

LOCAL NEWS

THE WEATHER.

Toronto, Feb. 16.—Maritime—
Southeast and southwest winds,
milder, with light sleet or rain;
Thursday, strong westerly winds,
fair and colder again.

Calling for Tenders.

The firm of C. H. Thomas & Co.
are calling for tenders for the St.
Mary's Departmental store building at
St. Mary's and also for the stock at
the store.

York County Delegation.

All the six members of the dele-
gation from York County to the con-
vention of the New Brunswick Union of
Municipalities left last evening for
Campbellton to attend the convention
with the exception of Conn. William
Fawcett, who was prevented by busi-
ness from making the trip.

Property Transfer.

Mr. Leverett Estabrooks of Prince
William yesterday sold his farm to
Mr. Edwin Hoyt of the same place,
the purchase price being \$2,000. Mr.
Estabrooks remains in the house un-
til the middle of October. Mr. Hoyt
is selling his island lots to William
Arnuckle of Dumfries.

Work on the Bridge.

The first span of the Dominion
Bridge Company's contract on the
Fredericton-St. Marys highway bridge
has been swung across and will soon
be completed. The number of men
is being added to and one or two ad-
ditional foremen have arrived from
Montreal so that the work will now
be rushed along faster than before.

May Buy Richards Property.

A report has been circulated at
Campbellton that negotiations have
been under way for the purchase of
the William Richards Company's mill-
ing properties, timber limits, etc., by
an English syndicate and that an op-
tion has been given on the property
which will expire on the 24th inst.
Mr. J. Howard Richards of Holstown,
the former secretary of the company,
today said he knew nothing of the
option.

Removing Old Piers.

Mr. Charles J. B. Simmons, con-
tractor, has commenced the work of
removing the old piers on the sec-
tion of the substructure of the Fre-
dericton-St. Marys highway bridge,
which he built some time ago. The
stone will be taken to the I. C. R.
bridge and used for improvements
which will be made on the piers of
that bridge under a contract re-
cently awarded to Mr. Simmons by the
I. C. R.

Bridge Victim's Funeral.

The funeral of the late John S. Can-
ney, who died as the result of injuries
received in a fall while working at
the bridge, will take place from his
late home at Gibson tomorrow. The
funeral will leave the house at 8:30
o'clock and high mass of requiem
will be celebrated at St. Anthony's
church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Father
Ryan. Interment will be made at
Sunny Bank cemetery. The fellow
workmen of the deceased will attend
the funeral in a body.

McIntyre Sent Up for Trial.

Col. Marsh has decided to send Nat
McIntyre up for trial at the next ses-
sion of the high court in Sunbury Co.
without having first of all to come
before a Sunbury county magistrate.
The law gives this power and Col.
Marsh has decided that there is suf-
ficient evidence to enable him to take
this course. McIntyre will be taken
to Sunbury county this afternoon by
Chief Hawthorn and placed in the
county jail at Burton. It is not un-
likely that McIntyre later will be tried
under the Speedy Trials Act.

Tea Will Cost More.

An increase of 5 cents per pound
in the retail price of standard brands
of teas in packets will soon be an-
nounced, it is said. At present the
retail handlers are paying two or
three cents per pound more for cer-
tain brands of teas selling at retail
from 30 to 60 cents per pound and it
is said that a general increase in the
price to consumers of 5 cents will be
soon made and the prices will be
so changed on the packets. The tea
market prices are now higher than
for 30 years.

Theatre Friday Night.

The sale of seats for the H. Wilnot
Young Company at the City Opera
House Friday evening next, opened
this morning at Wilkes. The com-
pany give one performance only on
this occasion, being on their way to
Bangor, where they open a week's
engagement on Monday afternoon
next. The play, "The Turning Point,"
is a strictly Canadian play, written
by Miss Marjorie Adams, and has made
a decided hit in all the Provincial
towns so far presented. In addition
to the play, Mr. Young boasts of the
strong array of vaudeville acts he is
carrying this season.

Sportsmen's Show Exhibit.

The log cabin which will form a
part of the New Brunswick exhibit
at the New York Sportsmen's Show
which opens early next month is now
being loaded on the car at Penniac
and the car will be brought here and
the remainder of the exhibit forward-
ed the latter part of the week. A
live moose and a bear will be in-
cluded in the exhibit with a number
of small fur bearing animals and mount-
ed game specimens, this being the
first time that live game animals have
been taken to the show from here.
The guides who have been named to
accompany the exhibit are Harry Al-
len, Penniac; Charles Cremin, Fred-
erickton; Adam Moore, Scotch Lake,
and Arthur Pringle, Stanley.

