years.

The proprietors of the new fish weir have already reaped such a bountiful harvest, that a number of other residents are putting up a second weir on the Shepody Bay flats.

Mrs. Sophronia Robinson, who recently sold her residence to P. H. Russell, has taken rooms in the residence of E. G. Robinson.

WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, N. B., April 14—The roll call of the I. O. O. F. hall this evening with the attendance, one of the largest in the history of the lodge. Hon. W. H. Jones delivered an address on the Relationship of Oddfellowship to Citizenship. Addresses were also delivered by Frank Baird, W. B. Byles, A. G. Bailey, H. E. Burt, Dr. Munzer and J. A. Hayden. Seventy-five members responded when their name was called. At the close a banquet was served by the lodge in the recreation room. The whole affair was an unqualified success.

Stanley Wilson, a well known and prosperous young farmer, died at his home in Hartford this morning, aged 40 years. He is survived by his widow, five brothers and two sisters.

F. B. Carvell, M. P., returned to Ottawa today. He arrived here yesterday.

H. P. Robinson, of the special customs service staff, is in town today.

Dr. Duval Stuart, M. P., who was to address the I. O. O. F. here tonight, was unable to attend owing to his parliamentary duties.

Miss Bessie Leonard, of Canterbury, is very ill with typhoid fever.

FREDERICTON

Fredricton, N. B., April 14—At the morning service in St. Dunstan's church yesterday, Rev. Father Orneaux, made a strong attack on the I. O. O. F. He claims to be an ex-priest, and recently lectured here.

As a result of the mild weather today the ice jam at Springhill is rapidly breaking up. Quite a number of logs went down river with the ice this morning. It is believed now that the draw span of the highway bridge recently carried away by ice is lying directly in the channel, partly raised below the granite boom, which having fallen, the granite pier which tumbled over can now be seen from the Fredericton end of the bridge. It is lying up on its side and seems to be intact.

A St. Mary's man was fined \$15 for assault in the police court this morning. A boy named Albert Smith says he was struck by a spent bullet while waiting on Maryland Hill yesterday morning. Fredericton, April 15—Steamer D. J. Purdy, of the Crystal Steamship line, is lying at Oranocote, having been there all day. She will get to Fredericton tomorrow morning to inaugurate her regular service. She will be the first of the river steamers to arrive. Tugs are expected here tomorrow to begin the work of getting out the boom for the St. John River Log Driving Company. Three are now at Oranocote. Some ice is running but is in small cakes and would do no damage to steamers.

The absence of means of proper communication with St. Mary's and Gibson for vehicles and pedestrians is the cause of general complaint on the part of merchants of the city, who are meeting with heavy loss in business through the interruption of traffic caused by carrying out the draw span of the highway bridge. The loss has been estimated at \$1,000 per day and is being very much felt.

There is demand for a ferry service until temporary span is constructed. Inability to get plenty is holding its construction back now.

The supreme court will meet tomorrow to dispose of the balance of the docket. This will probably be the last session of the court as presently constituted, as the act of last session creating an appellate and trial divisions will likely be brought into force before the next term.

Attorney General Gummer and Premier Fleming while in Ottawa this week will likely arrange for appointment of the

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Additional judge, Mr. Gummer is likely to be the man although O. S. Crockett, M. P., is making his claims.

The adjourned annual meeting of the Fredericton Park Association was held here evening. The following directors were elected:—A. B. Ritchie, Hugh Leitch, John Allen, Hugh O'Neil, J. H. Fleming, D. McCatherine, H. G. Kitchen, G. C. McKay and H. J. Morgan.

The financial statement showed a small balance on hand. It was said that an offer had been received from C. H. Wheeler of Houston to lease the track for a mid-summer meet and was under consideration.

The R. W. George property in St. Mary's was sold under foreclosure here this morning. It was bid in by J. J. F. Moore, acting for the National Drug & Chemical Co., of \$250.

Mild weather prevails here today and the water in the river is rising slowly.

George Albert, the eleven months old child of Alderman and Mrs. P. G. Hoban, died last night after a short illness.

Joel S. Scott, arrested in company with a young girl, was arraigned in the police court this morning and further remanded until tomorrow.

Fredricton, N. B., April 16—His Honor the Governor was present at the Opera House tonight by the Woodstock Dramatic Club. A large and appreciative audience was present, students of the University of New Brunswick turning out in large numbers. After the performance the visiting dramatic club was entertained at supper at the officers' mess of No. 3, Market Depot. The band of the 71st York Regiment furnished music while the supper was in progress.

