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LOCAL NEWS.

COLLISION.—Carvell's freight and Dales' express train on the C. P. R., collided at Grand Bay, ten miles from St. John yesterday. Engines and cars were badly wrecked but passengers escaped uninjured.

THE WOODS.—Reports from the Quebec woods are that the hauling is fairly good, but a little more snow would be acceptible. At Miramichi there is about eight inches, but this is not sufficient for hauling with two sleds.

IMPROVEMENT.—The office of the Barker house has been renovated and put in extra good shape. The counter has been removed to the corner opposite its old position, a new floor has been laid and the walls and wainscotting varnished.

MUCH ADMIRED.—Aurora, the running stallion owned by the government, was visited by a number of the county councillors and very much admired. This stallion's merits are just becoming known, as he has several very fine colts in different sections of the county.

NASHWAAK SPRUCE.—John Delucry while hauling logs on Grand John, a branch of Nashwaak, for Mr. Gibson, last week, cut and hauled a spruce tree that measured 1,675 feet. It was about three feet in diameter at the butt. That is a sample of the spruce that has made the Nashwaak famous.

PERSONATING.—A certain downtown barber has got into trouble if charges made at the police court on Thurday can be sustained. Mrs. Hatch informed Mr. Marsh that at the mayors election last, the barber had personated her. The fine is twenty dollars, the returning officer to prosecute.

ALDERMANIC.—The contests in St. Anns, Carleton and Kings wards promises to be stirring. Canvassing is going on vigorously and no stone is being left unturned to insure success. In each case the fight is a three cornered one, the hardest election that can be run as it is in nearly all cases one against two. Monday evening next will settle the matter.

NARROW ESCAPE.—Geo. McKiel, well known in this city and at Harvey Station where he spent some years as a telegraph operator, was seriously injured by being thrown from a moving train on Sunday last at British Columbia. He was putting on brakes, being on the roof of a car at the time, when the chain broke, and he was thrown to the ground. A physician attended him and he will recover.

A BAD FIT.—Our esteemed friend, Loran, in stealing his news items, is like an Indian in St. Marys, who when arrested for stealing a cowhide said "um head gone, no swear him yours." In his last issue the item respecting old curios was taken bodily from THE HERALD, but the head was missing; or rather a new head was put on and a bad fit made of it. It is John Thomas of Greenhill, Stanley, who has the old papers mentioned and not A. D. Thomas of the alms house as the Farmer stated.

WARD MEETING.—A very enthusiastic meeting was held on Wednesday evening at the engine room for the purpose of nominating candidates to represent Kings ward at the city council. G. N. Babbit was appointed chairman and F. St. John Bliss, secretary. Ald. Marshall Ritchey and A. F. Randolph were unanimously chosen as candidates and accepted nomination. The whole meeting was organized a committee to look after the interests of the candidates and will go into the contest with assurance of success. There was a good attendanee of voters.

ESTEEM AND CONDOLENCE.—On Monday evening the board of trade presented an address to T. W. Smith, who intends removing to the west. His son, A. A. Smith, was also presented with an address by the young men of the city. Victoria Lodge, Oddfellows, on the same evening forwarded resolutions of condolence to John Richards and J. F. Richards, on the death of Mrs. Richards. G. S. Stanger, who leaves the drug business to take a position in his father's establishment, was presented with a handsome meerschaum pipe by Alonzo Staples and brother clerks.

NOT DEAD BY A LONG SHOT.—Truly a man does not know what the world thinks of him until he dies, but some of our local papers have begun to write obituary notices, so that the "dear departed" may read them before lying down to his last long sleep. Such is the case with William Mentrum, legislature messenger. When his death notice appeared in the Gleaner he appeared on the streets and was not in that calm state of mind that a dead man should be in, rather the reverse. He, very likely, would have preferred making a certain editor very much dead. Too much enterprise is a bad thing.

BOARD OF TRADE.—An adjourned meeting of the Fredericton Board of Trade was held at the city hall on Friday afternoon. There were present Messrs. Tennant, Tippitt, W. Lemont, Clark, Hodge, Neill, C. F. Chestnut, and secretary McCready. In the absence of president Wiley, the vice president, Mr. Neill, presided. An extension of time was allowed committees on the questions—new members and steamboats. Wm. Lemont then opened a discussion as to the necessity of a change in the present laws respecting bills of sale. All those present took part in the discussion and it is probable that a bill will be prepared and sent to the legislature for ratification regarding bills of sale.

Temperance Concert.