INVESTIGATION
INTO THE BRIDGE
ACCIDENT STARTS

Coroner's Jury Empanelled and
Viewed Remains
Today.

THE INVESTIGATION
WILL BE THOROUGH

Hon. H. F. McLeod Engaged to
Represent Family at
Inquest.

That he will conduct a thorough
investigation into the circumstances
connected with the fatal fall of John
S. Canney from the top of the Do-
minion Bridge Company's new span of
the Fredericton-St. Marys highway
bridge, is the statement made today
by Dr. B. M. Mullin, the coroner who
has been instructed to hold a coron-
er's inquest in the case.

This morning the jury were empan-
nelled and afterwards visited the home
of the deceased in Gibson and view-
ed the remains. An adjournment
was then made until Monday evening
next at 7:30 o'clock when the inquest
will be continued at Dr. Mullin's of-
fice at St. Marys.

The members of the jury are:
B. McManiman, Gibson, foreman.
James P. Hayes, St. Marys.
James G. McElman, Gibson.
Lloyd Belyea, Gibson.
Thomas Blair, St. Marys.
Charles Duffy, St. Marys.
Herbert Wade, Gibson.

Chief of Police Fraser Saunders of
Marysville is the constable in charge.
Hon. H. F. McLeod is Engaged.

It is expected that so exhaustive
will the enquiry be that a large num-
ber of witnesses will be summoned
and it is announced today that Hon.
H. F. McLeod has been retained to
appear as legal representative for the
family of the deceased.

It is understood that a complete in-
vestigation as to the machinery used
at the time of the accident, as to the
competency of the various employees
and other matters of interest will be
enquired into so as to establish what
if not there was any blame in con-
nection with the accident.

A great deal of interest has been
worked up in connection with the
case and the action of ordering a
coroner's inquest and complete in-
vestigation has been generally ap-
proved.

THE NEW SCHOOL.

It is Understood that Old Burial
Ground Will Be Site for the New
School Here.

(St. John Standard.)
It is understood that Bishop Casey,
on his recent visit to Fredericton,
has consulted regarding a proposal
to change the site of the new Roman
Catholic school there to a site on
Regent street, where an old burial
ground existed in the past.

The matter was taken up further
at a meeting of those having an in-
terest in the lots of the old burial
ground under the instruction of Bish-
op Casey and those present voted in
favor of using the old burial ground
as the site for the school.

The matter will be brought before
St. Dominick's church congregation to-
morrow being finally settled.

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A Burglar in His Sock Feet
Entered Queen Street Store

Bold Break was Made Some Time Last Night—
Several Pairs of Boots and Some Money Taken
and Safe Wrecked But Not Opened—Occurred
Within a Stone's Throw of Police Station—
Forced an Entrance at Back Door by Smash-
ing Glass and Burned Many Matches—A
Robbery at Marysville Too.

A daring robbery in which plans
and details were carried out with de-
liberation, was pulled off in a Queen
street store last evening, and as a
result McManus & Co., shoe dealers,
are out three pairs of their best
boots, and a small amount of cash,
while the safe in the store is badly
damaged.

It is evident that amateurs pulled
off the trick and while they had the
nerve to operate in the central sec-
tion of the city and within a stone's
throw of the police station, they
knew very little about the game and
would not take a chance at blowing
the safe.

Broken in Back Door.
Entrance was made through the
back door of the store, the glass in
the door being broken and an en-
trance forced that way. Inside the
store a trail of burned matches shows
that the burglars spent some time in
carrying on their operations and ap-
parently they didn't know very much
about the lay of the land.

They were after men's boots, but
first of all struck the side of the
store where women's boots are kept,
and after opening a number of boxes
found they were on the wrong side
and switched over. They first came
upon some shoes of a cheaper variety,
which did not come up to their de-
mands. Later they came upon a bet-
ter class of goods and took three
pairs, sizes 7, 7½ and 9.

Then they tapped the cash drawer
and got only about 15 cents in cop-
pers. Attention was next given to
the safe and the hinges were broken
off and the combination tried open,
but an entrance could not be forced
without blowing the door out, and
that was not tried.

