LOCAL MATTERS OF INTEREST.

SATURDAY

A quiet but pretty event took place last evening at the residence of Rev. Gideon Swim, 116 Waterloo street when that gentleman united in marriage, Rev. O. N. Mott of this city to Mrs. Sarah L. Davis of Fredericton. Mr. and Mrs. Mott leave on Saturday for a short visit to Fredericton Junction.

There were six marriages in the city during the past week. Of the eighteen births which occurred ten of the infants were females.

The Allan Line steamer Grampian, Capt. J. T. Gamble, sailed for the other side yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock with a large number of passengers and a general cargo. Of the passengers four were saloon, twenty second cabin, and ninety-six steerage. There were in addition to the cargo, 866 head of cattle.

Deposits of peat were discovered yesterday on the West Side of the harbor by Engineer F. W. Holt while engaged in obtaining data for the plans of the proposed Navy Island bridge.

The schooner Preference returned to port yesterday with a broken main gaff, and after repairing will proceed to New Haven, (Conn). The schooner Abbie and Eva Hooper arrived in port yesterday after a rough voyage from Boston. On the passage she put into Machegsport with loss of head sails and badly iced up.

MONDAY

The Methodist ministers meeting was held this morning in the parlors of Centenary Church, with Rev. Dr. C. B. Flanders in the chair. The members present besides the chairman were: Revs. H. D. Marr, Neil McLaughlin, C. W. Squires, James Crisp and J. H. Heisney. Reports of the work of the churches during the past week were received. Rev. Neil McLaughlin reported that he had received five members by letter, two on probation and had baptized one adult in Portland Church last evening.

Word has been received in this city of the sudden death of George P. London at his home in Cascade, Montana. Mr. London is a son of Charles London, of this city, but has for many years made his home in the west. He leaves a widow and one son and is also survived by his parents, three brothers and two sisters.

John V., the five-year-old son of John Lawlor, night operator at the Union Depot, died suddenly yesterday morning. The bright little fellow had only been ill about three days and the end was unexpected. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 to the Cathedral, and interment will take place in the old Catholic cemetery.

In return for the sixteen hundred feet of shore line south of the grain elevator required by the city for the purpose of placing the harbor under commission the C. P. R., it is understood, will ask for the property now known as Beatty's Rocks. The matter is to come up for disposal at this afternoon's meeting of the harbor facilities committee.

TUESDAY

Relieving the local molasses market situation considerably and after being in port at St. Thomas since September, the schooner Success reached this port on Saturday with a large cargo of molasses and sugar.

The market has been bare for some time and the schooner arrives in the nick of time.

On Saturday, the return day of the summons taken out on behalf of William J. Owens, the defeated candidate in the recent Carleton County election, against George W. Upham, his successful opponent, calling upon Mr. Upham to show cause why a date should not be set for the trial of the election case, Mr. Justice McLeod, after hearing counsel for both parties, set Tuesday, February the 16th, at the court house in Woodstock, as the time and place of trial.

Horace Hazzard is in the city, a representative of the Charlottetown Board of Trade, to protest before the Railway Commission against the alleged monopoly exercised in the Island by the Canadian Express Company. Mr. Hazzard will urge, it is understood, that the Canadian Express Co. without competition is taxing the Island shipper with exorbitant rates and that a competing company be permitted to enter the province by falling to renew the lease expiring in December of this year.

WEDNESDAY

In future the minimum size of lobsters will be nine inches. It will be remembered that a warning was sent out by Inspector Belyea that the size had not been changed from 10½ inches. However, since that time Hon. H. A. McKeown got into communication with Hon. Dr. Pugsley in an effort to have the size reduced. The latter had an interview with the Minister of Marine and Fisheries and the reduction was granted. In Charlotte county the size is nine inches, so the two counties will now be alike in this regard.

At a meeting of the Fairville highway board held yesterday, it was decided to proceed with the lighting of Fairville. The approval of the county council will be sought at today's meeting.