Tilley branch, C. of E. temperance society gave another successful concert Thursday evening in their new hall at Morrison's mills. Part first consisted of a circle with Joseph Blizzard and Matthew Humphries endmen, tambos; Wm. Crawley and Theo. Sharp, endmen, bones. Swinging on the golden gate, the opening song, was well done; then followed songs by G. O'Hara, Fred Blizzard, M. Humphries and Mr. Thompson. A duel with swords between Mr. Thompson and J. McLish was an amusing feature. Messrs. Woodbridge, Denning and Powers took part in a roaring farce, followed by a song by J. Blizzard and a duett by Messrs. Powers and Woodbridge. Mr. Thompson and J. Blizzard gave exhibitions with Indian clubs and dumb bells. The coon barber shop, in which W. Crawley, M. Humphries and J. Blizzard showed their abilities, was a grand wind up. There was a good attendance.

That $5 Charge.

Some of the county councillors who had taken very high ground against the local government for asking pay from the county for copies of the highway act, have come down from their perch. They did not do so voluntarily or pleasantly, but they did so all the same. To remind our readers of the facts: Some two or more years ago, when the government was printing the highway act, it was thought well to have a large additional number struck off so as to supply the various counties at a nominal cost and save the different municipalities the large expense of printing them each for itself. County secretaries were notified that copies were available at five cents per copy, and York county took one hundred of them. When the small bill was sent in, couns. Pinder, Scott and others not particularly friendly to the local government, thinking to make a point against it, refused to pay and kicked up quite a dust over what they were pleased to regard as an outrageous charge. The government simply held the jury fees until these gentlemen should learn better manners, so that finally the belligerent members had to take off their war paint and eat biled crow. The $5 bill was ordered to be paid. But not without a protest. Certain councillors who could not have known that what they were saying, was true, and who, in point of fact, had no knowledge on the subject, stated positively that the government made a charge against York county which it did not make against other counties. The St. John Sun of Thursday, with an ear always open for damaging intelligence, makes the announcement that it came out during the proceedings before the county council that these pamphlets, for which York county was asked to pay, had been distributed in other counties free. Just how it came out or what class of evidence was accepted in proof of this statement, does not appear, but that it was very unreliable evidence, will be seen from the subjoined statement of the amounts actually paid by other counties for copies of the same act, and which statement we have had furnished us by the department of the provincial secretary. These are the amounts:

Albert,	$3 00	Charlotte	$10 50
Gloucester	3 00	Kings	6 00
Northumberland	6 00	Queens	12 00
Restigouche	3 00	Sunbury	6 00
Victoria	21 00	Westmorland	9 00
York	5 00		

All other counties appreciated the consideration of the government and very gladly paid the trifling charge. York alone, under the wise and judicious inspiration of Messrs. Pinder and Scott, stood out to fight. And what a dignified figure these gentlemen have made the county cut in the business.

The Courts.

The trial between Forbes and Kelly vs. Crotty and Malone, engaged the attention of the county court from Tuesday, the 12th, till the evening of Monday, the 18th. The case was very carefully gone into and the law bearing on different points that appeared, very explicitely explained by the judge. Geo. F. Gregory, for Forbes and Kelly, spent several hours in his address to the jury, going over all the evidence and making a strong plea for his client. The jury retired about four o'clock, and after being out an hour returned with the decision that they could not agree. After the explanation of a difficulty that had arisen, they retired once more and in a short time after rendered a verdict in favor of Forbes and Kelley for fifty dollars.

At the court on Tuesday, chief justice Allen presiding, the grand jury although in attendance had no business before it. His honor said that the perjury case, Lindsay vs Armstrong, then before Mr. Marsh, might be brought before the grand jury in the afternoon. If so he would not hear the case but would ask Judge Fraser to do so, as should a conviction be made, there might be an idea to the effect that he was prejudiced in the case.

In the afternoon, it was made known to the grand jury that Judge Fraser could not attend and the court closed. The perjury case was continued at the police court in the afternoon.

The Lindsay case was postponed till Thursday, but when the police court opened neither party appeared and the case was dismissed. It is believed an amicable settlement was made.

Local Talk.

There is not much excitement respecting the aldermanic elections which take place on the 25th.

There was considerable chaffing indulged in on Thursday respecting the man who was not dead.

The Black Ghost, Sporter and several other fast ones were out trying conclusions on Thursday afternoon.

W. C. T. U. temperance meeting in city hall on Sunday evening next will be addressed by Revd's Weddall and Hartley.

The close season for deer began on the 15th inst. In respect to fishing, it is not lawful to take trout or salmon through the ice.

Many remarks were made respecting the very handsome way in which the windows of J. J. Weddall's establishment were draped as a token of respect to the departed Prince.

Sad Homes.

Mary Beatrice, the eleven months old daughter of Edward and Eliza Higgins, Brunswick street, died last night of scarletina.

Jennie Howell, the bright little adopted daughter of Mrs. Hallett of King street, died on Tuesday morning from diptheria. She was in her seventh year.

The little six year old son of John O'Leary died Tuesday morning after a short but severe illness. The parents have the sympathy of all in the loss of their little boy.