Before leaving the burglars turned
their attention to the desk in the of-
fice of the store, where they rummag-
ed about, evidently looking for cash.
Apparently they thought they made a
haul when they came upon a box in
a secluded spot on the desk, but were
much put out to find that it contain-
ed only ink.

Leaving empty shoe boxes strewn
about the counters, the burglars ap-
parently beat a hasty retreat, for
they very inconsiderately left the
rear door of the store wide open,
either in their hurry or because they
didn't care about what happened.

Police Must Get Busy.
This morning the police were notifi-
ed as well as City Marshal Roberts.
Chief Hawthorn made an investiga-
tion and found tracks in the back
yard in the snow which showed that
the operators were not young boys,
but further than that secured little
in the way of a clue to work on.

While robbers in the city have
not been very frequent of late, there
have been so many in the suburban
districts that some uneasiness has
been aroused among the citizens—
and especially the merchants—over
last night's break, and there is a de-
mand for active work on the part of

the police in this case, so that some
results will follow.

It is stated this afternoon that an
investigation made at the yard in
the rear of the McManus store this
morning showed that the burglar,
whoever he was, operated in his sock
feet.

ROBBERY AT MARYSVILLE.

Young Man Was Robbed of Various
Articles in His Room at Forbes
Hotel.

Marysville, Feb. 16.—A cunning
robbery was successfully enacted at
Forbes Hotel Monday morning when
Mr. Gordon Hovey, the well known
hockey player, was robbed by his
room mate of a valuable watch and
chain, an overcoat and a sum of mon-
ey supposed to amount to about \$27.
It appears that Mr. Hovey and a
Frenchman who had worked in the
woods with him, hired a room at the
hotel. Sometime between Sunday
night and Monday morning the
Frenchman got up and locked the
bedroom door thus securing Hovey
in case he might awaken. In the
meantime Hovey slept on, thus giving
his newly made friend a good start
for parts unknown. Up to date no
trace of the slippery character has
been found.

Merry Sleighing Party.
A very merry party, consisting of
about fifty young people, drove to the
home of Mr. Charles Briggs, out the
Wilsey road, last evening. Music and
games were indulged in and refresh-
ments served, and all had a most en-
joyable time. Mr. and Mrs. Briggs
proved to be very hospitable and soon
made their guests feel at home. At
an early hour in the morning the jolly
crowd returned to the city.

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John J. Weddall & Son.

SPECIAL SALE
OF
COTTON GOODS

Wednesday and Thursday
February 16th and 17th.
WE WILL ALLOW A

Special Discount of 10 p. c.
on all this Season's Cotton Goods including Gingham, Muslins, Crepes, Mersildas, Chiffon
Mulls, Silk Mulls, Etc., Etc.

This will be an extra good chance to procure a summer dress or waist at our opening sale.
Terms:—Cash with goods.

JOHN J. WEDDALL & SON

Our Linen and Cotton Sale is still being held with 10 per cent. discount.

See the Display in our Up-Town Window
OF THE

SUPREME

Oil and Gasoline Can.

Drop in and let us show you how it works.
Easy to Operate. No Pump or Faucet.
Nothing to Get Out of Order.
You can empty a lamp or lantern with it just as readily as you can fill them.

Galvanized Iron Body. Heavy Tin Top and Bottom.
Capacity 5 Imperial Gallons.

R. Chestnut & Sons.

THE HARDWARE PEOPLE.

WE CLAIM THAT THE
Oxford
Chancellor
Range

Is the best cooking apparatus ever offered to the public. For confirmation of this
we refer to the many users all over the country, a number now far exceeding six
hundred.

It is altogether likely, no matter where you live, that numbers of your neigh-
bors are using Oxford Chancellors.

Don't take our word alone, refer to any one of them.
We would like to have you call and examine the Oxford Chancellor and we
will show you its superior qualities over other Ranges.

JAMES S. NEILL

Fredericton's Big Hardware Store.

When you think shoes—Think Campbells'.

Campbell's February
SHOE SALE

Starts About February 23rd.
Shoes of Quality
at Bargain Prices

H. S. CAMPBELL, - Shoeman

M. E. DOOHAN, Regent Street

Cracked Corn
Corn Meal
Middlings
Geneva Feed
Feed Flour Oats

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