

LOCAL NEWS

THE WEATHER

Toronto, Jan. 31.—Pressure is low over the Rocky Mountain states and high over all other parts of the continent. The weather is fine with moderate temperatures from Ontario eastward and decidedly cold in the western provinces. (Maritime—Moderate north and northwest winds, fair; Wednesday, moderate winds, fair with a little higher temperature.)

Washington, Jan. 31.—New England—Fair tonight, Wednesday increasing cloudiness, little change in temperature, light variable winds.

The temperatures:

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	28	22
Kamloops	19	10
Calgary	12	2
Edmonton	12	2
Prince Albert	4	30
Winnipeg	30	18
White River	34	24
Sault Ste. Marie	26	12
Toronto	38	25
Ottawa	30	0
Montreal	24	10
Quebec	22	2
St. John, N. B.	26	6
Halifax	24	14

*Below zero.

Methodist C. G. I. T. Met.

The Canadian Girls in Training of the Methodist church held their regular meeting last night in the vestry of the church. After routine business and social chat the meeting adjourned.

To Attend Executive Meeting.

W. E. Farrell, grand trustee for New Brunswick of the C. M. B. A., left last evening for Montreal to attend a meeting of the executive of the C. M. B. A. which is taking place today.

Condition Not Favorable.

Mrs. A. E. Kilcollins, of North Devon, who underwent a serious operation at Victoria Hospital some days ago, is not progressing as favorably towards recovery as her friends would like.

Here on Homecoming

Mr. and Mrs. Kelsaw, of Annapolis Royal, N. S., who were recently married, are spending their honeymoon in the city and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Parker, Westmorland street.

To Take Post Graduate Course

Dr. McNally, of Berwick, who has been so prominent in the promotion of the Memorial Hospital at Berwick, has gone to New York to take a post-graduate course in surgery.—Kentville Advertiser.

Had Foot Cut.

Fred Goodine, of this city, cut his foot quite badly yesterday when the axe he was wielding struck him on the foot inflicting a nasty gash. He is at Victoria Hospital undergoing treatment.

Transferred to Ottawa

William Keenan, of the Entomological branch of the Department of Agriculture in New Brunswick, has gone to Ottawa where he will remain for the winter with the Federal Department of Agriculture. Mrs. Keenan will remain here for the winter.

At Moncton Conference.

Col. T. G. Loggie, deputy minister of Lands and Mines is at Moncton today attending the conference between Hon. C. W. Robinson, Minister of Lands and Mines, and the committee from the New Brunswick Lumbermen's Association. Chief Forester G. H. Prince and A. T. Murchie, Chief Scaler of the Crown Land Department, are also at Moncton for a meeting of the Forest Advisory Board.

Receiving Congratulations

Mr. and Mrs. Hedley R. Pond are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby girl Jean Elizabeth at her home of Mr. and Mrs. David MacLennan, Durham, on Jan. 22nd. Mr. and Mrs. Charles White of Victoria Mills, are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy at their home last week. Mr. and Mrs. Chipman Nason are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy at their home 533 King Street January 28th.

Record for Continuous Cold.

Local thermometers registered below zero again this morning, the average temperature of the unofficial glasses being 5 below zero. The records kept locally show that on twenty-two days this month the temperature has been below zero and on two other days the zero mark was touched, leaving only seven days during the entire month in which there has not been zero temperature. It is one of the most pronounced below zero records for any month in recent years.

The Late Mrs. Estabrooks

The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Estabrooks took place yesterday afternoon from her late home and was quite largely attended by friends of deceased and family. Services were conducted at the house by Rev. Mr. Higgins assisted by Rev. Mr. Colter and interment made at Rural cemetery. The pall bearers were W. Estabrooks, Herbert Estabrooks, Angus Estabrooks, Mr. Hill. There were many beautiful floral tributes from friends in the city and elsewhere.

