

PROVINCIAL NEWS

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Andover

Andover, Mar. 15.—Mr. Manner Gibson spent a few days of the past week here.

Miss Lillian Walker and Mr. Thomas Walker of Tilley visited relatives here during the week.

Mrs. Bailey Jackson, of Kilmuir, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Simpson, here.

Mr. Frank Smith, of Florenceville, visited his daughter, Mrs. Robert White, last week.

On Tuesday Mrs. J. A. Parley returned from a pleasant visit with the Misses Fraser, Grand Falls.

Mr. Martin Atkinson, of Fredericton, was here during the week.

Miss Eva Hiscock, of Beridville, visited her aunt, Mrs. Henry Baird last week.

Friends here are interested in the announcement of the engagement of Miss Mabel Hayward, of Hartland, to Mr. Philip McLeod. Miss Hayward has for some time been a popular clerk of the Andover Co.

Miss Marie Scott returned on Wednesday from her home at Penobscot where she had been called by the death of her father.

Mr. Arthur Sykes, who has spent several months in Toronto, is being welcomed home by his many friends here.

On Tuesday evening a large number of spectators witnessed an interesting game of basketball between the home team and the Penobscot team, when the home team won with a score of 21-7. Mr. Robert Currie was referee. At the conclusion of the game the visitors were entertained at an oyster stew at Price's restaurant.

Mr. George Upham, of Woodstock, spent part of the week here.

Mrs. Wetmore Pickett has been spending a few days with relatives.

Mr. LeBaron Anderson has returned from a visit to The Barony and St. John.

Mr. Dyson Wallace, of Woodstock, visited Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Macdonald the past week.

Miss Annie Bedell, of Plaster Rock, spent a few days recently with her mother, Mrs. Lucy Bedell.

The Tom Marks Specialty Co. played here on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings giving fine plays each night. All hope to see Mr. Marks and his company here again.

Mr. Harry Sloan spent the week-end with his aunt, Mrs. Julia Sutton.

Miss Inez Wright, of Gillespie, has accepted a position in the N. B. Telephone Office.

Misses Marion Kilburn and Muriel Baird have returned to their studies at Sackville.

Mr. Benjamin Devereux was in Woodstock during the week.

Mrs. Jessie Brown, of Port Fairfield, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Stevenson.

On Thursday evening Mrs. Marshall entertained the Baptist choir very pleasantly.

The Afternoon Auction Club were entertained by Mrs. Guy G. Porter on Friday afternoon.

Mr. Frederick Sadler of Maple View, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. A. L. Sawyer, of Fort Fairfield, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Bruce MacLaughlin.

Miss Violet Slison returned home on Saturday after a visit of several weeks in Montreal and St. John. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. J. Whitney Beasley and children.

Mrs. E. Emma Turner and children left early this week for Mazod, Alberta, after spending a year here.

At the Baptist Parsonage on Saturday evening, the 15th, Mr. Harry Parry and Miss Ida Johnston were married by Rev. Absalom Kochaly.

Mrs. Charles Almond is visiting friends in Grand Falls.

Loggieville

Loggieville, Mar. 15.—The continuation of storms which we have had for the past month has brought a great quantity of snow to the drifts. The drifts are particularly hard owing to yesterday's heavy wind.

There is still much sickness in town. The Doctor has recently recovered from an illness, has been greatly taxed during the past week. Much sympathy is felt for the relatives of the late Charles Forest, whose death occurred here last week.

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Rexton

Rexton, March 15.—Miss M. C. McInerney, who had been ill for some time, has resumed her position as principal of the Rexton Superior School.

Lee Fraser went last Monday to Loggieville, where he has accepted a position.

Mrs. A. B. Carson of Rexton, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Irving, at Buctouche. Miss Flo Girvan is also visiting Mrs. Irving.

Gordon McNulty and bride of Ontario, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert McNulty in Rexton.

John D. Walker has a number of men employed building a new tugboat which he expects to have finished this spring.

Allen Fraser visited friends in Moncton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Beattie of Rexton, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a little son in their home recently.

Rev. G. S. Gardner of Rexton, visited friends in Main River on Friday.

William Ferguson and Edward McAulay of Main River, spent Friday in Rexton.

Miss Margaret Beach of Main River, has gone to Dorchester, where she will teach.

Mrs. John Corridon of Portland, Me., and Miss Kate Donahue of Boston, Mass., who have been visiting at their former home in Rexton, have returned to their respective homes in the United States.

Miss Annie McMichael returned Tuesday from a visit to relatives in Boston and vicinity.

Miss Lillian Clarke spent a few days in Moncton recently.

A number of Rexton people attended the carnival in Richibucto Monday evening.

Mrs. A. B. Carson and Miss Emma Short spent Wednesday in Richibucto the guests of Mrs. B. Brown.

John Ferguson of Tatamagouche, N. S., who has been visiting his brother, Mr. M. Ferguson, J. F., in Rexton, has returned home.

Moody DeMille has returned from Sussex, where he has been attending the funeral of his brother-in-law.

Mrs. Samuel Girvan of East Galloway, is visiting relatives in Amherst and Halifax.

The Rexton Agricultural Society had a meeting on Saturday afternoon. Many members were present and much practical business was done. The society has decided to hold an exhibition here next autumn.

William Cox of Sussex, was in town during the week.

The many friends of J. H. Irving of Buctouche, are pleased to hear that he is recovering from recent illness.

