

HALF OF ISLAND OF GRAND MANAN HAS SNOW FALL

Storms Interrupt Mail Service
and Give Only Two Arrivals in Week

Special to The Standard

Grand Manan, Dec. 20.—Grand Manan has been treated to the first snowfall of the season and that storm seemed unusually freaky, as it covered the island only as far north as Woodward's Cove, the part of the island from there to North Head being without evidence of this nocturnal visitor. The storm has stolen a march on Santa Claus, insofar as the home of Mr. and Walter Ingalls are concerned. These young people are being congratulated on the arrival of their first-born, a fine boy, who arrived early last Friday morning.

Native of Grand Manan

The people of Grand Manan are interested in the announcement that the Rev. Robert G. Fulton has accepted an invitation to the pastorate of the Centenary Church in St. John. Mr. Fulton is well and favorably known here, Grand Manan being the scene of some of his earliest work in the ministry. Mrs. Fulton is a native of Grand Manan, being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fraser, of Woodward's Cove.

A number of the parents and others of Grand Harbor attended the formal closing of the Public School there, which was held on Thursday afternoon last. The first hour was spent in an examination of the pupils on the work of the term in which they acquired themselves with credit to themselves and to their teachers. This was followed with a suitable programme which also was well rendered. The teachers for the past term have been Mr. Guy Cheney, principal; Miss Hilda Gupill, intermediate; and Miss Twillish Brown, primary. Miss Gupill, who has been a member of the staff during the past three terms now retires.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson of Grand Harbor has been brightened by the arrival of a daughter, born on Friday morning, the 17th inst.

Mail Service Interrupted
For the third time this season Grand Manan last week had but two mail deliveries, the storm of Tuesday and Wednesday morning last preventing the service from St. John until Thursday, this making possible but one more service during the week. The only solution of the Grand Manan Mail problem that is worthy of a moment's consideration is that of a daily service to and from St. Andrews.

The branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia which has been conducted at Grand Harbor by the staff of the branch at North Head since the opening last winter has been closed for the winter months, the last service having been on Tuesday last. This branch service has been a great convenience to the people of the southern part of Grand Manan and its closing for the winter months is much regretted.

Inspection of Epidemic Hospital

Mayor and Commissioner Bullock Made Tour Sunday—Nothing for Publication.

Mayor Schofield and Commissioner Bullock paid a tour of inspection to the Epidemic Hospital on Sunday. As a result of their visit a conference will be held with the Minister of Public Health today.

The hospital commissioners have urged the need of increased accommodations at the hospital in each annual report they have submitted for many years.

As the matter rests in the hands of the municipal council, it is believed that the mayor and commissioner's visit was for the purpose of personally investigating existing conditions. With this information in hand they will confer with the Hon. Dr. Roberts today as to what can be done to make the best of the present plant.

The result of the conference is to be embodied in the hospital budget, which will be submitted to the municipal council's finance committee which meets in January.

Douglas Avenue Tenders Opened

Tenders for the excavation and back fill for the extension and sewerage to the vacant lots on Douglas Avenue were opened yesterday morning at the committee meeting of the Common Council and referred to the Commissioner and Sewerage and the City Engineer for a report. Two of the tenders overlooked the fact that all cheques had to be certified and this will probably throw their tenders out of the running. The negligent ones were N. J. Lohood and Poters and the Stevens Construction Co.

The tenders were as follows:

N. J. Lohood and Poters	\$6.95	\$1.65
St. John's	6.50	1.50
A. George Moore	4.24	1.28
Stevens Construction Co.	5.00	2.75
Davey, Sibley and Co.	6.00	1.70

ANNUAL MEETING
St. John Circle No. 145 O. C. E. C. had their annual meeting last night and elected their officers as follows: W. C. Brown, leader; E. B. Marshall, V. leader; H. E. R. R. Sec.; Mrs. J. S. Flowering, Fin. Sec.; Mrs. F. V. Vineau, Chaplain; H. C. Martin, Warden; W. Irwin, Marshal; W. A. Bennett, Guide; Wm. Gaskin, Sergeant; E. E. Logan, P. Leader. Reports of the officers and committees on the work of the year were most gratifying and showed the circle to be in a most flourishing condition.

Dr. Daniel Resigns From Hospital Board

Has Been Member for Twenty-Eight Years—Successor Appointed Today.

The resignation of the chairman of the Board of Commissioners of the General Public Hospital, Senator J. W. Daniel, M.D., was presented at the committee meeting of the common council held yesterday morning, but action was deferred until the council meeting today.

Dr. Daniel wrote that owing to the fact that he was out of the city a great deal of the time and therefore unable to give to the office the attention which it deserved he felt he must resign.