That the Corsican minstrel troupe are unexcelled as entertainers was clearly shown by the large attendance and applause at their entertainment in aid of the Seamen's Institute given in the new building last evening. The popular purser, John S. Williamson, was in the chair and made a few introductory remarks. Those taking part included C. Dash, W. Paddock, J. Ball, T. Wright, J. Batty, J. V. Humphries, W. Davenport, J. Charlton, F. Long and Master J. Ewing.

George Gregory and Percy Stymest, the victims of the tobogganing accident in Fairville on Monday night, were yesterday removed to the hospital in the ambulance, and last evening were resting as comfortably as could be expected.

Miss Sarah L. Peters, writing to Premier Hazen from Detroit, makes a strong plea for a bird preserve in and about Westfield. Miss Peters says that hunters are seen almost daily in that locality shooting all classes of birds. Miss Peters points out by reason of this the song and other birds are likely to be driven away from the locality, while if a reserve were created and the use of firearms prohibited therein, the birds would soon learn that they could visit the place with safety, and it would become a favorite feeding ground. The laws of the province at present forbid the shooting of all bird life, excepting the blackbirds, crows and English sparrows. Apparently it is permissible to shoot these, but the law is not generally observed, and Miss Peters would have its provisions so extended as to prohibit the use of firearms within the reserved district.

THURSDAY

Brun Barnhill, C.E., formerly of Two Rivers, N. S., who has been visiting his brother-in-law, D. H. Nase, left Monday to visit his father, B. B. Barnhill of Two Rivers. Since his last visit to the east, Mr. Barnhill has spent a year in the Klondyke, and for the past four years has been connected with the Transcontinental Railway in the capacity of resident construction engineer. Mr. Barnhill was located near Fort William.

Messrs. Blair, Garnett and Burchill, who were recently mentioned as principals in a cock fight are endeavoring to find out when the case against them is to be resumed in the police court, as they wish a decision from the magistrate. So far there has been no date fixed.

BODY NOT RECOVERED.

James Davis, of Musquash, an uncle of Harry Harding, who was drowned at Musquash on Jan. 6th, was in town yesterday. He said that Mr. Harding's body has not ben recovered. The river is now completely frozen in the vicinity of the dam, and there is little likelihood of the body being recovered until spring.

The death occurred at Hampton on Wednesday of Miss Mary Hendricks, after a long illness. Miss Hendricks was a daughter of the late Conrad J. Hendricks of Norton. Two brothers, Conrad and Charles, and two sisters, Misses Helen and Emma, survive. Eber Hendricks, Turnbull, of this city, and C. Percy Turnbull, manager of the Union Bank, Colbalt, Ont., are nephews. The funeral will be on Friday at two o'clock, from the Lower Norton Episcopal church.

A congress to be attended by delegates from all parts of the world will take place at Liverpool in May next. Nursing associations and similar institutions will be represented, the object of the congress being to commemorate the jubilee of the founding of district nursing. An elaborate programme has been prepared, and it is expected that New Brunswick will be

POPULAR WEDDING AT SILVER FALLS

A pretty wedding was solemnized Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock at Silver Falls, when Margaret Zeta Boyle, daughter of James Boyle of Red Head, was united in marriage to James Phillip McGuire of this city. The ceremony was performed in Saint Joachim's Church before a large number of immediate friends and relatives of the contracting parties. The pretty edifice was beautifully decorated with flowers for the occasion. Miss Mary E. Boyle, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, while James B. O'Brien supported the groom.

The bride's costume was of silk and polienne with bridal veil caught up with orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of bridal roses and maiden hair fern. The bridesmaid wore novelty serge with hat to match. Her bouquet was also of roses and maiden hair fern.

The groom's present to the bride was a pearl sunburst set with diamonds, and to the bridesmaid a gold locket and chain with diamond settings.