THE RESIGNATIONS OF FORMER MINISTERS

Ottawa, Ont., Mar. 15.—Sir George Foster said he wished to reply to the question which Hon. Mackenzie King had asked on Friday regarding the resignations of Cabinet Ministers since the last session of Parliament.

In order to answer this question, he proposed to lay on the table the correspondence between the Prime Minister and the Ministers in question, Hon. S. C. Mowbray and A. K. MacLean.

Sir George Foster accompanied this with the statement that the resignations had not been the result of any differences with the policy or politics of the government. The letters of resignations of these Ministers will be printed in Hansard, the House having agreed to this course.

JUDGES TRAVEL UNDER GUARD

Belfast, Mar. 15.—Judges Dodd and Gibson, in going to the Queen's assizes at Lifford Court House today, were escorted by police armed with carbines and revolvers. Soldiers also lined the streets. The judges' houses are guarded night and day by the military.

Judge Dodd, in opening the assizes, said that his heart bled for the police to whose courage he paid tribute.

Knew His Place
"Did you order ham and eggs?" asked the head waiter.
"Certainly not. I humbly requested them."

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Annual Report Was Presented

Commissioner of Safety Wants More Traffic Police, Central Fire Station, New Building By-Law—Additional Fire Apparatus to be Purchased.

More traffic cops, a new central fire station, a new building by-law, and new municipal building to house all city, county and provincial offices, are among the matters discussed by the Commissioner of Safety in his annual report. He says in part:

Owing to the rapidly increasing use of autos and motor cycles, it would appear that more traffic men are required at the more congested thoroughfares, but owing to the limited number of men available this is impossible without adding additional expense to the taxpayer.

The many obstacles which arose during my term of office have been overcome, and I now consider the force in fairly good condition. The wages now paid seem satisfactory to the men, and compare favorably with the wages paid in other cities.

The total revenue amounted to \$11,763.84, being the largest ever received from the market, and after paying all expenses and providing \$5,854.31 for interest and sinking fund, there was an unexpended balance of \$5,909.53.

A considerable amount of repairs, which were badly needed, were made to the building; the entrances to the rooms over the stores on Charlotte street were cleaned and painted and the window sashes, doors and racks in the market were painted at a cost of \$1,623.68.

During the past year a considerable amount of repair work was done on the different fire stations, and there remains other work to be done before they can be considered in first-class condition.

Reference has been made in my last report that this department is very much in need of new central fire station, and I am convinced that the most suitable location for this station is at the corner of Carmarthen and King Street East, upon the property of the city now occupied by the Public Works Department as a stable and storehouse.

The question of motorizing the department will receive very careful consideration, but retention of horses is advisable.

The council have expressed their approval of the purchase of an aerial truck and a combination chemical hose and pumping engine, and if nothing unforeseen occurs the order for these two pieces of motor apparatus will be placed at an early date.

It is the intention of the city to carry on the work in the present City Hall for any great length of time, it will be necessary to install an elevator. The heating system in the building will also require a general overhaul.

This building does not afford sufficient space for the different departments, and I am convinced that the time has come when the council should carefully consider the erecting of a Municipal Building that would accommodate all civic departments, as well as the county and provincial government offices, and also provide for a community hall, which is very necessary at the present time.

A considerable amount of repairs has been done on the City Hall, West Side, but the chimneys and the roof of this building are in bad shape and will have to be repaired as soon as the weather permits.

Companions in Crime
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Delegation Waited On Common Council

Property Owners Yesterday Objected to Proposed Abutters' Tax and Gave Their Reasons—Want City to Proceed With Paving Programme.

A delegation of 50 or so property owners on Brussels Street, City Road, and Douglas Avenue waited on the City Commissioners yesterday, and kicked against the proposed abutters' tax, but demanded that the City proceed with its paving programme at the expense of general assessment.

Their argument was that the streets in question were general thoroughfares used by the general public more than the abutters, and that small property owners would be burdened. The Commissioners, however, took no action one way or another on the demands made upon them.

Angus McDonald, who represented the Bishop as well as other property owners, pointed out that the proposed paving work would be done at the expense of the City, and that the City should let them know if the City would pave the streets at general expense.

Edward Hays said that if streets were paved, then cost of maintenance would be less. It was therefore a benefit to the city to pave the streets. The Mayor said if he did not feel that his course was correct, he would not have antagonized so many friends. His proposed bill had been turned down by the Council but seventeen men proposed to introduce an abutters' tax bill before the Legislature.

He was in favor of doing the paving work this summer, but along with the abutters he thought the automobile owners should pay a special tax. St. John was putting everything in general assessment, which was wrong and calculated to keep business away from the city.

Other cities taxed abutters for local improvements; Halifax, 21 older city than St. John with small property owners, taxed abutters 50 per cent.

Mr. Hays said that in Halifax the street railway had to pave between the tracks and for 18 inches on either side. That was different.

Argue McDonald demanded that the tenders be opened.

Edward Walsh said the Commissioners were like a lot of school boys. The Mayor—"We won't be threatened."

If L. McDonald said the abutter had no more right to pay for paving a street than a farmer has to pay for a railway crossing through his farm. He did not think they should hold up Halifax and Winnipeg as ideal cities—they should take of some cities under Commission to "rule of government," which was up-to-date.

After some further discussion the delegation withdrew and the matter was dropped.

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The Labor Members protested particularly against the reduction in the bread subsidy to forty-five millions this year, but no action interfered with the government's votes in supply.

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