Geo. Ratcliffe, of Charlotte street, died on Monday of consumption at the age of sixty. He had been a soldier for many years. He leaves a widow and large family.

Wm. McCane, a well known resident of Charlotte street, died on Monday night at midnight of heart disease. He had reached his sixty-eight year. Deceased leaves a widow and family.

Mrs. Bruce Cummings died at her residence, York street, at two a'clock on the 22nd, at the age of forty-five years. She was well known to all in the city and much respected. As Miss Cornelia McDonald she was a general favorite.

Married.

The New York Times of the 12th contains the following: The marriage of Miss Jessie Heath, daughter of James P. Heath, to J. Marshall Nason took place the 11th at the residence of the bride, 102 East Sixty-Third street. The bride wore white faille trimmed with pearl passamenterie. The maid of honor was Miss Nellie Heath and the bridesmaids were Miss Daisy Heath and Miss Grace Johnston. The best man was Edgar Hilliary and the ushers were Mr. Tusk, Mr. Morrison, Mr. Hardy, and Mr. Ellis. The uncle of the bride, The Rev. William Heath performed the ceremony, assisted by the Rev. J. Wesley Johnston, Mr. Nason is a son of A. G. Nason formerly of this city but now a large contractor and builder of New York.

Money Paid Without Warrant.

In the auditor's report, of county accounts for the past year, it appears that certain amounts of money belonging to the county have been paid without any warrant by law. On page forty-seven there is a sum of $20 expenses of overseer of poor for Bright; page forty-eight, $10 for Bright; page forty-nine, $15 for Bright; page fifty-one, $5 for Canterbury; page fifty-two, $10 for Bright; page fifty-seven, $12 for Douglas, making a total of $72. This should be made a law so that all overseers of the poor may take advantage of it, or those overseers as above who have received this $72 should be made refund it to the county. Mr. Black must have some personal love for Bright or he has not been careful in this matter.

LAST SAD RITES.

Funeral Obsequies of the late Duke of Clarence.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—The body of the Duke of Clarence and Avondale was removed from the parish church at Sandringham to-day. The Prince of Wales and his household entered the church at 10.15, accompanied by the members of the royal family. The funeral services were very brief. At their conclusion the coffin was placed upon the draped gun carriage drawn by six horses and conveyed to Wolverton station on the Great Eastern railway. The whole route from the church to the station was lined with spectators, who, as the procession passed, joined in the rear. A guard of honor from the Norfolk volunteers met the cortege at the station. The whole scene was one of great solemnity.

The remains were conveyed from Windsor without transhipping at London. The Duke of Edinburgh, Duke of Cannaught, Prince Christian, Duke of Teck, two of his sons, and many foreign representatives were at Windsor station when at 3.30, the train bearing the remains arrived. On it were the Prince and Princess of Wales. The train that followed the funeral train conveyed the members of the Prince of Wales' household at Sandringham.

The lord chamberlain received the members of the royal family as they alighted. The coffin was taken on the shoulders of men from the Tenth Hussars and was enwrapped in a silken Union Jack. On it was a single splendid wreath sent by the Queen. A silken ribbon was attached to the wreath on which were the words, "A mark of the tenderest affection and love from a devoted, loving and sorrowing grandmother."

Minute guns were fired from the round tower during the passage of the procession. The Life Guards had the right of line followed by bands which played Chopin's and Beethoven's funeral marches, alternately.

A detachment of the Tenth Hussars and Horse Artillery preceded the gun carriage upon which the remains were placed. On either side of the gun carriage walked the guards and officers of the Tenth Hussars. The charger ridden by the Duke of Clarence and Avondale, saddled and bridled, with the boots of his owner reversed, was led after the gun carriage. The mourners came next. The Prince of Wales, Prince George of Wales and the Duke of Fife led the mourners. Next came the Duke of Connaught, Duke of Edinburgh, Prince Christian, Prince Henry of Battenberg and the Marquis of Lorne.

Then followed the Grand Duke Alexis, representing the czar of Russia; Prince Albert Schleswig-Holstein, the crown prince of Denmark, Duke of Oporto, brother of king of Portugal; Prince Frederick Leopold, of Prussia, and Duke of Teck, between Prince Ernest Ledningen and Prince Edward Saxe Weimar. The princesses drove from the station by a private road to the chapel.

The procession moved slowly. It was nearly 4 o'clock when the cortege reached St. George's chapel. The coffin bearers from the Hussars lifted the burden with bared and bowed heads, and passed into the chapel. The clergymen were headed by Very Rev. Philip Frank Elliott, D. D., domestic chaplain to the Queen, the dean of Windsor and registrar of the order of the garter, and Right Rev. Randall Thomas Davidson, D. D., bishop of Rochester.

