

OUR COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE.

FREDERICTON.

Fredericton, N. B., April 20—(Special)—The ice opposite the city made another start at 1 o'clock today and moved a distance of about twenty-five yards. There has been a slight rise of water here since morning. The ice has rotted considerably during the past few days, and a new little more than usual. Strong northerly wind prevails this evening, and the thermometer is down below freezing point.

The local government held a meeting this evening and put through a lot of routine business. A meeting will be held tomorrow to close up the work of the session, and the members will return home by evening train.

No action is likely to be taken at present in regard to filling the vacancies in the government and legislature.

Arthur J. Ryan has purchased the business of the W. H. Currier estate, and will assume the management of the business on May 1. Mr. Ryan has for the past eight years held the position of general manager in the establishment of George Y. Dionne, and is a most popular and deserving young man, and a competent accountant.

The inquiry into the cause of death of Mary J. Duncan, a domestic, who died here three weeks ago under suspicious circumstances, was concluded by Coroner McNally this evening. The verdict returned by the jury was as follows:—

"We, the jury, find that the said Mary J. Duncan came to her death from the effects of an abortion from some cause or causes unknown to us, and that no evidence of any kind has been produced against or suspicious rest on her fiancé or the household of which she was a member."

The jury recommended that the sale of certain drugs be restricted.

Two witnesses were examined, Archie Macdonald, of Hunt & Macdonald, druggists, and Morris V. Paddock, of St. John. Mr. Macdonald said he knew deceased by sight, but could not remember having sold her any drugs before her death.

Mr. Paddock testified that he had made a chemical analysis of the stomach, liver and kidneys of deceased, but found no evidence whatever of poisonous drugs.

The jury were briefly addressed by the coroner and J. H. Barry, K. C., and returned the above verdict, after half an hour's deliberation.

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On the same train with the general manager and general superintendent was G. R. Joughins, recently re-appointed mechanical superintendent of the C. R. M. Mr. Joughins is expected, it is expected, will arrive here later. Mr. Joughins is looking as if his four years' stay on the coast had agreed with him. He is expected to enter upon his duties at once.

Mr. Hayward, I. C. R. driver, who was taken to the Montreal hospital some weeks ago for treatment of an eye injured by the bursting of a gauge glass in the engine, has had to have the injured optic removed. The other eye was also slightly affected. The loss of the eye will result in Mr. Hayward having to give up the position of driver.

Miss Grace V. Smith, accountant in K. Beauson's jewelry establishment for the past five or six years, left today for Porterville, Washington, where she is to reside with her sister.

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Greenwich, Kings county, April 19—The Rev. H. A. Cody has tendered his resignation as rector of the parish, much to the regret of the parishioners. He expects to leave here the last of May or first of June for White Horse, via Vancouver and Skagway, where he will enter the missionary field and will be associated with the Rev. Mr. Stranger, who has been laboring in that field for some time.

The call in that diocese for workers is very urgent, and the laborers few. With Mr. Cody's departure the parish will lose an earnest and devoted worker, who has done much during his seven years' incumbency in the parish. Having established several churches and built two churches, one at Sprague Settlement and one at Queensdown, which is not quite completed.

The sympathy and good wishes of the people of the parish will go with him to his far away home in the Klondyke, and many kind remembrances will remain after him, and many have expressed the hope that he may return in the future to take up his work here again.

Once again the river is clear of ice, and people are glad to hear the welcome sound of the different steamer whistles. The Steamer Sprague, after running to the Public Landing for nearly two weeks, came up through on Sunday and proceeded to Gagetown. The steamer Elaine also left for Gagetown on Saturday, and went as far as Wickham.

Mrs. Geo. R. Vincent, Mrs. Odell and Mrs. Kincaid came up from St. John on Saturday by steamer Elaine, to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Gilby, which took place from the home of John Vincent on Sunday.

Samuel Short has purchased the farm of Murray Belys, and took possession last week.

Mrs. Geo. Fowler and Mrs. A. L. Peck went to St. John last week to attend the Nordica concert.

Fred. Whelpley has returned from a commercial trip to the north, and is now on his way to St. John.

Mrs. J. S. Smith is recovering from an attack of grippe.

Paul Lea, proprietor of Lea's woodwork establishment, last evening tendered the local fire department a supper at Magee's restaurant for efficient work in extinguishing the fire in Lea's mill last Friday.