The wedding gifts were numerous and costly, attesting to the popularity of both bride and groom. They included a beautiful array of cut glass and silverware. There was a magnificent silver tea set and a silver gold-lined fruit dish from a number of the immediate friends of the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. McGuire left by Tuesday evening's Boston train for a honeymoon trip to Boston, New York and other American cities. They will reside on Waterloo street.

At Washington before the Ways and Means Committee of the 60th Congress of the United States, "Salada" Tea was spoken of as the "King of Teas." 107

TURBERLANT SEA OF MATRIMONY

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secured a divorce or not, and in her letters to her mother in New Brunswick which she wrote about this time, she did not even refer to the supposed divorce proceedings. She said that she had no children by Barnes.

Under re examination by Mr. Carter she said that although she had made no independent inquiries about the divorce proceedings, she had inquired and found out that Phillips was married in this Province.

Joseph W. Witherley, a farmer of Aroostook County, in this Province, Aroostook county, Maine, was the next witness. He related how Mrs. Phillps (number one) had a very hard life with her husband. He also gave instances of his abuse. This closed the petitioner's case.

Mrs. Martha A. Phillps (wife number two) was then called. She said that she married Phillps in August, 1888. She knew that Phillps had been married before but he had told her that his former wife was dead. She made inquiries and was told that this was so. In consequence of this information she married him. She has three children by him. She said he was an ideal husband, was not cross with her, never swore at her, and gave her plenty to eat and drink.

Mr. Carter then called Herbert Phillps, the son of the petitioner who gave evidence as to the value of his father's property.

This concluded the case. Argument will be heard this afternoon.

This concluded the morning session. In the afternoon argument of counsel was heard very briefly and court considers.

HE KNOWS FROM HIS EXPERIENCE

That Dodd's Kidney Pills Will Cure Bright's Disease

POSTMASTER COTE TELLS HOW THE GREAT CANADIAN KIDNEY REMEDY CURED HIM AFTER DOCTORS HAD GIVEN HIM UP.

LE PETIT BOIS FRANC, Temiscouata Co., Que., Jan. 20.—Mr. Charles Cote, postmaster here, is firmly convinced that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure Bright's Disease or any other disease of the Kidneys. He knows it from his own experience. Hear what he says:

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Postmaster Cote had all the symptoms of Bright's Disease. The doctors evidently knew he had Bright's Disease—the most deadly form of Kidney Disease. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured him. They will cure any form of Kidney disease.

TRYING TO BANISH BAR IN MANITOBA

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—Geo. F. Johnson was hung at Kenora this morning for the murder of Mrs. Ackerman. Thompson of Owen Sound was executioner.

Archbishop Sweatman, who has been ill with bronchial pneumonia, is better today and is said to be out of danger.

A Winnipeg dispatch says the Social and Reform Association is conducting a "banish the bar" campaign throughout Manitoba, supported by the Royal Templars. The Hotel Keepers' Association is also fighting a powerful battle.

Town Clerk Joseph Lebarge, of St. Boniface, who reported he could not find poll books and municipal documents in connection with legal prosecutions in municipal elections, has been arrested on a charge of stealing documents.

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PARLIAMENT OPENED BY EARL GREY TODAY

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SENT TO NEW SPEAKER.

R. L. Borden's resignation of his seat for Carleton county has been sent to the new Speaker of the House, and a meeting of the Conservatives Association of Carleton has been called for Jan. 30th, to consider the selection of a party candidate to contest the by-election which will ensue.

In view of the fact that a protest is pending in Ottawa Sir Wilfrid Laurier cannot resign one of his seats until the protest is disposed of.

FULL ATTENDANCE.

Crowded galleries and a full attendance of members witnessed the preliminaries connected with the opening of the first session of the eleventh parliament on Wednesday. Early in the day the parliament buildings and their precincts assured an aspect of animation which is associated with the resumption of the work of the legislators, a large proportion of members new and old visiting the house of commons and inspecting the various rooms reserved for their use in the new wing. While the old members fraternized and congratulated one another on their return to the scene of past legislative battles, newcomers wandered about the corridors making friends, securing introductions to their leaders and generally endeavoring, as it were, to find their parliamentary feet.