The choristers went down the main aisle singing I am the Resurrection and the Life, followed by three equerries bearing on cushions the coronet of the Duke, and other insignia of his rank. Then came a small detachment from the Hussars. Behind them was the coffin flanked by ten officers of the Duke's regiment (the Tenth Hussars); behind them came the Prince of Wales, Prince George of Wales, and the Duke of Fife followed by royal personages. The coffin was placed upon the bier before the altar and coronet and other insignia placed upon it.

In the Queen's gallery above the altar on the right were the Princess of Wales, her daughters Princess Louise (Duchess of Fife), Princess Victoria and Princess Maud, and Princess Mary of Teck.

The services were conducted by the dean of Windsor assisted by the bishop of Rochester. The choir sang hymns selected by the Queen.

After benediction Sir Albert Woods, garter king of arms (the Duke was a knight of the most noble order of the garter) in full insignia and habit of his rank, proclaimed the full list of titles of the Duke. The Prince of Wales, followed by other royal personages, then proceeded by a private way from the chapel to the castle. There were only a few women in the chapel.

The entire service was marked by solemn impressiveness.

The remains of the Duke will be quietly removed to Memorial chapel, where they will find a final resting place.

The American legation and embassies of other governments not connected by family ties with the Queen attended the memorial services in the chapel of St. James.

In this city, by order of the mayor, stores were closed and curtains drawn, and the bells of all the churches tolled from two until three o'clock. A general holiday observance was manifested. The county council held no session in the forenoon. Special mention was made of the sad event of the death of the Duke at all the churches in the vicinity on Sunday.

PERSONAL.

Concerning People Known to Most Readers.

We had a visit from John Anderson, M. P. P., on Saturday last.

John L. Carleton, of St. John, was at the Barker on Wednesday.

James Robison, M. P. P., has been elected warden of Northumberland.

J. G. McNally is making a tour of Ontario and the new England States.

Milton Dayton, of St. Marys, York, has been elected warden of Madawaska.

The friends of Jesse W. Tabor are glad to see him once more able to resume work.

Miss Douglas, of this county has been appointed to Milltown, N. B., school staff.

Rev. Mr. Ross of Prince William, has been elected moderator of the St. John Presbytery.

E. Mullen, principal of the Normal school, went to Gagetown on the 20th to attend his mother's funeral.

Mrs. Chas. Wise of St. Marys, York county, is visiting her friends at Woodstock. She intends remaining for some time.

Abraham J. Brown, of Bear Island, one of the best known men on the river, was in town on Monday, as hale and hearty as ever.

H. P. Timmerman, general superintendent, Atlantic division, C. P. R., and E. Tiffin, general freight agent, were in the city on Tuesday.

Miss Jennie Lyle, so well known in this city and the province as a teacher of much merit is about removing to the United States.

Royal Arch Masons.

The following is the list of officers of Fredericton chapter Royal Arch masons:

Alex. Burchill, H. P.
Harry Beckwith, K.
Wm. Lockhard, S.
John Moore, Trea.
A. F. Street, Sec.
Nelson Campbell, C. of H.
Jas. D. Fowler. P. S.
Jas. H. Hawthorne, R. A. C.
M. Tennant, M. 3d V.
Joshua Limerick, M. 2d V.
Geo. H. Davis, M. 1st V.
Richard Pinder, Sent.

Mr. Lottimer has provided so liberally for his customers for Christmas and the New Year, in the way of presents, that he has still quite a number on hand, which he will continue to give away with every purchase of $1 and upwards, for cash, until they are all gone.—2 in.

A Sample Brick.

The following is a sample of the style of warfare adopted by the Moncton Times, against a political opponent, and all because Mr. Blair defeated Mr. Stevens in February last:

A JUDICIAL FARCE.

The Queen, represented by attorney general Blair, has lost another case at Dorchester. It seems unfortunate for the Queen, but it would seem as if she better supply some other lawyer when Moncton law breakers of a certain class are to be tried.

We need not say that this paragraph is called for by the verdict in the case of the Queen vs. Flewelling Wilbur, tried at Dorchester last week and ending in the acquittal of the prisoner. It will be remembered that William Wilbur, a brother of Flewelling, then lying under a serious charge, was a few months ago released on nominal bail. He immediately left the country, and when the charge against Flewelling Wilbur came up and it was learned that Mr. Emmerson was to defend and Mr. Blair to go through the form of prosecuting, there were many to predict that the prisoner would be acquitted. The evidence at the preliminary examination held before stipendiary Wortman was of a most conclusive nature, but at Dorchester some new witnesses, chiefly women of loose character, tenants of houses owned by relatives of the prisoner, were called. We are not informed of the nature of the new testimony, but it will require a good deal to convince the people of Moncton that justice has been done in this case.