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Dan Patch 1.56 1/4

Advertisement for Dan Patch 1.56 1/4 horse feed. Includes text: 'EATS International STOCK FOOD EVERY DAY', 'Fastest Harness Horse in the World', 'A \$3,000 Stock Book Free'.

CHAITHAM.

Chaitham, N. B., April 20—A slight fire at the McCully house, Duke street, on Monday, called out the fire department. The damage was very little.

The Highland Society have generously granted the free use of their wooden school house to the Boys' Brigade, for drill and band practice.

Inspector McCreary is making his usual examination of the town schools.

Pedestrians are still crossing on the ice. No teams have ventured on since Monday.

Constable Johnston brought three more men, Alexander Brown, Jeremiah Woodcock and Alexander Baiden, to town Monday night, on the charge of illegally killing a moose.

Rev. J. Morris McLean delivered an interesting lecture on the Origin of the British Race, at the Miramichi Natural History meeting last night.

Three new boilers were placed in the Richards mill here yesterday. They were made at the Fleming Foundry, St. John.

James Neilson, who celebrated his eighty-seventh birthday Saturday, is hale and energetic as a man of sixty. He is now building at tug boat.

A CRISIS IN WOMAN'S LIFE.

There are Backaches and Headaches, Sore Throat, and a Life Seems Scarcely Worth Living.

There comes a time in the life of all women when they are face to face with a grave crisis; when there are distressing backaches, headaches, dizziness; when even some women are threatened with loss of their reason; when they suffer because they are women. The happiness of women for the rest of their lives depends upon being safely tided over this crisis.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills proved a blessing to women at all ages, and are particularly valuable at two critical periods—when girlhood is over, and when womanhood and when womanhood are approaching the twilight of life. These pills relieve the rich, red blood that stimulates all the organs of the body, effects a cure, and restores the sufferer to a bright, active and happy life.

Mrs. A. J. Jones, of Ipswich, Mass., says: "Out of patience I feel that I must let you know the good Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done me. For some time I suffered from indigestion, a numb and kindred troubles. Only those who have been similarly afflicted can tell how much I suffered, or how dreary it seemed. I tried many medicines, but none of them helped me. Then I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I was grateful now for that advice, for after taking about a dozen boxes every symptom of the trouble disappeared and life again seemed worth living. It is now several years since I took the pills, and as there has been no sign of the trouble since, I feel safe in saying the cure is permanent."

What these pills have done for Mrs. Jones they will do for all suffering women if given a fair trial. But you must get the genuine with the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People" on the wrapper around every box. Sold by all medicine dealers or sent post paid \$3.00 a box or six boxes for \$15.00 by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Debbas—Johnny, if I give you sixteen, can I trust you to convey this note safely to your sister without anyone seeing it? Johnny—Yes—but it would be much safer for a shilling!

Digby, April 21—Local shipping disasters have been caused by the big north-easter this morning. Our streets are

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Deranged Nerves

Weak Spells. Mr. R. H. Sampson's, Sydney, N.S., Advice to all Sufferers from Nerve Trouble is

"GET A BOX OF MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS."

He says: "I have been ailing for about a year from deranged nerves, and my often weak spells would come over me and be so bad that I sometimes thought I could be able to give these pills. I have been treated by doctors and have taken numerous prescriptions but none of them helped me in the least. Finally got a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. Before taking them I did not feel able to do any work, but now I can work as usual. They have made a new man of me, and my advice to any person troubled as I was, is to get a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. Price 50c. per box, or 3 for \$1.50, all dealers, or THE T. MILBURN CO., Limited, 1900-1901, 1902.

SNIDER MOUNTAIN.

Snider Mountain, Kings county, April 20—Miss Sadie E. Brown, who is teaching at Derwick, spent Sunday at her home here.

Robert E. McAnulty, of Summerfield, has returned home from a visit to his father, Mr. William John McAnulty, and is moving his family here.

The many friends of William McFarlane will regret to hear he is still confined to his home, through illness. Although a little improved, his case is far from being satisfactory to his friend.

SALISBURY.

Salisbury, April 21—W. L. S. Stevens, of Hillsboro, is in the village, visiting his daughter, Mrs. Frites.

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