Joel S. Scott, a man upwards of sixty years of age, who is charged with a serious offence against a girl under fourteen years of age, appeared before the police court this afternoon for preliminary examination. He was remanded till Friday morning for the accused.

The ice run today held the steamer D. J. Purdy at Oranocote, and no attempt to reach Fredericton was made. The steamer will try to come up tomorrow.

Benjamin E. Omer, proprietor of Tabu simia, has made an assignment to Rhenif John O'Brien, of Northumberland county. Rev. Joseph B. Saindon, of Renous, Northumberland county, has been authorized to solemnize marriages hereafter.

William M. Burns, F. A. Good, T. A. Barkhouse, Fletcher Peacock and Geo. A. Inch, proprietors of the new company proposed to establish a fox ranch at Murray Corner, Westmorland county, and have an authorized capitalization of \$250,000. A number of the local men who are interested in the new company have been interested in the Murray Corner Black Fox Co., which also has a ranch at Murray Corner.

Application is made for the incorporation of the Kings County Telephone Co., Limited, with a capitalization of \$50,000 to conduct a telephone business at Long Beach, parish of Kings, Kings county. The following appointments are gazetted today:—Charlottetown—Arthur H. Hiltz to be a police magistrate for the town of Milltown, in place of Eustace Chabry, resigned.

Restigouche county—Francis F. Matheson to be judge of probate in place of Wm. Murray, deceased.

A. Ernest G. MacKenzie to be a master of the supreme court in place of Wm. Murray, deceased.

City and county of St. John—Frank F. Gervais to be a commissioner of the General Public Hospital, in place of Dr. A. J. O'Brien, deceased.

Frank S. Purdy, Brunswick B. Brittain and LeBaron R. Thompson to be justices of the peace.

In the Supreme Court this morning in the matter of George F. Keyes, appellant, and A. H. Hamilton and W. B. Byles, respondents, liquidators of the Miramichi Pulp & Paper Co. Mr. Teed, K. C., supported an appeal from an order of Judge Barry, made under the winding up act; Mr. Gregor, K. C. contra. The court considered the case at Springhill has broken and the only ice in the river is piled along the shores. The weather is very mild and the water is rising.

CENTREVILLE

Centreville, N. B., April 14—Very little produce is going to market. A few potatoes are being sold. The price ranges from 7 to 30 cents per barrel. There has been an advance in price in Aroostook county. Green Mountain now bring \$1.15 to \$1.25. It will be a great boom for St. John county if the Democrats pass the proposed tariff measure.

Rev. C. W. Waldren has handed in his resignation as pastor of the Baptist church. Mr. Waldren has been here for many years and is an excellent preacher and a good citizen.

A. A. H. Margison and P. D. Tweedie were in St. John last week to interview the executive of the government in the interest of the Centreville Agricultural Society. This society is steadily going ahead and working in the interests of the farmers. Financially they are in excellent shape and have a surplus of about \$600. They already have five acres of ground and a fine two story exhibition building, also horse and cattle sheds. They find, however, that they need many more sheds and intend putting up some this summer to cost about \$1,200. The two days' show will be somewhat earlier than last year, Sept. 24 and 25. If land can be secured at a fair rate they also intend building a track the coming summer. This will be of great benefit to those raising colts and will add much to the attractiveness of the show next fall.

Construction work on the railroad is going along at a good rate a mile below the village. A start is to be made on the bridge across the Preaque lake stream the first of May. This will be a high bridge about sixty feet above the water. John Connors and P. Corbett have been here several times arranging for right of way but have not as yet been able to settle with all the land owners.

P. D. Tweedie has been laid up for a week with an abscess on his lip. Messes have been very prevalent here lately but of a mild type.

A new post office is to be established between Centreville and Florenceville call-

PARALYSED AND COULD NOT WALK

"Fruit-a-lives" Completely Restored New Brunswick Merchant to Health.

Amherst, N. S., April 15—G. B. Reiser, vice-president and general manager of the Moncton Tramway, Electric & Gas Company, together with F. C. Haskell, assistant secretary and treasurer of the same, were in Amherst today in connection with the project of introducing gas for light, power and domestic purposes into this town.