The number of falsehoods and insinuations contained in the above paragraphs are about as numerous as could well be compressed into the same space. If every case that a crown officer fails to convict is to be made the basis of a malicious attack upon him by a political opponent, we are going to introduce an atrocious principle into the administration of criminal justice. We learn from reliable authority that William Wilbur, who is named as having been released on what is called by the Times nominal bail a few months ago, was brought up on a charge for an assault. The chief justice, who had read the depositions admitted the prisoner to bail on the application of the prisoner's counsel, and himself fixed the amount of bail, the attorney general did not fix it. The same bail were afterwards compelled to pay up. The statement "that the evidence in the preliminary examination against Flewelling Wilbur before stipendiary Wortman was of a most conclusive nature" is a stupendous falsehood. The evidence was everything but conclusive, it was as weak as water, and without evidence it is presumed no man, even the worst character, should be convicted. There were, no doubt, women of loose character called as witnesses, in fact all the witnesses were a depraved lot, but it is not to be supposed that the attorney general could manufacture witnesses of good character for the purpose. If the man whose money was stolen consorted with women and witnesses of that character, the crown had to take them or none. If editor Stevens had lost his pocket book in frequenting bar rooms and brothels and should prosecute any person whom he might suspect of the crime, he would not drag the deacons of his church into court to help him out, he would have to depend upon the testimony of his companions while on the bout. Before Stevens pronounces the result of the Wilbur trial a judicial farce, he would do well to take the opinion of Judge King who tried the case as to whether the attorney general did not thoroughly exhaust the testimony against the prisoner, and whether if he is open to any charge, it is not rather that he unduly pressed in evidence to convict. The Times editor has not read the evidence given before the police magistrate nor that given on the trial; he does not know that the prosecutor broke down completely in his evidence and could give no connected account of his own whereabouts or movements. Every witness contradicted him and he contradicted himself, and yet the Times is unprincipled enough to be the first to charge attorney general Blair with prostituting his office as crown prosecutor. For shame, Mr. Stevens! You must be hard pushed indeed for accusatory matter against a political opponent when you descend to such depths. Why do you not accuse and insinuate misconduct against Judge King? He did not charge the jury that any of the evidence was satisfactory or convincing as to the prisoner's guilt.

Marysville Notes.

Miss Lizzie Yerxa has gone to Keswick on a visit.

W. T. Day, principal of the school, is ill with scarlet fever.

Miss Maggie Hovey has returned from her St. Stephen visit.

The rink was opened on Thursday night with a good attendance.

Horace Pugh has gone to Ryan Brook to scale lumber for James Humble.

George Tapley is to occupy the tenement lately vacated by William Alexander.

Rev. Mr. Nobles of Gibson will hold services in the hall on Tuesdays as usual.

There is considerable illness in the town, few cases however are of a dangerous nature.

William Brown, Joseph Allen and Mrs. D. Bubar are very ill with la grippe but are recovering.

Messrs. B. Hallett, M. Dick, and A. Saunders left here on Tuesday last for Salem, Mass.

Geo. A. Clark's little boy had his finger cut off in the cogs of one of the wheels of the cotton mill.

Alex. Gibson, jr., is sending down a big quantity of spruce and hardwood logs from his camp at Forbes siding, C. E. R.

Messrs. David and William Alexander, father and son left Tuesday for Chatham where they will reside in the future.

Mr. Mooney has finished his brick laying contract at the boiler house and has gone to Chatham to complete a contract there.

This town has one of the best conducted hotels in the Maritime Provinces and the landlord, Geo. Foster, is one of the popular hotel men.

At the Methodist church the Rev. Mr Reed, of Moncton, will preach in the evening, the morning service to be conducted by Rev. Mr. Weddall or Rev. Mr. McConnell as they may arrange.

When the C. E. R., trains reach Marysville station at noon, the windows on the east side of the cars are worth money, as all the passengers make a rush to them to see the great factory and the big crowd of operatives coming out at dinner hour. The town has more than a local fame.

On Wednesday, the 20th inst., at the residence of the brides father, John Arnold, William Henry of Milltown, N. B., was married to Miss Sadie Arnold of Marysville. The nuptial knot was tied by the Rev. Douglas Chapman. Miss Mary Arnold, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid while Fred Brown performed the duty of best man. The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful presents. The bride was attired in white cashmere; the bridesmaid wore a similar costume. Among the guests were Mrs. Wm. Cochran of Boston and Geo. Johnston of Lowell. Following is a list of guests and presents: Jessie and Katie Camber, silver ice pitcher; Mary, Aggie and Geo. Johnson, cake basket; Alice and Eliza Davenport, pickle dish; Fred. Brown, castor; Phœbe Donald, cake basket; Emma Pond, pickle dish; Hayward Brown, pickle dish; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tapley, pickle dish; Bessie Titus, pickle dish; Mr. and Mrs. Jud. Arnold, silver butter cooler; Susie Heron, silver butter cooler; Stella Clayton, silver butter cooler; Addington Robertson, silver butter cooler; Lillie Titus, silver butter cooler; Clara Milliken, gold lined silver spoon holder; Claude Clayton, spoon holder; Mabel Walker, glass sett; Hattie and Martha Tufts, silver card receiver; Edna Estabrook, silver sugar spoon; Horatio Clayton, silver napkin rings; Mamie Arnold, glass cake stand; Annie Clark, individual butter dishes; Sadie Walker, silver butter knife; Mrs. Wm. Cochran, silver fruit knife; Mrs. DeWolfe, linen table cloth; Mary Arnold, table cloth; Hattie Brown, napkin; Nancy Arnold, Napkin; Mrs. Emily McDowell, goblets and preserve dishes; John Walker, knives and forks; Maggie Arnold, knives and forks; Noria Black, lamp; James Robinson, clock; Mrs. Jas. Elder, quilt; Sam. Arnold, sett dishes; Nellie Heron, fruit dish.

