

LOCAL NEWS.

GETTING WELL.—G. Sisson, who is on the sick list, is getting well and will soon be out.

AGRICULTURAL.—The St. Marys and Douglas agricultural societies held their annual meeting in their hall at Mouth of Kawarick to-night.

FOR ARREST.—Walter Wilson, of St. Marys, had some of the east side young men called on by the police on Thursday for abusive language.

FLOATER.—John Gibson's schooner, the Galates, which was on the rocks near Grand Manan, has been floated and taken to St. John by the tug, Storm King.

PRESENTATION.—The friends of Rev. Sydney Welton, of St. John, presented him with a well filled purse and address on Thursday night. Mr. Welton intends removing to Sussex.

HOMERULE WISE.—After a lively debate on the home rule bill by members of the Fredericton debating society on Wednesday evening, the chairman decided in favor of the home rulers.

SYMPOSIUM.—On Monday evening last there was a good attendance at the February symposium of the young people's union at the Baptist church vestry. All express themselves much pleased.

FOR ROCKLAND.—According to the estimate of L. S. Yanward, there will be from 1200 to 1500 cords of soft wood cut at Wickham, and vicinity this winter for shipment to the Rockland lime quarries.

LIBERAL.—A gentleman, whose name we are not about to divulge, has made a free gift of all the lumber required to build the new temperance hall across the river. The building lot has also been given.

RECOVERING.—Dow Vandine, customs officer, has left the hospital at Boston and gone to Dr. Blake's eye and ear infirmary, where he will undergo a course of treatment. He is recovering and will return much improved in health.

THANKED THE STUDENTS.—Dr. Harrison on Monday, at the university, thanked the students for the kindness and courteous sympathy they had shown on the occasion of the death of Mrs. Harrison, repeating to them her last words.

NEW SCHOOL.—Mr. Arthur Ferris has about completed a fine seventy-four foot schooner at his home, White's Cove, Queens. She is a very new model and will be placed in the coasting trade, from Queens to Rockland, Me., carrying wood.

CARRIES THE HONORS.—Wallace McLean, of Grenville, Queens county, has a fine year old Morris gelding that carries the honors in that section of the county. He is a bay with dark points and without training can do three minutes quite handily.

AN ADDITION.—The People's bank, one of the institutions of which Fredericton is justly proud, is still further improved by having one of the neatest and most attractive offices to be seen in the province. The job was under the control of Henry Clark.

SHOULDERS LIE.—Rev. Mr. Downey is lying very low at his residence and his friends have lost all hope of his recovery to health. Rev. Mr. Kinghorn is also ill, but shows symptoms of recovery. Judge Steadman is able to be out again.

BROKEN WRECK.—Andrew Inches, of the crown land department, is laid up with a broken wrist, caused by a fall on the street. He was passing F. B. Edgewcombe's residence, King street, Wednesday, when the accident happened. He was cared for by Dr. Coburn.

FIRE AT CLONDS.—Mrs. J. Boyle's residence, South Queens, Queens county, was destroyed by fire the first of the week. All the furniture and other contents also went up in smoke. The fire caught from the chimney. Mrs. Boyle is a widow and the loss is a heavy one.

FOR THE OPENING.—Excursion parties are expected over the C. E. R. from Chatham and vicinity on Thursday to attend the opening of the legislature. The railway companies will, it is understood, give excursion rates to parties consisting of ten persons.

BRANSCOMBE BRIDGE.—The Branscombe bridge at Cumberland Head is to be rebuilt in a short time and put in first-class condition. A long approach on the south side will be built, at least four feet higher than the old one, so that it will be above high water during freshets.

FIRE PREVENTION.—The city, through city clerk Beckwith, will present a petition to the legislature at the coming session for the passage of legislation enabling the city corporation to ensure real and personal property against fire, said property to be within the city limits.

NO ARRESTS.—The attempts to locate the burglars who made a raid on D. W. Hart's store at Fredericton Junction last week have failed. It is believed that the fifty dollars said to have been taken helped a wanderer from St. John to an easy and pleasant passage to the States.

BOOM BUSINESS.—The boom company are beginning to make preparations at St. Marys for the coming season's work. Emery Sewell at his boom below town, will be better able to carry on rafting than any previous season, as several decided improvements have been made there.

BEEF CATTLE.—Nine hundred dollars was received by Alfred McKay of Kingsclear, a few days since from John McDonald of St. John for fifteen head of cattle. This is quite an advertisement for Kingsclear, which is being beef raised and butter making, is taking a leading place in the markets of the world.

