

W. C. WINSLOW WANTS 30,000.

Claims That Amount From The
Wm. Richards Co. as Per
Agreement.

SUIT NOW ON.

In the County Court Chambers at St. John Friday, before Mr. Justice Barker, Dr. A. O. Burt, associate counsel with Dr. Pugsley, obtained an injunction in the suit recently brought by Warren C. Winslow, the well known Chatham barrister against Hugh J. Chisholm and associates, and William Richards & Co., and J. T. Rundle, to restrain Chisholm and his associates from paying to Wm. Richards & Co., that portion of the purchase price for their lumber properties to which Mr. Winslow claims he is equitably entitled.

This claim of more than ordinary interest, Mr. Winslow's claim is based on an agreement made under the signature of the Wm. Richards Co., by which the plaintiff and defendant Rundle, were promised the excess called by the Wm. Richards Co. for the sale of their lumber properties, over and above the sum of \$392,586. This sum, according to the agreement, was to be divided equally between Mr. Winslow and Mr. Rundle.

It is claimed by the plaintiff that the property was sold for upwards of \$700,000, which would entitle him to at least \$300,000. This agreement was made for the purpose of providing remuneration for Messrs. Rundle and Winslow, for services which they rendered in securing purchasers for the Wm. Richards & Co.'s lumber properties in Northumberland, York and Carleton counties.

It is alleged in the bill of complaint that the defendants have refused to give any statement to the plaintiff of the amount of the purchase price. The properties were to have been formally transferred to the purchasers on the 31st of December.

Hon. L. J. Tweedie is the counsel for Hugh Chisholm and his associates.

DR. AINSWORTH ON ANONYMOUS LETTERS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TELEGRAPH.
Sir:—In dealing with a case of blackmail not long since one of our most famous judges took occasion to observe that the proper place for the malicious anonymous letter-writer of either sex is jail, and characterized that person as a cowardly and under-handed being. Is it not a deplorable fact that there are still those who despicably use their pens as a feeble means of revenge and spite?

It is perhaps superfluous to say that upon such persons we should bestow pity on account of their inability to rise to something more creditable or less contemptible. Nevertheless there are a many law breakers who are less deserving of punishment than those senders of letters which they possess not the courage to append a signature. Imagine the glory which must follow the noble and plucky act of depositing in suitable such epistles in the box. It is possibly equalled only by the fright experienced at the sight of depositor's own shadow. Trusting this note may not mar the reasonable enjoyment of anyone, I am,
Faithfully yours,
F. Ainsworth.

St. John, Dec. 18.

CHATHAM HEAD

Social and Personal.

Mr. John McCombs of Amherst is spending his Christmas vacation at his home here.

Mr. Martin Keoughan passed through here on Saturday enroute to his home in Chatham.

Mr. J. H. Malley, is home from the number 4th. Having his hand badly bruised.

Mr. John Gould of P. E. I. is visiting at the home of his uncle Mr. John Gould, this week.

The men employed by the T. Lynch & Co in this place were granted a half holiday on the 27th.

Mr. E. A. Burns and his employees have gone to spend Christmas at their homes in St. John.

Mr. J. Hayes passed through here on Saturday last.

Misses Lillie and Millie McCullum of Loggieville spent Christmas at the home of their grandmother, Mrs. T. McCullum.

Miss A. C. Gorman is the guest of her sister Mrs. John Newman.

Miss Maud Major is the guest of her aunt Mrs. E. A. Ross of Loggieville, this week.

Mr. Jeremiah Sullivan has returned home from the United States, after an absence of about ten years.

Messrs. Chas. Muzzeral and Frank Paulin left on Tuesday morning to spend the winter fishing down river.

The examination held in the school on the 22nd was a very successful affair the prizes were recited as follows:—1st. Miss Alice Walsh, 2nd. Master Wilson Mann, 3rd. Miss Winnie Pines, 4th. Master Frank Muzzeral. Much credit is due our popular teacher, Miss G. P. Mann.

YORK COUNTY LOAN AND SAVINGS CO.

Attorney General Makes Suggestion to Shareholders.

LIQUIDATOR'S PROGRAM.

Views of Interested People in Montreal—The Light and Power Company Stock.

TORONTO, Dec. 22.—The Attorney General has suggested that the liquidator of the York County Loan & Savings Co. in the conduct of matters, including the realization of assets, should be counselled and assisted by the advice of a committee of shareholders residing in the different provinces so that all shareholders may, through their representatives, feel assured that the conduct of matters is being wisely carried on and also present their views when necessary. In order that the shareholders shall not be put to unnecessary expense in proving claims the liquidator announces no formal proof is necessary at the present time. Receipts and certificates may be sent in and will be checked with the books of the company. The liquidator will report to the court for approval claims which are verified by the company's books, and where there is any difference liquidators propose to take the matter up with the shareholder direct.

NO OBSTACLE TO CHURCH UNION.

Result of Meeting of Joint Committee.

TORONTO, Dec. 22.—The joint committee on church union concluded its session last night. The denominational sections reported they found no obstacle to further negotiations for union. The result of the three days joint and separate deliberations of delegates of the three churches will be summed up in reports of sub-committees which will be given to the public to-day.

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