Gibson and St. Marys.

Rev. Mr. Knight, who has been seriously ill for some time past, is recovering.

John Murch, manager of the soap works, returned from his home at Bear Island on Monday, his mother having in great measure recovered from the effects of her fall.

The funeral of Richard Harvey's little boy took place on Sunday last, the Rev. Mr. Nobles officiating. Death occurred on the Friday previous from congestion of the lungs.

Mrs. Moses White is yet very ill. A short time since a false growth was removed from the roof of her mouth by the doctors, who did not state whether it was a cancer or not.

F. Davidson, who has been laid up with typhoid fever was apparently quite well last week, but has had to take to his bed again. His has been an extremely trying case and much sympathy is expressed for him and his parents.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at Harry Pickard's residence on Wednesday. Among those present were: Mrs. H. Simmons, Miss Pickard, Miss G. Logan, Miss E. Merrithew, Miss J. Wilson, Miss Dennison, Miss Evans, Miss Bolton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pond, and Messrs. Evans, Burden, Hendry, and Wetmore.

The council R. T. of T. of Gibson, to the number of forty-one paraded on Sunday evening last to the Methodist church, Gibson, where a very effective sermon was preached by the Rev. Mr. McConnel, from the motto "Truth, hope and love," the words on the Templars badge. The church was well filled. The intention is to visit each of the churches when special sermons will be delivered.

The Forester's celebration at St. Marys on Tuesday night was very largely attended and passed off very successfully. After the regular business was finished the court was thrown open to visitors when the public installation of the following officers, by H. C. R. Colman of St. John, H. C. R. Creed of Fredericton and H. B. McMinnamin of Stanley, took place: J. S. Hall C. R; Albert Boone, V. C. R; J. Macum, rec. sec; Bruce Dayton, fin. sec; R. Staples, treas; A. Henry, senior woodward; L. Good, junior woodward; Wm. Kinghorn, junior beadle; John Maybe senior beadle. Then all repaired to the store of R. Staples where a very fine supper had been prepared, under the supervision of the wives and daughters of Foresters, and to which full juistice was done. Supper finished all returned to the hall when addresses were made by H. C. R. Colman, H. C. R. Creed, H. B. McMinnamin, and J. R. Hall. A song was sung in good style by one of the officers of the I. S. C. Several of the ladies sang solos, Miss Sarah McFarlane presiding at the organ. The organ was a prize won by court St. Marys, against all the courts in the dominion, the contest being as to what court should initiate the greater number of members in the year.

For Marysville Mill.

Work on the engine and other machinery for the Marysville shingle mill is being pushed along at McFarlane, Thompson & Anderson's with all speed consistent with good results. Several of the patterns for the engine, which is to be of 160 h. p., are completed and casting will commence as soon as the other patterns are ready. Gordon Kelley, master mechanic, has planned the engine and will superintend its construction and the placing it in the mill. It will be ready it is thought by the first of April. It is designed with special regard to power, the necessity of getting a maximum of power from a minimum of fuel is not required as the mill will make more fuel than can be used. This will be completely fitted with machinery by this enterprising firm and will be the most complete shingle mill in the province.

The Fredericton Market.

Business has been very good during the week just closing. As the roads are good, a large amount of produce has been brought in. Hay especially has been equal to the demand.

Pork,	per lb	$0 05 to $0	06
Beef,	"	03 "	05
Mutton,	"	04 "	05
Lamb,	"	06 "	07
Hams,	"	10 "	11
Sausages,	"	10 "	12
Butter,	"	15 "	17
Lard,	"	12 "	14
Turkeys,	"	12 "	14
Chickens,	per pair	30 "	40
Ducks,	"	60 "	65
Eggs,	per doz	17 "	18
Potatoes,	per bbl	00 "	1 00
Turnips	"	00 "	50
Carrots,	"	75 "	80
Hay,	per ton	6 00 "	9 00
Straw,	"	3 00 "	4 00
Oats,	per bush	38 "	40
Buckwheat,	per cwt	1 25 "	1 50
Socks and mitts,	per pair	00 "	20

JOHN E. PERKS, Market Clerk.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

COTTAGE TO RENT.