A LITTLE RACKET.—Gabe Bear, who is nothing if not ingenious, has had his little racket cut short. He was endeavoring to secure money to pay his squaw's expenses to a physician, when it was evident he was spending the money for rum. The police called on him and he gave up the subscription list.

NEW CHALMERS.—Five of the leading firms of Gaspoint and Hampstead have formed a company for the carrying on of a creamery in that neighborhood, and it is highly probable that the industry will be in full blast by the first of June. The full complement of cows can be readily got and there is the best pasturage in the province, so that the investment should be a paying one.

THE STEAMERS.—The David Weston and Soulanges have been sold to a company represented by Capt. Starkey. Offers had been made by Troup & Son and Peters & Co., but Starkey's offer was accepted. Capt. Porter will run the star on the Washademoak, and the Belle and Springhill will be placed on their old routes. As no new steamer is presenting an appearance it is probable the Weston and Soulanges will have the exclusive trade of this portion of the river.

THE S. A.—The officers and soldiers of the salvation army are much elated over the progress of their work here during the past two months. Almost every meeting has made an accession to their ranks and the various churches in the city have ranked a benefit from their labors. On Saturday evening fourteen soldiers placed their names on the roll, the meeting being led by Brigadier Jacobs. On Sunday last the barracks was crowded, when two children of John Chase were dedicated to army work during the service. Several singing parties with a large contingent went to Woodstock on Wednesday to take part in the anniversary there.

THE CENTRAL RAILWAY.

A Thoroughfare that is Developing Kings and Queens Counties.

Since the excitement consequent on the Cape Breton coal strike has passed, attention has been turned to the coal fields of Queens county, New Brunswick, and in this connection the Central railway has been much talked about. This road is about forty-five miles long from Norton on the north to the I. C. R. to Chipman in Queens. Although a new road it is in good condition, and fast time is made by the trains. It is owned and operated by the Central railway company, and is at present running a double trip on alternate days. It passes through a level section of country and does a good business in lumber and farm produce. The Elkins mine at Coal Creek, a short distance south of Chipman, is supplying about thirty tons of coal a day to the road. An extension has been surveyed to Newcastle, twelve miles distant, which when built, as it undoubtedly will be this year, will bring the trains into the heart of the coal fields and about thirty-five miles distant from Fredericton. It would be a great benefit to Fredericton if this section of the road was built, coal comes here so very cheaply, and the article is of fine quality. Subsidies have been granted to the road from Chipman to Newcastle, and perhaps, with a little effort, the extra subsidy might be got to bring it to Fredericton. The road has developed Kings and Queens counties, carrying much material to market that could not be handled with teams or freighted in schooners. In several sections, as at Young's Cove road, the advent of the railway was the beginning of a settlement which is rapidly growing, and bids fair to be one of the business centres of Queens. At Cady's on the Washademoak the road has given an impetus to the manufacturing of lumber, and the vicinity of the crossing is being rapidly built up.

M. P. Ryan and Joseph R. Bland are in charge of the trains as conductor and brakeman respectively; and those who go over the road and see the way in which they master all difficulties incidental to a new road will grant they are the right men for the place. Each has had several years training under Superintendent Haggerty at McAdam, and that is all that is necessary to produce a competent railway man.

A HEAP OF ASHES.

All That Remains of the Old Murray Residence.

One of the old landmarks of Springhill, the Murray homestead, has been swept away by fire and nothing remains but a heap of ashes and charred and broken timbers. The fire broke out about two o'clock on Thursday afternoon, being first noticed on the roof near the chimney, and then it was too late to fight it effectively as the wind was blowing from the east. The high wind prevailing at the time fanned the blaze so that in an hour and a half the building was completely consumed. Quite a crowd gathered but nothing could be done with buckets to check the flames and attention was then turned to saving all the contents of the house possible. Nothing of consequence was got out of the rooms on the upper flat and but little out of the lower; the greater quantity of furniture being destroyed. The barns and other outbuildings escaped as the wind blew the sparks away from them. A private message from the scene caused quite a number to go up from this city but they were too late to render any assistance.

THE MURRAY RESIDENCE.

This old building was one of the best known residences on the river, being for years the home of the Murrays. A few years since it was purchased by the firm of Sewell & Gellibrand, of England. After a time Mr. Gellibrand sold out to Mr. Sewell, who with his family occupied the building. The insurance was \$5,000, distributed among several companies. The loss will, including furniture, reach double that sum. After the recent occupant—B. D. Sewell—purchased the property he put a large amount of repairs on the house, and when burned it was worth fully \$3000.

Designing the Pastorate.

