LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Seventeen applicants for positions

nurses took the examinations at the General Public Hospital Wednesday.

The offer of Leonard Bros. to operate

Rev. D. H. Marr, of Silver Falls, has re-

The ladies' association of the Natural History Society of New Brunswick has elected Mrs. G. F. Matthew, president; Mrs. G. U. Hay, 1st vice-president; Miss Alice Jack, 2nd vice-president; Miss Edith

Company, Ltd., and its leg was broken. The injured animal was taken to its stable

A wedding was solumnized Thursday evening, when Miss Bessle S. Brown, daughter of John S. Brown, of Douglas

avenue, was married to Albert E. Baxter. clerk with A. M. Rowan. The ceremony

Kim, rector of St. Luke's church, officiated. The couple were unattended, and only their near relatives were present. Supper was served, and a musical pro-

Baxter drove to No. 56 High street

C P. R. COLLISION.

Was in an Accident Thursday,

But Not a Very Serious One.

The C. P. R. Atlantic express on the

vented the train reaching here until 6.45 o'clock, some seven hours late. The man who was hurt is Louis Kirke, who is trav-

eling from South Dakota to Denmark His forehead was cut. The C. P. R. ad

A dispatch from Southwest Harbo

The Adelaide was commanded and own-

age (N.S.), and was bound from Boston

to Wolfeville with a cargo of fertilize

The Canadian Drug Company Tuesday will probably all be ready for operation about the beginning of next week. commenced moving into their new quarters on Mill street. They will be settled

The Y. M. S. of St. Joseph will hold a pool tournament this winter, the first game taking place tonight.

James A. Waugh, of Granville (N. S.), was fined for fraudulent marking of apple barre's at the police court, Tuesday fifty cents each on six barrels.

Invitations are out for the Army Medical Corps' reception to be held at their armory, Oddfellows' Hall, on the evening

ceived a call to become pastor of Carleton Methodist church on the expiration of Thos. J. Durick, the Main street druggist, has purchased the building in which his store is situated. The property belonged to Messrs. Doherty & Foster.

Margaret E. Pugsley, wife of Robert Pugsley, died Saturday, Nov. 29, in Cam-bridge (Mass.), after a long illness. She was a native of Nova Scotia and was 39

The Maritime Coal Company are at present engaged in erecting eight new houses which are expected to be finished by the first of the new year. Rhodes, Curry & Company are the contractors, and this will make about thirty houses erected there this year.—Amherst News.

Delegates from the various teachers unions lately formed in this province, will meet in the hall of the Aberdeen building, in Moncton, on the 22nd inst., to consider a uniform schedule of salaries, and the ground state of the teaching professions. the general state of the teaching profes-

The steamer Kilkeil sailed from Cardiff, Wales, on December 4, for Parrsboro, where she is to go on the Bay route. It will be remembered that this boat twee will be remembered that this boat twice before attempted the voyage but met with accidents and returned.—Parrsboro Lead

A. J. S. Copp, M. P. of Digby, went A. J. S. Copp, M. P. of Digby, went to St. Andrews Tuesday to take up his work on the fishery commission. John Cowie, a Scotch fishing authority, accompanied him. Mr. Cowie, as before told in The Telegraph, is here with the view of improving methods of curing and packing fish.

The following officers have been chosen for St. John council No. 133 Royal Arcanum: Regent, Thomas Finley; vice-regent, Frank E. Wetmore; orator, John Company, Ltd., and its leg was broken.

regent, Frank E. Wetmore; orator, John T. Kelly; past Regent, J. N. Wetmore; secretary, D. McNally; collector, W. S. Clawson; treasurer, J. M. Taylor; chaplain, R. E. Coupe; guide, W. A. Coleman; warden, C. H. Jackson; sentry, D. E. Berryman, M. D.; H. B. White, J. A. Draper, and John Henderson, trustees.

from that office. This is now done by the engineer, but the other method would ensure the sounding of the bell at the exact was a mink stole and muff.

A LUMBER CHANCE.

Chance to Supply Spruce for Pit

The Telegraph recently published a let-

Nine feet, running from 6 feet to 9 feet iameter at small end, inside bark.

Thirteen feet, running from 8 feet to 11 feet diameter at small end, inside bark.

I should think it likely that our spruce

would make a good pit prop, but of course that can only be found out by trial.

I am going to try and interest some of the Canadians in Welsh coal and if so the return journey with pit props would make the freight very much less. The price that they are bringing now is from 17s. to 19s. per ton, ex-ship Barry or

answer the purpose very well on account

Further Information About Canada's | Montreal Express, Bound Here,

Received on Dredge.