ON St. John Street, No. 101 near Charlotte. In good repair. Rent moderate.
Apply on the premises.
F'ton. January, 20th, 1892.

BANKRUPT STOCK

THE subscribers having purchased the entire stock of

BOOTS & SHOES

BELONGING TO THE HARRIS ESTATE,

Amounting to $4,000 worth, at less than ONE HALF ITS VALUE, ARE NOW PREPARED TO GIVE THEIR CUSTOMERS GOODS

LOWER than Ever Before SOLD in Fredericton.

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HERE ARE SOME OF THE PRICES:

24 pairs Mens' best quality American Rubber Boots, worth $3.75, now $2.50.
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41 pairs Children's Felt Buttoned Overboots, all sizes from 6 to 10, worth $1.00, now 50 cents.
50 pairs Mens' Tap Sole Lace Boots, a good solid boot, worth $1.75, now $1.00.
40 pairs Mens' Buff Boots, screwed bottom, whole vamp, a first-class boot, worth $2.00, now $1.25.
24 pairs Children's Lace Pegged Boots, worth 65 cents, now 40 cents.
50 pairs Ladies' Dongola Kid Button Boots, worth from $2.00 to $2.50, now $1.50.
24 pairs Ladies' India Kid Button Boots, worth $1.25, now 75 cents.
23 pairs Mens' Felt Overboots, worth $1.50. now $1.15.
200 pairs Ladies' Cloth Slippers, worth 30 cents, now 20 cents.
24 pairs Mens' Brogans, worth $1.00, now 75 cents.
33 pairs Misses Kid Button Boots, worth $1.25, now 75 cents.
24 pairs Mens' Grain Lace Boots, worth $1.75, now 90 cents.
25 dozen Fancy Moose Moccasins, comprising Mens', Women', Boy's, Misses and children's at half their regular prices.

POSITIVELY TERMS CASH.

FIVE PER CENT DISCOUNT on purchases of ten dollars and upwards.

SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, January 9

LUCY & CO.
Cor. Queen and Regent Sts.

TO ARRIVE.

500 BBLS.

SUGAR.

1000 SACKS

COARSE SALT.

JUST STORED.

2 CARS

BEANS,

Prime and hand picked.

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Horse Nails.

JUST RECEIVED:
60 BOXES Horse Nails, usual sizes.
And for sale by
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XMAS GROCERIES.

New Cooking Raisins,
New London Layer Raisins,
New Table Raisins,
New Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel,
New Figs,
New Dates,
A LARGE STOCK.
—OF—
Fine Confectionery,
Indian, Ceylon and China Teas. At all prices.
ALSO IN STOCK.
Oats, Bran,
Middlings and Linseed Meal.
Just Received.
A fine line of English Biscuit in great variety.

G. T. WHELPLEY,
310 Queen St. Fredericton.

W. E. SEERY,
Merchant Tailor,
Has Just Received a splendid new stock of
CLOTHS AND TWEEDS,
—COMPRISING—
Spring Overcoating,
Suitings,
and Trouserings,
Which he is prepared to MAKE UP in the
LATEST AND MOST FASHIONABLE STYLES
AT MODERATE PRICES.
W. E. SEERY,
WILMOT'S AVE.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

There will be sold at Public Auction, at the County Court House in the City of Fredericton, on THURSDAY, the 18th day of February, A. D. 1892, between the hours of twelve o'clock, noon, and five o'clock in the afternoon, all the right, title, property claim and demand, whatsoever of Thomas Hull, in, to, upon or out of, the following described lands and premises, viz.:

"ALL that certain piece or parcel of land, situate in the Parish of Southampton aforesaid, and known as part of lot number sixty-nine, beginning at the middle of lot number sixty-nine on the easterly side of the highway road of lands owned by George Clynick; running ten rods westerly along the said highway road; thence northerly three rods; thence easterly ten rods, running parallel with the said highway road; thence southerly three rods, to the place of beginning." Also,

"All that certain piece or parcel of land, situate in the Parish of Southampton aforesaid, and being a part of lot number sixty-nine in the front range, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a cedar post below the spring on the north side of the Queen's highway; thence in a northeasterly direction eighty feet; thence in a westerly direction ninety-five feet; thence southward twenty-eight feet; thence in a westerly direction one hundred and forty-three feet; thence south fourteen feet; thence easterly one hundred and forty-three feet; thence south fifty-two feet; thence easterly to the first mentioned cedar post, the place of beginning, containing by estimation, one-half acre, more or less." Also,

"All that certain piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Parish of Southampton in the County of York, that is to say, the lower or easterly part of lot number seventy, commencing on the bank of the River St. John, at the dividing line of land owned by George Clynick; following said line in a northerly direction to a beech stake, marked for a boundery; thence running in a westerly direction on a square angle to the line dividing land owned by Leonard Miller; following said line in a southerly direction to the ditch of the old highway road; thence following the said ditch the back side of the old highway road four rods in a westerly direction to land owned by William Miller; thence following the line of said land in a southerly direction to the River St. John; thence following the bank of said river down stream in an easterly direction to the place of beginning, containing sixty-five acres, more or less." Together with all houses, barns, buildings, improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging.

