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THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, JANUARY 5, 1904

OUR COUNTRY CORRESPO

FREDERICTON.

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 5 .- (Special)-All the members of the local governmen are in the city with the exception of Hon. Mr. Sweency, who is expected to-

A short session was held this evening ut only routine business was transacted. omorrow morning members of the city

Tomorrow morning members of the city (Tomorrow morning members of the city council will wait upon the executive by invitation, and explain why they failed, last year, to order an assessment for the benefit of the county school fund. The Gibson cotton mill, shut down three days for lack of raw cotton, resumed operations this morning, a supply of the necessary article having arrived last night. Mrs. Frank Smith, who makes her home with Walter McFarlane, at Nashwaaksis, is ill from varioloid, a mild form of small-pox. A young child of Mr. Owen Shortill of McLeod Hill, has also developed the d sease.

of MeLeod Hill, has also developed the disease. A very quiet wedding took place last evening at the home of William Smith, Miss Maud Smith to William Ross, both of this city. Rev. Canon Roberts united the happy couple in wedlock. The death occurred at Prince William yesterday of Mrs. Margaret Kelly, aged 86, who had lived for a number of years with her son, Luke, at that place. Besides a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren, the deceased leaves three daughters, Mrs. George Kitchen, of this eity; Mrs. John Smith of Upper Kingsclear, and three sons.

and three sons. A large number of new teachers have entered the Normal school for advance of class. The French department has opened for the term's work with twenty students, all females. Wing teachers have entered the Manual

Mr. Wilmot is a brother of the federal member for the county. Robert Briggs, against whom the grand ury found a true bill for indecent assault esterday, was called on for recognizance n the York circuit before Judge McLeod Mr. Wilmot is a brother of the federal member for the county. Robert Briggs, against whom the grand jury found a true bill for indecent assault yesterday, was called on for recognizance in the York circuit before Judge McLeod this morning, but there was no response. Solicitor General McKeown thereupon moved for a bench warrant against the defendant, which the court directed to issue. It is reported that Briggs was seen in town yesterday morning. Dr. Riley has, during the vacation, been successful in securing some substantial subscriptions for the psychological labora-tory. An American student who had al-ready contributed \$75 has given \$65 more, and J. D. Pollard Lewin, of St. John, has subscribed \$20.

has taken preliminary steps to collect the amount assessed. Ald. Watt read the Scott act inspe Ald. Watt read the Scott act inspector's report; showing four fines during the month amounting to \$160. Ald. Snowball moved that authority be given to purchase 100 cords of mixed soft and hard wood at \$2.25 and up to 100 cords spool wood edgings and slabs at \$2 deliv-

month amounting to \$160. Ald. Snowball moved that authority be given to purchase 100 cords of mixed soft and hard wood at \$2.25 and up to 100 cords spool wood edgings and slabs at \$2 deliv-ered, if it prove satisfactory. This was carried.

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The St. Francis Log Driving Company, meets at Edmundston tomorrow morning. It is understood that there is 32,000,000 for the scort so get is 32,000,000 for the Scott Lumber Company. James Scott left here yesterday to be in present at the meeting and William Scott will also be there from St. Alexandria (P. Q.), and then come to this city. The cases of Wm. J. Edgecombe vs. Altride G. Edgeco

been reported. Plumbers report an un-paralleled amount of damage. The schools, which reopened yesterday after the holi-days, were obliged to close again, owing to the cold. With the cold a heavy snow storm prevailed all day on Sunday, com-pletely blocking the roads to the out sections. The schools will probably be in running order today. The first game of hockey for the season took place Saturday night, when the Ram-blers, of Amherst, defeated the Orescents, of Moneton. Moneton's team had not had sufficient practice, but put up a clean, gentlemanly game, and Amherst boys will be glad to meet them again. Captain Twaddle, of the Ramblers, formerly of Halifax, is a star player, and it is expected the Ramblers will do good work this year. Presbyterian, and Buptist Sabbath schools provided their young people with carist-mus trees, and other treats during last week. A good time was enjoyed by all. James R. Mallean, photographer, is building a large studie. George Parks is contractor and master builder. Wellington Vail and Robert Smith re-turned on Satarday from a trip to Mispec where they had been examining the public works of that place with a view to making some much needed repairs. Alex. McCumber, of this place, goes to take a course in the business college at Sabhath

take a course in the business college at St. John. Mr. and Mrs. James Floyd, of Central