Mrs. M. B. Hetherington, Charlotte street, has purchased from the Harding estate the house No. 130 Charlotte street. the Indiantown and Lancaster ferry has been accepted. They give \$50 for the His skull was fractured at the

added to its number by electing S. S. Hall, James Pender, R. O'Brien, John H. Thomson, W. H. Barnaby and John H. McRobbie. to the hospital. He never regained con

A very artistic calendar has been issued by Scovil Bros., which depicts a hunting scene in the old country, entitled After the Hounds. The reproduction is done in colors, and no doubt the calendar will be make inquiries into the case this morning before deciding as to an inquest.

Deceased was about forty years of age and an excellent specimen of manhood.

He has a sister residing at Perry's Point, Kings county.

John Haslem, another employe on th E. H. Fairweather returned Wednesday afternoon from Waterford, Kings county, where he adjusted the loss on the Garret fire. There is \$1,000 in the Hartford company on the house, and \$450 in the Sun on the furniture. dredge, was struck on the leg by the fly-ing bar but was uninjured.

SUSPENDED PAYMENT.

Blair & Co., Private Bankers, Made This Announcement Tuesday Af-

Blair & Co., private bankers, doing business for many years in the Western Union building, amounced Tuesday afternion that they were compelled to suspend payinent. When the news spread in business circles it was everywhere received with expressions of great-regret because of the high standing of Messrs. Alfred C. and Andrew Blair, who compose the firm, and because of the high regard in which they are held by every one who knows them either in a business way or outside the Samuel Murray, son of James Murray, Harding street, arrived home last Wede nesday evening after visiting a great many different countries. Three years ago he stowed away on one of the South African boats to Cape Town from St. John.

Il the Maritime bank failure in hat smaller way than before. Since hen they have been actively engaged in business, always holding the highest reputation for integrity.

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city and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. He never married and of late years has resided with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Gray. Many old friends heard with regret the news of his death.

An East Somerville (Mass.) letter of Dec. 5, says: "Charles Lahey, of Grand Manan (N. B.), died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Allen Close, 53 Manan (N. B.), died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Allen Close, 53. Washington street, East Somerville, on the 3rd inst. He was aged 73 years. He is survived by hiv sons and three daughters, two sisters and two brothers. One brother is William Lahey, pilot, of St. John. He also leaves thriteen grandchildren. Friends in St. John will read with sad

Mrs James Morrison, Sr., Amherst. Amherst, N. S., Dec. 8—(Special)—This community was saddened today by the lews of the death of Mrs. Morrison, wife ed citizens of a retiring Christian char-acter, she was respected by all and her family and friends have the sympathy of (Mass.).

She leaves besides her husband, a grown up family of nine, one daughter, Miss Annie, at home, John, member of the drug firm of R. C. Fuller & Co., Neil, clerk with Dunder of Co. clerk with Douglas & Co., James, traveller for Dunlap Bros & Co., Roach, with the Robb Engineering C Commerce, Antigonish; Kenneth, in Sydney, and Murdock, in the C. P. R. employ, west; Henry in Boston.

Miss Helen S. Godard. Miss Helen S. Godard, daughter of

two brothers, John and Fred, of this city, and three sisters. Mrs. S. T. Vaughan, Mrs. Hunter and a sister in Montana. Alexander Weatherall. The death of Alexander Weatherall to

of Charles Colwell, Chapel street. He wa

seventy-seven years of age. He leaves two sisters, one in New York and one in Prince Edward Island.

The death of James Brown, the wel

RESULT WAS FATAL, HAPPY LITTLE ONES, I. C. R. MEN PLEASED.

Orphan Asylum

The doors of the Protestant Orphan Asylum, Britain street, were open to all who cared to call Tuesday night and inspect eprived of their parents are given good home. The occasion was a reception held by the ladies' committee and full ion and its work.

They were received by the ladies' con They were received by the natice confinitive, welcomed too by the matron and the gentlemen's committee and shown through the institution. The ground floor has the kitchen, wash room, etc.; on the next floor are parlor, reception room, class room and dining room; next above are the dormitories with their neat white iron sets also a roomfor members of the staff the dormitories with their neat white iron cots, also a room for members of the staff and a hospital room. The boys formerly had to "double up," but now every little chap has a cot of his own in the boys dormitory and it's the same where the little girls sleep. On the top floor are apartments for others of the staff and also a roomy place for play, besides other apartments.