The same having been seized and taken under and by virtue of several executions issued out of the Supreme and County Courts, against the said Thomas Hull.

A. A. STERLING,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Fredericton, York County,
November 14th, 1891.

CHRISTMAS, 1891.

—AT—

W. R. LOGAN'S,

New Raisins, of all kinds
Seedless Raisins,
New Currants,
Fresh Spices,
New Citron,
Lemon Peel,
Orange Peel,
Frosting Sugar,
Flavoring Extracts,
Pop Corn,
New Figs,
New Dates, 10 cts per pound
Florida Oranges,
Green Grapes,
Mince Meat,
Preserved Ginger, in Bottles
Cape Cod Cranberries,
Maple Honey,
Liebigs Ext. of Beef,
Pickles and Sauces.

IF YOU WANT

Bishop Pippins, American Baldwins, Nova Scotia Baldwins, or R. I., Greenings Apples, inquire my price before buying eleswhere.

CHRISTMAS CONFECTIONERY.

A full assortment in stock including thirty different qualities of Ganong Bros. G. B. Chocolate Drops, Cream Candy 20 cts. per pound, Mixed Candy retailed at the bbl. price.

GIVEN AWAY.

Two pounds Mixed Candy given to each CASH Purchaser of five pounds Tea, for $1.00 or five pounds of another quality for $1.75, regular retail prices of these Teas are 25 and 40 cts. per pound and good value for the money.

What is this "Melissa" we hear so much about?

Will it do what is claimed for it?

MELISSA proofed coats or other garments are just what the Inventor and Manufacturers claim them to be, neither more nor less. They are both rain-proof, porous and odorless, therefore perfectly healthful and comfortable. They are common sense garments and should be treated in a common sense manner. Although rainproof, they are not waterproof in the sense that a water cushion or bottle made of rubber is waterproof. Being porous, water can be forced through them, either by heavy pressure or by squeezing with the fingers. If they were absolutely waterproof they would be absolutely air-tight and therefore no better than rubber. *Herein lies the peculiar value of the invention.* Sensible people do not buy rainproof garments for the purpose of forcing water through them or for carrying water in them, neither do they take shelter under a water spout, nor sit in a pool for pleasure. They buy rainproof garments to wear for the purpose of protecting themselves from the weather, and a Melissa coat or mantle will effectually protect the wearer for many hours in a heavy rain or snow storm. Melissa has a peculiar water-repellent property which prevents water when falling in the form of rain or snow on a garment from penetrating the cloth, and the true way to test the utility of a Melissa garment is, not by pouring a stream of water on it from a watering can, but by wearing it in a heavy rainstorm. The result will be found eminently satisfactory. Continued exposure to the weather will not impair in the slightest degree the rain-proof quality of Melissa. It is fixed and permanent. These garments, thoroughly well made from fine materials, are now on the counters of the first-class dealers throughout the whole country.

THE MELISSA RAINPROOF COATS

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CALL AND SEE THEM.

- COME - And Get a

NEW YEAR'S GIFT
- FREE -
By Purchasing Goods to the Amount of
- $1.00 -
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AT LOTTIMER'S SHOE STORE.

A. LOTTIMER,

Has an immense stock and a great variety of BOOTS, SHOES, RUBBERS, OVERBOOTS, to select from; Also, GENTS' FANCY SLIPPERS, suitable for presents; FANCY MOCCASINS, all sizes The celebrated CRESCENT HEEL PLATES, put on free of charge on Overboots bought at

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Fredericton, December 30th, 1891.

HOTEL BRUNSWICK

FUTURITY STAKES.

To be Trotted on the Moncton Driving Park AUGUST 31st and SEPTEMBER 1st, 1892.

Open to Colts owned in the Maritime Provinces on or before January 1st, 1892.

Stake No. 1, for Trotting Foals of 1891.
Stake No. 2, " " " " 1890.
Stake No. 3, " " " " 1889.
Stake No. 4, " " " " 1888.

CONDITIONS:

The fees in each Stake will be twelve dollars, payable as follows: $3.00 on 1st March, when nominations close; $4.00 on 1st June, when animals nominated must be named, breeding, sex, color and ownership given; and final payment of $5.00 one week before the race.

Any owner can nominate any number of eligible colts or fillies