Mrs. Joseph Jones, of Wolfville, who spent the holiday season with her daugh-ter, Mrs. B. James Lawson, left for her

CLIFTON.

ter, Mrs. B. James Lawson, left for her home yesterday. Mrs. A. E. McLeed and Miss McLeed, of Parrsboro, and Mrs. B. Wittier, of Halifax, were the guests of Mrs. N. A. Rhodes. Clifton, Jan. 4.—The New Year was ushered in very pleasantly here. During the afternoon there was some horse racing on the river and in the evening a ball was held in Clifton hall. It was well attended, many coming from quite a distance. On New Year's eve a most enjoyable whist party was given at the home of Mrs. N. N. Puddington in honor of her daugh-ter who is home on her vacation from St. John. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Puddington, ir., The Baptist, Methodist and Presbyte

John. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Puddington, jr., have returned from spending the holidays with her parents in the north of New

Brunswick. The young son of Gilbert Wetmore is laid up with a broken leg but is progress-ing favorably under the care of Dr. Keith. Mrs. A. C. Barr received her callers on New Year's eve and New Year's day.

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ing entirely. My hearing is somewhat impaired for sever but not so much effected but ds; but in ring left me factory results from the use of Pertise, hold converse with my f hold converse with my r hus, but in June, 1901, my sense of aring left me so that I could hear no sund whatever. I was also troubled with rheumatic pains in my limbs. I commenced taking Pe-runa and now my hearing is restored as good as it was prior to June, 1901. My rheumatic pains are all gone. I cannot The Hartman Sanitarium, Celumboa

The Baptist, Methodist and Fresbyter ian churches are observing the week of prayer. The cold is seriously interfering with the attendance. Considerable damage was done to the new school building at Pugwash by fire yesterday, defective piping being the cause cause. George, son of ex-Councillor J. A. Laws, has accepted a good position in New York. Before going, the Amherst Military Band, of which he was a member, presented to him a very fine Waterman fountain pen, in handsome morecea case.

in handsome morocco case

Annapolis Royal, Jan. 4—One or the severest storms of the season set in here on Saturday evening and continued all day Sunday with the thermometer below zero. The snow and wind which accom-panied it, made it a veritable blizzard, and but few had the courage to venture out, as a consequence the churches were slimly attended and huge snowdrifts have imade the roads in many places impas-sable.

made the reads in many places inpas-sable. Watchnight services were held on Thurs-day night in St. Luke's Anglican and the Methodist churches, which were well at-tended. The Salvation Army, under the superintendence of Adjutant Uchner, also brought a large number together. The death of the year 100 was marked by the toling of the bells and the ushering of a new year by the foyois peal of the church bells. New Year's day was quietly celebrated, there being good sleighing many took ad-vantage of a drive, others patronized the skating rink, while more enjoyed them-selves by making New Year calls. A hockey match between Digby and Annapolis clubs was played in the rink here on Wednesday night, resulting in a victory for the home team with a score of seven to one. Captain Tupper of the Annapolis team met with an accident dur

ANNAPOLIS. Annapolis Royal, Jan. 4-One of the

now on the ookout for him. He was admitted to jill on his own recognizaice for \$1,000, ind two sureties for \$500 each. The suretion of Woo are his attorney, H. F. McLeod, and

ugh a large civil docket was ex-Resolved, in at this counter responsible petition, the commission on transporation appointed by the government of Canada to make full inquiry regarding the advant-ages afforded by the port of St. Andrews for winter traffic and as to the desirabilito 2.30 o'clock, only two non-s had been entered, viz., The Combination Rack Co. vs. Robt. Aitkin, A. J. Gregory; John Macherson ve. Newton Lee, J. H. Barry. Negotia-tions for settlement care pending in two for winter trains and as to the desirabili-ty of shipping facilities being provided at that port, and further "Resolved, That the county council of the municipality of Charlotte; the town councils of St. Stephen, Milltown, Wood-