Celebrated Eleventh Birthday.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Knorr, Oromocto, was the scene of a very pretty party on Friday, when they entertained from 5 to 9 p. m. in honor of their daughter, Phyllis, on the occasion of her eleventh birthday. About thirty-five friends were present, and games, music and readings were indulged in. The tastefully decorated birthday cake with its eleven shining candles occupied a prominent position at one end of the dining room, where a buffet luncheon was served from 5.30 to 6.30 p. m. The birthday gifts were both pretty and useful.

SCHOOL TEACHER
STRUCK BY TRAIN
BUT UNINJURED

Miss Blanche Adams Hit by the Valley Railway Express at Lincoln Last Night

To be hit by the engine of an approaching train but to soon after be able to get aboard the train and proceed on her journey was the thrilling experience of Miss Blanche Adams, of Lincoln, early last evening near the Valley Railway station at Lincoln, Sunbury county.

Miss Adams, who is a school teacher, was waiting for the Valley train at Lincoln last evening with the intention of coming to Fredericton. She was on the other side of the track from the station and fearing she would be late she ran across the track in front of the approaching train expecting to get across before the train got to the station. She was astray in her calculation of the distance, however, as the train got there first, but not before the engine hit her and knocked her down. She was picked up by trainmen and others who expected to find her with broken bones and other serious injuries. But good luck was with Miss Adams and outside of some bruises and a shaking up she was unhurt and was able to proceed on the train to this city to the home of her sister, Mrs. Donald McLenahan, York street.

Enquiries this morning elicited the information that Miss Adams was confined to her bed today feeling very sore but happy that she escaped serious if not fatal injuries.

EXHIBITION BOARD
ELECTED OFFICERS

Will Seek Incorporation as Fredericton Exhibition Ltd. at Once

Another step in the reorganization of Agricultural Society No. 34 was taken yesterday afternoon when the board of directors elected at the recent annual meeting held their first meeting.

Under a resolution passed at the annual meeting the directors have been instructed to hand over the society's assets to a new corporation to be known as Fredericton Exhibition, Limited, and arrangements were made at yesterday's meeting for the necessary application for incorporation to be made by J. J. P. Winslow, the society's solicitor, and it will come before the Provincial Government here this week, a committee being appointed to appear before the cabinet if necessary.

The directors were elected yesterday for Agricultural Society No. 34 to carry on until the time for the transfer comes and then to sign the necessary documents, last year's officers being re-elected as follows: President, Ald. F. L. Cooper; vice-president, H. A. Smith; treasurer, C. Fred Chestnut, and secretary, W. S. Hooper.

Mr. Hooper in accepting re-election said that after twenty years' experience he would not again act as manager of an exhibition but would continue his interest in the organization and act as a director.

In the letters of incorporation of the new organization provision will be made whereby the City Council will have official representation on the exhibition managing board.

A resolution was passed expressing regret at the death of the late William McKay, formerly president of the society and for many years actively identified with the exhibition, and a letter of sympathy was ordered to be sent to the bereaved widow.

YOUR TIME HAS COME

To Accept or Pass Up Your Greatest Opportunity to Enjoy a Good Night's Fun.

Real healthy enjoyment has been provided for young and old alike at the rink tonight. Come and enjoy yourself to your hearts content. Programme consists of snowshoe races, hoop races, bag races, tug of war and the famous battle of brooms. These events will be followed by a big moccasin dance for which real good music will be furnished. No matter how large the crowd, doctors agree there is no danger of catching the flu at the rink. Suitable prizes will be awarded for each event. Doors open at 7.15, programme begins at eight o'clock.

28 Money Saving Days.

Tomorrow (Wednesday) Edgecombe's annual February cotton and linen sale will begin, a good opportunity for housekeepers and those who intend to keep house to secure a season's supply of these useful goods. At the new prices, with ten per cent. discount and free hemming, there should be daily visits to this department of the big store by all prudent people.

Want Some Nice Silverware?

