

OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS.

FREDERICTON.

Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 1.—(Special)—Judge Barker held a sitting of the equity court here this afternoon, in the case of Smith vs. Wright. A viva voce hearing of evidence was taken in St. John. W. E. Jones, for plaintiff, argues in support of the case made by the bill. F. B. Carvell, contra. Court considers.

A meeting of the directors of the New Brunswick Telephone Company was held here this afternoon. Those present were Hon. A. G. Blair, president; Dr. A. A. Stockton, Charles Pavey, Senator Thompson, W. T. Whitehead, M. P., P. J. and Charles Fawcett. Only business of a routine nature was transacted.

The amount deposited in the government savings bank here during November was \$13,011 and the withdrawals for the same period amounted to \$5,002.29. The balance due depositors on Nov. 30th was \$826,183.57.

The value of goods entered at the port of Fredericton during the month just ended was \$29,338, of which \$18,844.44 represented free goods. The amount collected in duties was \$2,573.65. The imports for the corresponding month last year were \$34,122 and the duty was \$2,221.39.

The Rt. Rev. Bishop of Cley, D. D., Rev. J. de Seyres, LL. D., and H. S. Bridges, Ph. D., who were appointed a committee to select a subject for training in Latin prose for essay in competition for the alumni gold medal, announce the following subject: Macaulay's essay on Bacon, beginning with the words, "But what we most admire is the vast capacity of that intellect," and ending with conclusion of essay. The above committee are also appointed examiners of essay in this competition.

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Wilson's Beach, Nov. 30.—The people of this community were much shocked to hear of the death of Alexander Macdonald, which took place on Thursday afternoon, Nov. 26th, at his residence in St. John. He fell forward in his sitting chair, and he could be carried to his home. Heart disease was supposed to be the cause.

The only St. Andrew's night celebration here was a musical and literary entertainment in St. Andrew's hall, under the auspices of St. Andrew's church choir. The programme consisted of choral, the Day Star, by choral reading, Alex. Forbes, Dr. Baxter; solo, My Home is where the Heather Blooms, Mrs. Chas. Sargant; violin solo, Herbert Macdonald; double tenor, choral solo, The Blue Bell of Scotland, Mrs. Alex. Cameron; double quartet, choir; solo, Jessie's Dream, Miss C. Berrie Edgar; chorus, choir; Auld Lang Syne and God Save the King. Refreshments were served.

A "Home Department of the Sunday School" is about to be organized in St. John's church. A special meeting of the town council was held yesterday afternoon, Mayor Macpherson presiding.

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STANFIELD'S UNSHINKABLE UNDERWEAR. The most expensive underwear that money can buy is not better made—won't fit better—wear better or longer—and be more comfortable and more satisfactory in any way than Stanfield's.

FABIAN LEAGUE HEARS REPORTS, AND LEARNS THAT ST. JOHN FACTORIES ARE NOT SWEAT SHOPS. W. Frank Hatheway and Others Visited Various Places and Took Notes of What They Saw—The League Favors a Factory Act for This Province.

CATARRH DESTROYS THE KIDNEYS. GEORGE KING. I contracted a severe cold several years ago, which developed into catarrh of the bladder, and threatened my life. I used Peruna faithfully for two and one-half months, when my health was perfect once more.

50c. Bottle Free. When Medicine Fails, Try Liquezone—We'll Pay for it. Liquezone is simply liquid oxygen—no drugs, no alcohol in it. It is the discovery of Paul, the great German chemist, who spent twenty years of his life to get such an excess of oxygen in a staple form into the blood that no germ could live in any man or animal.