There on 1.e. 19. If Barry Negotizing familities being provided at the sector of the se

The chief commissioner is calling for tenders for rebuilding Weldon bridge,

ounty of Albert. embers of the local government

The members of the local government left for St. John by this evening's train. The board of education met this afternoon but only regular routine business was transacted. Quite a sensation was created at Sun-bury council meeting this morning by the resignation of Henry Wilmot, one of the conflice of warden. He is said to have made the discovery that he had no legal right to sit at the board and resigned to avoid getting himself and the council into

trouble. Mr. Wilmot is one of the representa-tives of the parish of Lincoln and was de-clared elected by acclamation in October last. There were two other candidates, Abner Smith and a man named Hayward, but Smith, it seems, was the only one who filed his papers within the time pre-scribed by law. Hayward filed his at 10 o'clock the same night, but Wilmot waited to hand his in with the Galawing monno'clock the same night, but Wilmot waited to hand his in until the following morn-

Duncan Grass, of Waasis, was returning bowled Hayward's papers out and declared Wilmot and Grass elected. Mr. Wilmot presided over the deliberations of the Chatham, Jan. 5 .- The monthly meet ing of the town council was held last evening, Mayor Murdock presiding. Ald MacLachlan, of the finance committee, re ported that the offer from the Bank o ard yesterday and since his resignation e point has been raised as to whether Montreal of \$2,250 in settlement of th

or not the business of the first day was legally transacted. It is certainly a queer this stage what the outcome will be. pulp mill taxes to date was refused as too small and that the offer of \$2,850 had also been refused, but it had been agreed in order to facilitate a settlement that if the

ally vice-president; Mrs. P. C. Jonnson, sec-retary-treasurer; Mrs. D. Dickison and Miss Bessie Creighton, aduitors. The funeral of John Henderson, who died auddenly on Sunday, was held this afternoon. The interment was in St. Michael's cemetery. Last Thursday evening, Thomas Flett and D. Baldwin, in the name of the Preshyteriann of Melson, presented Rev. MacIntoshof Melson, and Douglastown, with a handsome Morris chair. Mr. and Mrs. John Benson, of Mon-treal, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Fisher, left for home last might.

Anagance, Jan. 4.—The weather is very cold. On Monday the thermometer mark-The receipts for December were \$1,-887.45; expenditure, \$2,630.65; debit bank balance, \$10,701.68. The marshal reported tax collections for December \$557.31, and the whole fines in connection with the Scott act for the very amounted to \$1000

ed 25 helow. Rev. Mathew Smith, who has been holdg meetings in Mechanics and other rts, is home at the present time. The school is closed here and the

The school is closed here and the true is tees are looking for a teacher. New Years will long be remembered here on account of the races. The day was quite mild and a large number of people from the surrounding country gath-ered on the ice to witness the sport. In the free-for-all Mr. Harper's mare won by neck from Mr. Nickerson's horse. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McNair and their son, Parker, have been spending a few days in Anagance, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Johnson.

MONCTON.

Moneton, Jan. 6.—Fire broke out about 9 o'clock this morning at Hillsboro, Albert county, in Dr. Marven's stable, caused by rick in the chimney.

The horses were saved but the stable and also the house adjoining owned by Woodworth was burned. Gordon Steeves owned the stable.

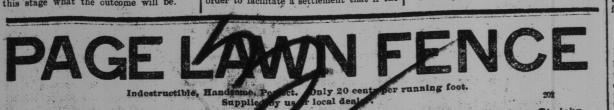
Dr. Marven's personal loss is about \$200, and Woodworth's house was valued at \$550 and the stable at \$200. There was rdock presiding. Ald. no insurance so far as known.

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St. Martins, Jan. 4 .- For cold this is

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CHATHAM.