Commissioner Thornton moved the resignation be accepted but on the suggestion of Commissioner Bullock action was deferred until the council meeting, when it expected the vacancy will be filled.

Dr. Daniel has been a member of the board for twenty-eight years.

Trades and Labor Request To Council

Delegation Heard by City Fathers Yesterday—Want Employment Bureau.

The matter of municipal employment bureau was brought before the Council again yesterday when a communication from the Trades and Labor Council was read and a delegation heard in support of the resolution.

The communication asked the Council to immediately enter into an agreement with the Federal and provincial Governments for the opening up of an office here under the scheme proposed by the Federal Government, and that the Council memorialize the Dominion Parliament to pass legislation putting all private employment agencies out of business.

F. A. Campbell, president of the Trades and Labor Council and J. M. Potts were present and spoke in favor of the adoption of the resolution and action as proposed under it. Mr. Campbell said he felt the opening of a bureau here would be of great benefit, and the money so expended well spent. At the present time there was no central clearing house to which the applications for jobs and a list of jobs available could be sent and this resulted in many not finding work.

Another reason for opening the office here was that he understood the Federal Government had a fund of \$2,000,000 for relief in needy cases, but he had been informed that this amount would only be distributed through the Government employment bureau and no community which did not have such an office would receive any aid from this fund. Mr. Potts endorsed the remarks of Mr. Campbell and urged the members of the Council to forget for the present that all the other provincial governments were not asking the municipalities to pay part of the cost of the upkeep of such offices, but remember the need of the working man. To show the need of such an office he stated that the winter to date there had not been at any time more than fifty per cent of the members of the unions working at once and they found it necessary to restrict membership to the city and county of St. John.

They were assured of sympathetic consideration of their request.

WILLIAM PENN'S WIFE.

It was in the Spring of 1872 that William Penn announced his intention of taking unto himself a wife, and the ceremony followed early in April of the same year, the young lady being Galleima Maria Springett, a daughter of Sir Williams Springett. Penn was then in his twenty-eighth year, and had several times been imprisoned for preaching the Quaker doctrine. A few years after his marriage he inherited through his wife the estate of Worthington in Sussex. The first Mrs. Penn was an amiable and pious woman, and Penn's love for her is expressed in many letters, written to her before he sailed for America in 1832. Galleima Penn died in 1894, having given the founder of Pennsylvania two sons and a daughter.

Albert Smith, M. L. A., elect for Albert county, was in the city yesterday.

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DIED.

POTTS—Suddenly, at her residence, 235 Rockland Road, on Dec. 18th, 1920, Annie Allard, beloved wife of Walter S. Potts. Leaving her husband, one son, one daughter, mother and three sisters to mourn.

Funeral on Tuesday from her late residence. Service at 2.30 o'clock.

WOODS—At Wexford, Dec. 19, infant daughter of Harry and Hannah Woods.

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O. N. R. SHOPS MAY CLOSE.

Moncton, Dec. 20.—O. N. R. officials and shop employees at a meeting here today discussed the reduction of staff on operating on part time. No decision was announced officially, but it was reported that the shops here would close for a week for a general overhauling December 29th, and after resumption of work employees would have Saturday off instead of Saturday afternoon as at present.

TWO BURNED TO DEATH

Halifax, N.S., Dec. 20.—Thomas Grayson, and his son, Thomas, were burned to death Sunday night in a fire which totally destroyed their home. The origin of the fire is unknown. Mr. Grayson, a successful farmer and planter of the Glenside district and his son, were the only occupants of the house.

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OAK HALL

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Cut into U. S. Business.
Moncton, Dec. 20.—Canadian Government Merchant Marine vessels continue to cut into American business. The Canadian Navigator is reported having left New York December 17 for Europe. The Canadian Sower arrived at Cap Do Gracias on December 13 and is loading there for Boston.

Bristol, Dec. 15.—Six str. Hoping broke, St. John, N. B.

Liverpool, Dec. 19.—Six str. Metagame, St. John.

Glasgow, Dec. 19.—Six str. Pretorian, St. John.

Antwerp, Dec. 19.—Six str. Sicilian, St. John.

Boston, Dec. 16.—Six str. Moonlight, from Ellsborough for St. Stephen, N. B.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Dec. 27.—Ard and six str. Holmes A. Frank, Liscomb, N. S., for New York.

W.C.A. Board Was In St.

Reports Received Yesterday—Most Encouraging—Campaign Amounted

The activity of the physical mittie which was reported at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the W. C. A. board greatly impressed present; Mrs. Weyman presided over the meeting. There were reports from the various branches of the organization. The board was informed that the campaign for the year had been most successful. The board also discussed the financial statement for the year and the amount of the campaign.

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