Just the chance you have been waiting for to replenish your stock of table silverware is now offered by R. Chestnut & Sons in their after stock-taking sale of Rogers' spoons, knives, ladles, pie knives, and other flatware so essential to a well laid table. See the goods displayed and you will at once grasp the opportunity to buy these goods at a wonderful saving.

The Nurses' Dance.

The nurses' dance on Thursday night will be a very pleasant event. Everyone will be there to participate in the novelty dance and help the nurses in their good work. Good music.

TWO UNDEFENDED
DIVORCE ACTIONS
ARE HEARD TODAY

Couple Registered as Brother and Sister and Later as Man and Wife Here

The undefended cases of Weeks vs. Weeks and Allen vs. Allen were taken up this morning at the adjourned January session of the New Brunswick Divorce Court here before Mr. Justice Crockett.

Prior to the opening proceedings of the court Mr. Justice Crockett referred to the death of the late John Gill, for many years clerk of the court, this being the first session of the court following his death. The ability of the late clerk, and especially his knowledge of the library, were commented upon in glowing terms by His Honor.

F. R. Taylor, K. C., of St. John, also spoke on behalf of the Bar with reference to the passing of such a faithful public servant. H. C. Rutter was appointed to act as clerk temporarily.

In the case of Weeks vs. Weeks, the plaintiff, Harold Herbert Weeks, of Moncton, alleges infidelity on the part of the defendant, Byah Weeks, at the York Hotel, Fredericton, St. John, Tarnmouth, Moncton and other places. Austin A. Allen, of Moncton, and P. R. Taylor, K. C., of St. John, appeared on behalf of the plaintiff.

Howard Young, the proprietor of the York Hotel, was called and gave evidence showing that the defendant had registered at the York Hotel with Jonathan Pond, of Northumberland county, during the month of July, 1921, as sister and brother. Suspicious of their behavior, the witness asked them who they were, and was informed that they were man and wife and had been married a month. At the instance of the witness, Pond had altered the signatures on the hotel register to read "Jonathan Pond and wife," striking out the name of Violet Pond, which the defendant had given. The hotel register was submitted in evidence.

The plaintiff was also called and (Continued on page 2.)

Will You Be Lucky?

See the wonderful prizes donated by the merchants of the city to the Fair of All Good Neighbors on exhibition in Ryan's drug store window. Some one is going to get their money's worth and help in the good cause by attending the Fair next week and participating in the games and other events. The Overland touring car is proving a great drawing card. Do not delay buying a ticket, as the supply is limited. See prizes also in W. H. Vanwart's, Le-mont & Son's and Dibble's drug store windows. They start you guessing.

Belgian Young Carrots

French Haricot Beans
French Mushrooms
French Cauliflower
French Celery Hearts
(These are all Extra Fine Vegetables put up in tins.)

LIMA BEANS

Boil and use them as a vegetable. They are delicious.

DEL MONTE CALIFORNIA PEARS

More to sell at 25c. per tin. Extra fine goods at a very low price.

Peanut Butter at 25c. per tin.

—AT—

Van Wart's

DISAPPEARANCE OF
\$6,000 WORTH OF
ALCOHOL IS PROBED

Trial of Unusual Case Starts in York Circuit Court This Afternoon

At the adjourned session of the York Circuit Court, which opened here this afternoon with Mr. Justice Barry presiding, trial was commenced in the case of the Crown, through the Provincial Government, against the Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

Damages to the extent of \$6,000 are asked for by the Government upon the grounds that a quantity of alcohol which had been seized at St. Leonards, N. B., and placed in a car in the custody of the C.P.R. at that place for shipment to Fredericton had disappeared during the night before being shipped here.

The Crown's claim is that eight casks of alcohol were seized at St. Leonards by prohibition officers and placed in a freight car for shipment to Fredericton consigned to Rev. W. D. Wilson, who was then chief inspector and the Government's agent as such. The next morning, it is claimed that only one cask remained untouched, three casks were missing altogether and four casks had been drained of their contents of alcohol.