Mr. Reiser said that the company could not promise definitely to have the gas pipes laid in Amherst this season, but where permanent streets were to be laid in the city this summer the necessary pipe lines would also be laid for future operations, and it is the intention to have gas in Amherst as soon as possible.

County Court opened in Amherst this morning with four criminal cases on the docket, Judge Patterson presiding. Edwards, one of the men arrested in Springhill for theft, was sentenced to twelve months in the county jail. His honor said that he would have made the sentence a year in the penitentiary if he had not been Edwards' brother to that place.

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HARCOURT

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Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Ingram, of Moncton, are spending a few days with relatives in the village.

Mrs. James Buckley, Miss Margaret Wellwood, Fred Wellwood and W. F. Buckley went to Newcastle on Sunday to join her husband, who went there some time ago.

Willard Barnes, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Leonard Barnes, left recently for the Phippsburg district, where Mrs. Barnes will join her husband, who went there some time ago.

Mrs. John Beattie spent a few days recently with Moncton friends.

Much sympathy is expressed for the family of the late Mrs. David J. Buckley, whose death occurred at New castle on Saturday morning last, after an illness of several months. The late Mrs. Buckley was formerly Miss Mary Wellwood, a native of this province, besides her husband is survived by a son, Lee, two daughters, Rita and Yvonne; her mother, Mrs. Margaret Wellwood, and the following brothers and sisters: Albert and Robert, of the I. C. R.; Sydney, Mrs. W. Buckley, Miss Margaret and Fred Wellwood, of Harcourt. The deceased lady and her gentle and kindly disposition and her devoted Christian character had endeared herself to a large circle of friends, who will be missed not only in her own home, where she was an ideal wife and mother, but by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance.

RICHIBUCTO

Richibucto, April 15—Rev. C. A. Hardie will be inducted to the charge of St. Andrew's church, Restigouche, on the evening of Thursday, the 26th inst.

Mrs. Thomas Jones, of Moncton, has been in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hutchinson.

R. A. Patterson, a student at Dalhousie College, Halifax, with the ministry in view, came home on Saturday to spend a little while with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson, before leaving for a mission field in the northern part of the province.

Wm. Tweedie, also a student at Dalhousie College, with the ministry in view, was in town on Saturday, on his way to Kouchibouguac to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien, who has been ill for more than a week with pneumonia, has now passed the danger point.

Friends will regret to learn that Charles Allen, who has been seriously ill for more than two months, is not expected to recover. His father, who is in Campbellton, has been sent here.

REXTON

Rexton, N. B., April 15—A serious accident occurred at Little Chockah yesterday morning. Alphonse Boucher, son of Placide Boucher, was in the act of discharging an old gun, which had been loaded some time, when it exploded and he was severely injured. He was brought to town for medical treatment and Dr. Givon and Dr. Mahoney found it necessary to remove one of his eyes. The young man, who was about 19 years of age, had been at work in the mill. He was carrying his hand out to lay on the ground and attach a string so he could keep at some distance from the gun but instead he held it at arm's length, with the foregoing result.

He was standing in the rear of his home when the explosion occurred and the porch was blown off the building and several windows in the main house broken. Some children standing nearby dodged behind the well-house before the explosion occurred.

The death occurred at St. Anne's Saturday morning of Edward Richard, a widower, aged 83 years. He is survived by a widow and one daughter, Mrs. John Richard, also a sister, Mrs. Honor Babineau. The funeral took place yesterday morning, interment was in the St. Anne's cemetery.

MR. ALVA PHILLIPS

Bristol, N. B., July 25th, 1911. "I am unable to say enough in favor of 'Fruit-a-lives' as it saved my life and restored me to health, when I had given up all hope and when the doctors had failed to do anything more for me. I had a stroke of Paralysis in March, 1910, and was unable to walk or help myself, and the Constipation of the bowels was terrible. Nothing did me any good and I was wretched in every way. Finally, I took 'Fruit-a-lives' for the Constipation and it not only cured me of that trouble but gradually this fruit medicine toned up the nerves and actually cured the paralysis. Under the use of 'Fruit-a-lives' I grew stronger and stronger until all the talsy and weakness left me. I am now well again and attend my store every day and all day."

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TO VICTORIOUS GREECE

Maid of Athens, true of heart, Bravely had thou played thy part, Hast overthrow the Moslem band, By thine arms acquired thy land; Hear me pray, or bend thy knee, Tribute due, fair Greece, to thee!