ASSEMBLED AT 3 O'CLOCK.

Both houses assembled at three o'clock. Members of the commons had had barely time to settle in their places when the sergeant-at-arms announced the arrival of the usher of the black rod. In solemn silence Captain Chambers with dignity and grace, which are inseparable from his office, announced that the attendance of members was required in the senate, and thither they filed in a body.

In the senate chamber the proceedings were brief. Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, deputy governor general, occupied the throne, while on his right stood Sir Wilfrid Laurier in uniform. When the house had been called to order, Speaker Kerr rose and in a few sentences announced that the formal opening of parliament would take place tomorrow, when his excellency the Governor General would attend to deliver the speech from the throne.

Members of the house of commons then returned to their own chamber to witness the first act of the new parliament, the election of a Speaker. In view of the attempts which had been made by a section of the Conservative press to discredit Sir Chas. Marcil, the government's nominee for the chair, the proceedings were invested with perhaps more than usual piquance. The arrival of the premier was the signal for a great outburst of cheering from the Liberal benches, and the demonstration was renewed when he rose to move Mr. Marcil's election as Speaker.

FAVORS BRITISH PLAN.

Sir Wilfrid's speech was in a large part a plea for adoption of the British system of continuity in speakership and importance of the pronouncement was not lost upon the members who followed it with intense interest. Touching first upon the duties of the speaker and upon the qualities required for their proper discharge, Sir Wilfrid went on to refer to the practice in the British House of Commons, "mother and model of all parliaments," where there was an unwritten law that once a speaker was elected he continued in office until it was his pleasure to retire, or death intervened. That system, he thought, was calculated to produce and had produced in the British House of Commons a higher measure of efficiency. "For my part," continued the premier, "I have often regretted that we had not adopted such a rule. In the early part of my career when I was leader of the Liberal party and I sat in opposition I made a suggestion to Sir John A. Macdonald, but the suggestion was not adopted. In the same line of thought and after the general election I consulted with the honorable member for North Essex and Mr. Sutherland, who during the last parliament discharged the duties of speaker with signal ability and success, and I, am sure, to the satisfaction of all parties in this house as to whether or not it would be advisable for us to adopt the British practice. My friend the member for North Essex wrote to me saying that unless radical changes were made in our methods of procedure the British system would not be acceptable, for while the honor was great, sacrifices were still greater. The assiduity which is expected of the speaker in the discharge of his duties, especially as the work of parliament had been increasing in recent years has made it impossible for the speaker to devote any time to other matters, but while it was not a tradition in the Dominion House of Commons to re-elect a speaker for a second term, it was a tradition and according to fitness of things that the member of the house who had been next to the speaker in the previous parliament should be called to the chair."

TRIBUTE TO MARCIL.

They were fortunate in having with them the member for Bonaventure (Mr. Marcil), who had discharged the duties of deputy speaker with grace, dignity, impartiality, and marked ability, and those who sat with him in the last parliament would agree that Mr. Marcil seemed to have been endowed by nature for the high position of first commoner. Mr. Marcil had accumulated a fine store of parliamentary knowledge and they had every reason to believe that in the discharge of the duties of office he would give satisfaction to both sides, holding even the scales of justice, showing neither favor nor fear. Sir Wilfrid concluded by formally moving, seconded by Hon. W. Paterson, the election of Charles Marcil.

Mr. Borden had been placed in an uncomfortable position by those of his supporters who had attacked Mr. Marcil. He apparently felt that he could not altogether ignore representations which had been made in a section of the conservative press, and yet it was obvious that the task of criticising the speaker did not appeal to him. He did not propose to affirm or deny, he said, statements which had been made as to Mr. Marcil's methods of campaigning, but he protested against the system of offering bribes to constituencies and intimated that he would raise that question at another time. The feeling of the house was that it was a pity Mr. Borden had not reserved all his criticism for another occasion.