SALISBURY. apolis team met with an a Salisbury, Jan. 7-The ball given at the ublic hall here on New Year's night

Annapolis team met with an accident dur-ing the play by getting his face badly cut, but pluckily played out the game. A telegram received on Friday by H. A. West, hardware merchant of this town, conveyed the sad intelligence that Harry P. Sutton, a nephew of his, was one of the victims of the froquois Theatre hole-coust in Chicago. at success, på nice lunch was served the hall about midnight. Miss Margaret Mortimer, of Moncton, ent a Tew days here last week, the

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Miss Margaret Mortimer, of Moncton, pent a few days here last week, the uest of Mi. and Miss. William Chapman. Miss Bessie Saeley, of Havelock, spent fow Year's in Salisbury, the guest of Ir. and Miss. Juni B. Price J. (f. Täylör, who has been carrying Guysboro, N. S., Jan. 7-(Sp he Liberal convention here too (Special)-At today D. C. Fraser, M. P., announced nd was present J. H. Sinclair, M.

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Moncton. Miss Make McGrath, who has been spending the holders in Pt. Du Chene, returned Saturday wight. Miss Nellie Davis, who came from St. John Fuday to sttend the ball, was taken siddenly ill. A doctor was quickly sum-Trure, Jan. 7-Everywhere in the vicin ity we hear the cry from our busines during 1903. Cash payments are m quent, and business in every way more satisfactory.. In the custom house there has been an increase of receipts during the year of \$3,375.39. Total receipts for were \$106,763.03, and for 1903 \$110,-138.42.

Many new buildings have been erected and improvements made on eld ones. Among the most important are the county sourt house, government scricultural col-lege, wood working factory, knitting mills, Frost & Wood's large huilding and many private residences. There has been, an in-crease of fenable property in the town and the assessment for 1908 amounted to \$2,497,65 an increase over the provides year of \$52,016.00. No permanent minister has as yet been secured for the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, and Rev. Mr. Simpson is still supplying. Many new buildings have been erected

supplying. Dr. Kinsman has returned to his work again after a brief absence. Rev. P. McDonald, pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, has refused the call

to Sydney. At a recent meeting of the congregation he was given an increase, of \$100 salary and was granted a six weeks' vacation. At this meeting quite an interesting event took place, which was he burning of a mortgage on the church which had been of long standing.

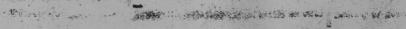
A. M. Pinkham, who has for some years been employed with R. T. Craig & Co., of this town, has severed his connection with that firm, and accepted a position with George Lewis at Lewiston, Halifax Co. Last Sabbath the teachers and officers of Last Saboah the teachers and oncer's of the Pleasant Street Methodist Sunday school, where Mr. Pinkham has been the painstaking librarian for years, presented him with a handsome gold watch chain. The week of prayer is being observed as

About twelve young lads from the town quite recently spent part of two days and one night at a lumber camp several miles out of town. The boys were in charge of an older person, and thoroughly enjoyed

an older person, and thoroughly choice their outing. Miss Annie Brol, teacher of domestic science at Wolfville, who has been spend-ing her vacation at her home returned today to resume her work. Miss Margaret McPherson is back to her dutice as teacher after a pleasant visit a

duties as teacher, after a pleasant visit at her home in New Glasgow. Arthur Johnson, a brother of Rev. Charles Johnson, Londonderry, who is a

Charles Johnson, a brother of Rev. Medical student at McGill University, sang a solo in the Methodist church on Sabbath evening. Mr. Johnson, who is a graduate of Mt. Allison, was in fown visiting his old college friend, W. A. Black.



speak too highly of Peruna, and now Ohio.

mith, Park street, have gone to Sackville from an extended visit with resume their studies. Mrs. M. A. Currie, of Wolfville, has T S. Patille, of this town, the McDoigall Company, Itd stationers, Halifax, and the to be known as the Patille. Arts, M. A. Currie, of Monday morning feeently been visiting in town. Miss Walpert left on Monday morning on a vacation trip to Cape Breton. She intends visiting Sydney and Grace Bay before her return. Mrs. O. C. Cummings, who has been visiting her son, Eugene, in Glace Bay, has returned to her home. John M. Lang, of Wolfville, spent Sun-day in town.

to be known as the Father Company, Lid: The many friends of Geo Bible Hill, were saddened of the death of his Wilson, of San Francisco. T curred on Tuesday. All, or nearly all, of our have entered into an agreen their stores avery night in f