The C.P.R. claim, it is said, is to the effect that the contents of the casks was water and not alcohol, and that if it was taken it was not the railway's fault anyway. A large number of witnesses are here from St. Leonards and elsewhere. P. J. Hughes, of this city, is appearing for the Government, and Dr. F. R. Taylor, K. C., of St. John, for the C.P.R.

Celestial Players Friday

Owing to uncertainty as to when the St. John Hockey Team would visit Fredericton to play the Marysville Team at the Arctic Rink, the Celestial Players were yesterday unable to announce the date of their Marysville performance of their wonderfully successful Comedy, "The Colonel's Maid."

February Third, Friday of this week is now announced as the time. The place the Amusee Theatre.

Don't forget the Hockey match to-morrow night Marysville vs. St. John, in League game.

Get ready for big carnival soon.

LADIES'
WRIST
WATCHES

A good watch is not necessarily expensive. A tiny Elgin in good gold-filled costs but \$30.

This Elgin is a thoroughly good timepiece.

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IF YOUR FALSE TEETH WON'T STICK TO YOU DON'T THROW THEM AWAY

Wernet's False Teeth Powder

And stick to your teeth. It will do the trick

50 cents and a dollar a package from

C. A. BURCHILL
Cor. Regent and Queen Streets

Libby's Dill Pickles

IN CANS—Price 35c per can

NON-SUCH STOVE POLISH—For stoves, sheet iron and stove pipes.
FARINA—A new shipment received. 10c per lb., 3 lbs. for 25c.
ROBINSON'S PATENT BARLEY.

Grocer

C. H. BURTT
CONFECTIONERY OF ALL KINDS

Uptown

January
Clearance

We have placed on sale for this week a number of pairs of WOMEN'S BUTTONED BOOTS
Regular Values up to \$8.00—Our special sale price \$2.49
H. S. CAMPBELL—SHOEMAN

John J. Weddall & Son's
Annual Linen Sale

Wednesday, February 1st., 1922

10 p. c. Discount and Free Hemming. Table Cloths, Napkins, Sheets, Sheeting, Towels, Towels, Pillow Cottons, White Quilts, Linen Sets, etc., etc.

Prices are down considerably so it is a very opportune time to buy.

ALL HEMMING DONE BY AN EXPERIENCED HAND

John J. Weddall & Son

Big Clearance Sale

On Odd Lines of

Rogers Silver Knives,
Forks and Spoons

5 doz. Rogers Tea Spoons, regular price \$4.25 doz., now	\$2.90 per doz.
6 doz. Rogers 5 o'clock Tea Spoons, regular price \$4.25 doz., now	2.75 per doz.
5 doz. Rogers Tea Spoons, regular price \$3.25 doz., now	\$2.20 per doz.
2 doz. Rogers Bouillon Spoons, regular price \$5.50 per doz., now	3.40 per doz.
1 doz. Rogers Soup Spoons, regular price \$8.00 per doz., now	5.25 per doz.
2 doz. Rogers Orange Spoons, regular price \$6.50 per doz., now	4.75 per doz.
4 doz. Rogers Dessert Knives, regular price \$8.50 per doz., now	\$5.50 per doz.
5 doz. Rogers Dinner Knives, regular price \$8.75, now	\$5.75 per doz.
2 only Rogers Berry Spoons, regular price \$2.50 each, now	1.60 each
2 only Rogers Gravy Ladles, regular price \$2.00 each, now	1.20 each
14 only Rogers Sugar Spoons, regular price 75 cents, each now	.45 each
12 only Rogers Pickle Forks, regular price 90 cents each, now	.55 each
2 only Rogers Soup Ladles, regular price \$3.95 each, now	2.10 each
3 only Rogers Table Sets (consisting of Berry Spoon, Cream Ladle and Gravy Ladle) regular price \$7.50 each, now	4.25 each

All new goods and every piece is something you want for your table. We guarantee every article to be real good value. Mailed to any address at above prices.

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