Victor in the hard fought fray, Thine arms, thy conquering way, O'er Parnassus' heights, O'er the mountains dewed with blood; Bright has flashed thy vengeful sword, Smiting down the Turkish horde.

Salonica's sea girl frowns; Hailed thy swift advancing powers; Jaunia's girl circled height; Could not stay thy fiery might; Macedon once more a thing, when Oedre of great Philip's line.

By thine ancient glories won—Siam and Marathon; By thine arms, thy conquering way, O'er Parnassus' heights, O'er the mountains dewed with blood; Bright has flashed thy vengeful sword, Smiting down the Turkish horde.

Daughter of heroic sire, Light again thy sacred fires! Let thy glad tomorrow be: What thy poets dreamed for thee; So shall we, in freedom born, Hail the Homer's Greece reborn!

—R. H. Fitching, in N. Y. Sun.

WOLLASTON PASTOR, SUED FOR ALIENATION, WINS HIS CASE

Jury Returns Verdict for the Rev. Mr. Ayers and Women Cheer Him.

Boston, Mass., April 15—After twenty-five minutes' deliberation a jury, which has been hearing the evidence in the \$25,000 alienation of affection suit of Chester Gibson against the Rev. Mr. William B. Ayres, pastor of the Park and Down Church, of Wollaston, yesterday returned a verdict for Mr. Ayres.

In his closing argument Judge Samuel Cutler, counsel for the plaintiff, referring to the pastor's past life, said the clergyman had been twice divorced before he was twenty-one years old and characterized him as a struggling actor. "He came to Boston against his better judgment," he said, "and he never organized in any church. The church took him in as any weak woman would take him on sight."

The pastor was applauded by a score of women as he left the room. Boynton will appeal to the supreme court. Doorkeeper (to late comer): "No, madam. I dare not open the door while this lady is present. They'd all run out!"

PROVINCIAL PERSONALS

Chatham Gazette: W. A. Lockhart, of St. John, was in town over Sunday, the guest of Ald. Snowball and J. H. Deering, of St. John, were in Fredericton on Monday.

Victoria County News: W. H. Barker, of St. John, was at Dionne's Hotel this week. L. T. Phillips, St. John, was at the Dionne Hotel this week.

Halifax Chronicle: H. C. Crighton, of St. John, is at the Halifax.

Bay Gazette: C. H. McDonald, of St. John, was in town Monday.

Fredricton Gleaner: Miss Jean Fowler, of St. John, spent Sunday at Victoria.

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THE BAPTIST MINISTERS

(Maritime Baptist).

President Cullen, of Acadia, was in Boston last week.

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Rev. Harry W. Jackson, formerly pastor at Nashwaak, N. B., and for the last two or three years at Kempsville, Ont., has accepted a call to Boieswain, Manitoba.

Dr. J. A. Gordon, Montreal, is now recovering.

Rev. J. D. Lyttle, now at Colgate Theological Seminary, will after graduation on May 14, return to Nova Scotia, and will be open to a call.

Rev. A. J. Prosser has just completed two years as pastor of the North Vancover church. More than 100 members have been received in that church.

Dr. J. A. Eaton, New York, is president of the Canadian Club of that city.

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Rev. C. W. Waldren has resigned the Centreville (N. B.) pastorate after three years' faithful service. His past office address until further notice is Centreville, Carleton county (N. B.).

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Dr. J. A. Gordon, Montreal, who has been seriously ill for some weeks, is now recovering, we are glad to learn. He is not yet able to take up any work, but hopes very soon to be about his Master's business.

Rev. Gordon H. Baker, of the Temple Baptist church, Montreal, has been released from pastoral duties for six months that he may devote himself to raising \$35,000 needed to complete the new building.

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How Twenty-five Cents a Day Goes

In Collier's Weekly is printed a letter which would interest every thinking father and mother. It tells of a boy who has saved twenty-five cents a day when he was but six years old. The money was prudently invested and by the time he was ready for college amounted to more than two thousand dollars. The income from this plus the daily twenty-five cents and a small amount advanced by the father, paid his college expenses.

It is the opinion of the majority who will see the importance of this matter. The mayor has the word of the Toronto Railway Company. Light Company is also said to be one which will involve over \$60,000,000. This will follow the plan of the city government's system.

Legislation will follow at once or having the assurance that it will be put through, and then little more than the sanction of the vote.

Outlay of \$20,000,000. The cost of the street rail the city has not been authorized in underfunded from an authorized bond