The motion to elect Mr. Marcil having been adopted unanimously the new speaker was led to the chair by Premier and Hon. Mr. Paterson. In a few neat sentences he expressed his appreciation of the honor which had been conferred on him and bespoke co-operation of members on both sides of the house in assisting him to maintain the rules and regulations.

COAL COMPANY WILL STAND BY THE OLD UNION

Won't Recognize U. M. W. Says Duggan

Attack on Canadian Coal Trade—American Competition Keen

GLACE BAY, N. S., Jan. 20—General Manager Duggan, of the Dominion Coal Company, has made a significant statement relative to the new United Mine Workers' movement. On being informed that the organizers of the United Mine Workers of America were stating that the coal company would recognize that organization, Duggan said: "Then they are under a very great delusion. For that is impossible under existing conditions of affairs. We have had disputes and quite serious ones with the P. W. A., but we have always found that organization loyal to any agreement and we must be equally loyal to our contract with it. After long negotiations we entered into a contract with the P. W. A. as respecting all of the workmen. The whole proceedings were published in the public press at the time, so that every workman knew that the officers of the P. W. A. were arranging a contract with us covering his work during the next two years, and if there was any dissatisfaction, that was the time to have made it known. However, the essential fact is that the contract was made, and we are morally bound to observe it."

"Then you will not recognize the U. M. W. of America?" was asked.

"Certainly not," was Mr. Duggan's answer.

Mr. Duggan was asked: "If there was no contract would the company recognize the U. M. W. of America?

Mr. Duggan said: "That is not a live issue, but in my opinion it would be most prejudicial to the welfare of the community here."

He said the Americans are offering the very keenest competition in our Montreal market and the company are now having difficulty in making sales they had not previously experienced.

He further states: "The U. M. W. of America is a foreign organization of which our men could only be a fractional part, and no sane man can suppose that the central organization located far away in the United States will work in the interests of the Cape Breton coal trade to the detriment of its own."

"I am of the opinion," said Mr. Duggan, "that the whole campaign is a direct attack on the Canadian coal trade, which has always been regarded with jealousy by the United States operators, and it is the duty of every patriotic Canadian to use his endeavors to preserve to the people of Canada that which justly belongs to them."

SAWDUST MAY RUIN FISHING

At a meeting of the St. John branch of the New Brunswick Fish, Forest and Game Protective Association last evening J. J. Murdoch moved that a delegation meet the government this afternoon, seconded by E. O. Dowling. The president, Frank H. Flewelling, Dr. A. W. MacRae, Frank Ellis, James Pastor and the secretary will appear. One or two other members may also appear.

On the meeting being called to order the secretary read a letter from Earl Grey's secretary and Dr. Pugsley to the effect that the association's request for a delegate to Washington on Feb. 16 on the Canadian commission had been handed to the Minister for consideration.

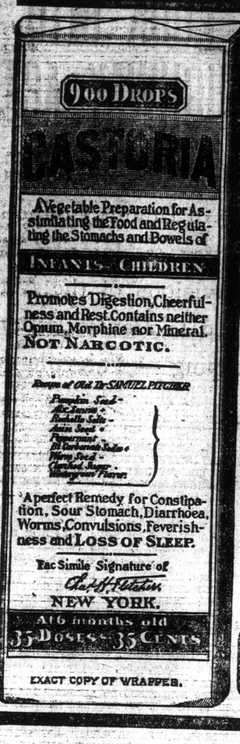
T. Stetson Peters of Gagetown wrote favorably as to the possibility of forming a branch there.

A letter from a well known guide said many complaints had been handed in during the past fall.

The secretary reported the shooting of a cow moose on the trail leading to Log Lake, one mile back from Musquash, on December 15th thereabouts. No arrest had follow ed.

The secretary will write Fisheries Inspector Harrison at Fredericton complaining that John Scott's lath mill at Fredericton Junction is dumping sawdust which will be washed down through the dam with the freshet into the North Branch of the Cromocto River, and will destroy millions of trout fry. This river is famous as a trout stream.