Everybody was impressed with the near Everybody was impressed with the heat-ness and cleanliness of the house from top to bottom and with the healthy bright appearance of the children, of whom some thirty are now in the institution. The home is supported by voluntary contribu-tions and latterly the directors have modi-fied their system of the asylum, making it even a broader charity than before. In case of a man whom death robs of his wife leaving little ones to his care, the case of a man whom death robs of his wife, leaving little ones to his care, the children will be cared for and a reasonable sum asked from the father towards the support of the institution.

Last evening Thos. A. Rankine, president of the institution, delivered a brief address of welcome to the visitors, and the children, under direction of the market of the man and the children, and the robs.

Powers-Wilson. At 5.45 Wednesday afternoon Mic

ricisted at the marriage of Miss Florence. Almon Smith second daughter of W. H. Smith. Douglas avenue, and T. Phillip Charleson, of Ottawa. The bride wore intraveling suit of blue broadeloth with hat to match, and grey ostrich ruff. Her bridesmaid was Miss Jennie Charleson, sister of the groom, who wore green silk voile over green taffeta silk, and green velvet hat trimmed with ermine. H. G. Beresford was groomsman. Mr. and Mrs. Charleson drove to the depot and left for Halifax. They will reside in Ottawa.

Alonzo H. Hayward, of Amherst, and Alonzo H. Hayward, of Amherst, an Anagance and now of St. John, were mar ried Wedne-day forenoon by Rev. C. T Philips at the home of Geo. Erb, 51 British treet. Only a few friends were pres After luncheon Mr. and Mrs. Hay

Brookline (Mass.), recently, the contracting parties being Wm. R. Rhodes, formerly of Amapolis (N.S.), but now of Boston (Mass.), and Miss May F. Dummer, of St. John (N.B.). The bride was gowned in a very nandsome costume of motisse-line de soie, and was attended by Miss Ethel Rhodes, sister of the groom, who was also gowned very becomingly. Ernest Hutchinson acted as best man. The numerous and costly presents from friends in St. John and elsewhere testified to the popularity of the young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes will reside in Brookline

Fredericton, Dec. 10—The residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kitchen was the scene of a pretty wedding at 6 o'clock last evening, when the Rev. J. H. MacDonald ter, Mabel May, to James W. Bateman

father, looked charmingly beautiful in white voile, with accordion chiffon, chiffon overlace and satin ribbons. She carried an exquisite bouquet of white roses. Miss Myrtle Wright, a cousin of the bride, attired in white nun's veiling, trimmed with silk and lace and carrying a bouquet of pink carnations, acted as bridesmaid; and little Miss Hazel Niles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Niles, carrying a basket of pink and white carnations and wearing a very pretty dress of fun's veiling, trimmed with silk and satin ribbons, was

The groom was supported by Arthur Kitchen, a brother of the bride, and after the ceremony the wedding march was played by Miss Effie Niles.

The happy couple left on the 9 o'clock train for St. John from where, after spending a few days, they will continue. The happy couple left on the 9 o'clock train for St. John from where, after spending a few days, they will continue their honeymoon tour to Boston and other

American cities. A large assembly was at the station to bid them "bon voyage" when the train pulled out.

The bride was remembered in a tangib white fox collarette from the groom and a substantial cheque from her parents. The his native place in County Tyrone, Ireland. Three daughters—Mrs. Alexander Petch, of Lynn (Mass.): Mrs. H. B. Alward, of this city, and Mass Tilly, at home maid of honor a gold ring set with rubies

Increased Salaries.

and some of the conductors and locomotive engineers received checks varying from \$200 to \$300. Quite a few ranging from about \$250 were handed out. To the men of the other classes in the employ who had been granted increase the size of the roll received Tuesday was proportionate Just before Christmas the fat envelopes were particularly in order.

Two Orange Lodges Elect Officers Eldon L. O. L., No. 2, held its annual neeting Tuesday evening and elected the ollowing officers for the ensuing year.
W. H. Sulis, W. M.

P. McMain, D. M. P. McMain, D. M.
Joseph Sproule, chaplain.
B. C. Waring, recording secretary.
R. F. Goodrich, financial secretary.
J. W. Rusk ,treasurer. R. O. Johnston, D. of C. S. Maxwell, lecturer, J. Weatherhead, F. of C.

J. A. J. Armstrong, second committeeman.

James Keys; third committeeman.

J. C. Mowbray, fourth committeeman.

A. O. Geldart, fifth committeeman.

W. B. Wallace, W. D. M., conducted the committee of the commit the election and installation of officers.
The reports of the officers showed that the lodge had a prosperous year.
Havelock L. O. L., No. 27, Tuesday

evening elected officers as follows:

John W. Currie, W. M.