Jehn M. Lang, of Wolfville, spent Sun-day in town. Miss Ada J. Archibald has returned from her visit to her home in Kempfown. Her brother Alfred came back with her Miss Daniel Hennesey and Miss Ethel Norris are visiting their friend, Miss Mar-garet Atkinson, in Amherst. J. D. Areenault has been visiting friends in Sussex (N. B.) Miss Helen Hennigar, of Shubenacadie, leaves this week for Wakefield (Mass.) r where she expects to spend the winter. M. L. Doane, who was at home for the vacation, left again on Monday for vari-ous parts of New Brunswick. Miss Minnie Doane returned on Tues-day from a visit to Annapolis. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Connolly, of the Normal school, have returned from Port t Hood (C. B.), where they have been visit-ing the latter's parents. their stores every fight in th cept Saturday, at 6 o'clock, f three months. Several of our citizens, incl Thomas, W. B. Alley, E. Pm Uraig and Senator McKay w der to wight the coal areas a day to visit the coal areas Miss Annie McMillan, of

eturned to her home riend Mrs. F. McCurdy,

of Amherst, recently spent with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. I street. He was acco Alex. Snide, of turned to his home after in the Klondike. His experien part of the world was not pleasing, as he was at one tin a witness against the prisoners for trial Inou (C. D., where the second second

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Trene McLallan has returned from the visit too his home in Tatamagomeha and Miss Fannis Tupper spent a few cadays in Halifax recently. Miss Agnes Killer has gone to Pietou to visit Miss Aggie Fraser. Mrs, George H. Johnson, who has been visiting at her husband's home in Hali-fax, has returned. Miss Maud Wintermute has returned Miss Maud Wintermute has returned

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siddenly ill. A doctor was quickly sum-moned and Saturday she seemed easier and was taken home to St. John. The sudden death of Andrew Simpson occurred here Tuesday night. He had been aling for some time, but he ate his supper with the family at 6 o'clock and supper with the family at 0 octook and died at 10 o'clock. Deceased was the father of W. A. Simpson, station agent here. The body will be taken to Shediae today for interment.

DIGBY. Digby, Jan. 5-(Special)-Word was re-eived here this affemboon that the Amer-an schooner S. P. Hitchopck was ashore

ceived here this attendor, they the save ican schooler S. P. Hitchcock was ashore at Callodan Cove. The crew were saved, but the vessel is a total loss. Captain George Post, receiver of wreeks, left at once for the scene of the disaster, but has not returned owing to the roads being badly blocked with snow. It is too rough for a tig boat to get outside Digby Gut and there is no telephone along the Bay shore. Your correspondent succeeded in obtaining the following facts: The S. P. Hitchcock was loaded with 600 tons of plaster from Windsor for Phil-adelphia and after battling with the big storm in the bay became badly iced up with the crew more or less frost bitten. When the captain realized that his vessel was unmanageable he thought to save ves-sel and cargo it would be advisable to let go both anchors. With the heavy gale and big sea running it proved impossible to hold the vessel and she dragged ashore

and big sea running it proved impossible to hold the vessel and she dragged ashore in exactly the same place where the big ship Culloden was wrecked and struck at high water. The officers and crew saved

their lives with great difficulty. The captain must have been nearly forty miles out of his reckoning as he supposed he was ashore on the northwest side of Long Island, and dated his telegrams from

Long Island, and dated his telegrams from Eastport this morning and reported his vessel ashore on Long Island, Nova Scotia, The S. P. Hitchcock was built in Bath (Me.), in 1883, is 500 tons register, and owned by L. P. Blackburn, of New York. She was commanded by Captain Hugh Al-corn, of New Horton, Albert county (N. B.). The men were well cared for by the people in Broadcove. The captain does not know whether the vessel or cargo is insured. Tug Marina will visit the wreck as soon as the weather moderates.

A section man belonging to Cambridge

A section man belonging to Cambridge, Kings county, was seriously injured in the Weymouth yard tonight, while coupling cars. He is at present in Annapolis, but it is doubtful if he can recover. It is thought that his name is Charles Taylor, foreman of section No. 6.

Amherst, N. S., Jan. 5-This section has been visited during the past four days by the most severe fold snap in the memory of the oldest inhabitant, the actual registering of the thermometer being since Saturday morning from zero to twenty-two below. Many cases of slight freezing have