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 20—Rev. Amos B. Kendig, D. D., for many years a prominent Methodist minister, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Silas Peirce in Brookline, aged 79. He occupied pulpits in Iowa, Boston, Lynn and Worcester, and supplied at Attleboro and Brockton.



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BROAD.—Conductor and Mrs. W. L. Broad, Jan. 11th, a son.

PAYNE—At Kentville, N. S., January 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Payne, a son.

MARRIAGES.

CASSELY-CASSELY—On Friday, Jan. 15th, 1909, Marie Cassely to Percival J. Cassely, both of this city, by the Rev. Mr. Hand, at his residence, Duke street.

McHUGH-McKINLEY—At the cathedral, January 7th, by Rev. A.W. Meahan, F. E. McHugh and Mary McKinley, both of this city.

DACEY-KELLY—By the Rec. A. W. Meahan at the Cathedral, Jany. 9th, James J. Dacey to Florence V. Kelly.

ANDERSON-VENNING—At the home of the bride's parents, Smith's Creek, Kings County, N. B., on Tuesday, Dec. 29, 1908, by the Rev. J. Edward Shanklin, W. C. R. Anderson, B. A. of New York, to Nora N. Venning of Smith's Creek.

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MONTELEONE, Jan. 20—The observatory here since December 8 has registered 227 earth shocks of the first degree, 29 of the second degree, 18 of the third, 19 of the fourth, 4 of the fifth and 2 of the sixth.

ST PETERSBURG, Jan. 20—Major-General Alexieff, retired, was placed on trial in this city today on the charge of speculation and having received bribes while in the service. He was indicted by order of Minister of Marine Dikoff.

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Places of Birth and Religions

SIX ENGLISHMEN

Roman Catholics Are of the Same Force as in Old House

OTTAWA, Jan. 27.—An analysis of the personnel of the new House of Commons with respect to places of birth and religions gives the following interesting figures:—

In the last parliament there were 200 native born Canadians; in the new house the native born number 204.

There are six English born as compared with four in the last house. Ireland sent four sons to the old house, but there are only two native Irishmen in the new house. In each house the membership included three men who were born in the United States. Scotland had three representatives in the last house; now it has only two. The new house also includes one member who was born in South America.

By religions the figures are equally interesting.

The Roman Catholics are of exactly the same force as in the old house, the figure in each case being 70. The Presbyterians number 46 in the new house; last year they had 47.

The Methodist Church is represented by 50 in the new house as against 40 in the last parliament. The Church of England has 41 as against 42. The Baptists numbered 8 in the former house; in this they are 6.

One addition to the religions is a Universalist. The Congregationalists are 2, the same as last year, and there is one Lutheran and one Farringdon Independent, just as there was in the last house.

BOSTON AND MAINE CUTS FREIGHT RATE

BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 27.—The Boston and Maine Railroad sent to the Interstate Commerce Commission a statement that it should insist on a sixty cent a hundred freight rate to the west, the same as from Baltimore, although it agreed on January 1st to maintain a 69 cent rate for a month. Up to the first of the year the rate from Boston has been slightly higher than that from Baltimore, which has acted adversely, according to the Boston and Maine officials, to the business interests of this city and in favor of Baltimore.

It was the belief here today that the reduction by the Boston and Maine will be met by a further reduction by the railroads centering in Baltimore and may lead to a rate war.

WESCHESTER, Pa., Jan 27.—Henry James, aged 65 and his wife, aged 61, who lived on a farm at Berwick, near here, were brutally murdered some time last night at their homes. The bodies were found today by a nephew of the couple who went to the farm on an errand.

LONDON, Jan. 26.—The Right Hon. John Sinclear, who has been secretary for Scotland since 1905, has been raised by His Majesty to the peerage. The elevation is due primarily to Premier Asquith's desire to have member of the cabinet intimately connected with Scotland in the upper House.

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