Robt. Carson, D. M.
C. N. Skinner, (P. M.) chaplain.

Robt. H. Rubins (P. M.), secretary.

John Kerr, (P. M.), recording secretary.

Jas. Elliott, (P. M.), treasurer.

Albert Winchester, D. of C.

John A. Kane (P. M.), lecturer. John A. Kane (P. M.), lecturer. Geo. Baxter, F. of C. A. W. MacRae, No. 2 com H. A. McKeown, No 3 committeeman. Geo. Bournie, No. 4 committeeman.

The officers will be installed Dec. 22.

culture eyer arought ongetter in the action provinces.

Among the speakers will be Hon. John Dryden, minister of agriculture, Ontario, who is more familiar with agricultural after and who has borne a larger part in the agricultural advancement for man Mr. Dryden easily stands out as the foremest speaker in Canada on agricultural topics.

Dr. Mills, president of the Gueph Agricultural educator and one of our best platform speakers.

W. S. Spärk, Canterbury, England.

Dr. Fletcher, Experimental, Farm, Ottawa, and the premiers of the three maritime provinces.

Want to Buy Spruce Deals.

Hollins—"Grimes has proposed to Millie. She calls him her hero."
Wilkins.—"I see the bravest of the braye. Well, I've no doubt it did require some

DAMAGE DONE IN RAGING STORM.

Robert Purvis Dies of Injuries The Children of the Protestant Pay Car Tuesday Brought Excitement in the clarbor, While 72-mile Wind Blew-The Steamer Springfield Suffers-Chimneys and Fences the Playthings of the Gale.

The storm of Thursday was the worst experienced in St. John since February, 1902, when a blizzard set in one Sunday night and raised an awful commotion. Fortunately no marine disasters seem to have accompanied Thursday's blow thinks no doubt, to timely warning given by the meteorological bureau, but a number of cases of minor damage in and about the city are reported. One effect of the storm was to practically spoil the sleighing in the city.

Official Report of the Storm.

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At 7.15 o'clock the wind veered to the northwest, and had dropped to twenty miles, and the blow was over.

The rain fall for the day was heavy, being nine-tenths of an inch. The temperature at 9 o'clock Wednesday night was thirty-one, and rose gradually until fortismine was reached at noon Thursday. Then it gradually grew colder until at 9 o'clock Thursday night the freezing point was reached.

The heavy gale caused excitement about the harbor throughout the day. From early morning until last evening there was

ther regular trips, although tossed about considerably, and more than one person complained of feeling squeamish during the

ceeded on her voyage to Manchester. She undoubtedly got a good part of the storm before she was out of the bay, but had plenty of sea room while the heaviest part

plenty of sea room while the heaviest part of the gale was raging.

The C. P. R. steamer Montfort, 3,555 tons, Captain Cross, which sailed from Bristol on Nov. 29 with a good general cargo but no passengers, arrived at the island early Thursday morning, and came to anchor. Until Thursday afternoon about 3.30 o'clock, she could be seen plunging in the high sea, and at 4 o'clock the anchors were taken up and the steamer steamed out to sea.

The schooner Adella, from Windsor, with a cargo of grindstones, arrived in

and it made a grand marine pictur The Oriana's Trouble.

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Timely Warning.

Wednesday morning warning of the approaching storm was sent out from Toronto, and signals were displayed at all the ports, and no doubt to this is due the remarkable absence of mishaps to shipping, for mariners stayed in port. During Wednesday Mr. Hutchinson, director of the meteorological bureau here, had a number of inquaries as to the advisability of sailing, and his advice was to keep to port.

The steamer Springfield Damaged.

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C. R. gates was broken.
The chimney of C. K. Cameron's house.

King street, was blown down between and 2 o'clock. Some bricks crashed through the roof, knocking down plaster off the ceiling. Mrs. Cameron was hit of the head by a piece of plaster, but was only slightly injured.

Successful Pie Social at Gibson-Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 7.—Royal Coun-cil, R. T. of T., which meets Monday nights and is held at Gibson, held a par-

solo G. M. Wetmore, recitation A Oca-tilman from Star Council, duett, Miss Brooks and Hargual; recitation, Allie Bol-Wallace and Mr. Hayward; recitation, Francis Harrey solo, Miss Hargual. Sale of pies followed, the bidding was brisk

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says: "While on a journey to the Maritime Provinces I conpanied by a harrassing cough and hoarseness. A friend,

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