Rev. R. N. Nobles announced to his congregation at Gibson on Sunday morning last that he had concluded to sever his connection with them, and had decided to accept a call to a church in Nova Scotia. It is needless to say the resignation was a surprise to all. Mr. Nobles has been very successful in this district, has added to the church membership and organized a church at Maryville, which in a few months will be a well established and thriving place of worship. He was honored by all, respected by every denomination, and his respect is not alone a loss to the Baptist people of St. Marys, but is felt by all classes of citizens. He takes with him to his new field the best wishes of all for his future success. The church which Mr. Nobles has been called to the 1st Hillsburg church, one of the largest and most influential of the Baptist denomination in the maritime provinces. His resignation takes effect the first of June. He thus closes three years of very successful work in Gibson—the most successful period in the history of that church.

Maryville Curlew.

The latest addition to the ranks of the curlew world is that of the curlew at Maryville; and as the general custom of that town, the boys who have gone into the game intend being at the top of the ladder. They have had several matches with the celestials and did very fair work considering the time the club has been in existence. One thing is certain they can turn out the heaviest kick, avoid poisons, which can be very good indeed in the maritime provinces. They handle a stone as though it were an egg, and it gets there with no uncertain sound when any of the big four propels it. Game and in progress two evenings each week and a good curlew is always welcome.

Security of Water.

The prolonged cold weather has been rather severe on the water system and frozen pipes appear to be very common. Superintendent Burchill is doing all that a man can do under the circumstances, and those who find their water supply cut off should not work too much fault. A few warm days will remedy the trouble. The water works at St. Marys has also become useless and the river is called into requisition. It is a glorious time for the players, and they have all that they attend to on both sides of the river. Wells have given out in many country districts and cattle have to be driven long distances in search of it.

On a Racket.

An infantry school man hired a team to go to the fire at Springhill on Thursday afternoon and got four companions to help him on the occasion. Mr. Gunter was at Springhill when the crowd arrived and took the team from them. They proceeded to make things especially lively when a telephone message to the police magistrate sent by the police who arrested the soldiers who had hired the team. He was placed in duress vile, but being called for by the provost he was given up and removed to the guard house, where he will remain for court martial.

FORCING A HARBOR.

Those who think St. Stephen and Calais merchants are lacking in enterprise are very much mistaken. They have subscribed one hundred dollars to the bridge to be spent in clearing a passage to the bridge so that vessels can get up to the wharves.

ENJOYMENT.

The past few pleasant evenings have been fully enjoyed by both old and young. Several singing parties visited Springhill where the light fantastic was indulged in.

FAINTNESS.

Miss Caldwell, one of the Normal school students, fainted while at work at the written examination yesterday. She was taken home, and is doing all right.

FATHER OF CURLING.

Fredericton Gives that Honor to the Late John Neill.

The following is clipped from the St. John Telegraph and will be read with interest by the many friends of the late John Neill of Gibson, as well as by the many "brithers of the stone and broom" scattered throughout the province:

It was away back in the fifties that Mr. Neill and his half dozen associates first banded themselves together for the purpose of presenting this game—of all games the most fascinating and dear to the heart of a Scotchman. For Mr. Neill was a Scotchman, man and bred in the "auld countrie," and a most worthy and honorable representative of that noble race too. The story of the inception of this undertaking is well told in a letter which Mr. Neill wrote to the president and members of the Fredericton curling club, under date of February 6th, 1888, a little more than ten years ago, on the occasion of the presentation to the Fredericton curling club and to the curlers of the province of the Neill silver medal, which has ever since been competed for in curling matches by the various clubs in existence throughout the province.

The letter reads as follows: Gueson, Feb. 6, 1888. Mr. President and Gentlemen of the Fredericton Curling Club: It is nearly twenty years since this club was first organized—December 24th, 1854, nineteen years of which I was an active member and keen curler, but since I retired from business in getting on my feet in Gibson, I have only (through your kindness) been an honorary member, though it is unnecessary for me to say how deeply I feel interested in promoting the success of the club, and as I took an active part in starting and organizing it at first, and in order to encourage emulation in the noble game of curling, I beg leave to present the club with this silver rink medal, to be competed for annually in matches as you may think proper.

When curling was first started here we had never got out of it in any part of North America, and as I took an active part in the Robinson came into my store and threw down a Glasgow Herald to me and the desk, saying, "Neill, what sort of a game is this curling? Here is a description of a great match in Scotland, filling six columns of this large paper. Could you not start it here?"

I immediately commenced reading the paper and quite forgot my errand, and at once started with a paper to get subscribers for a curling club, and I offered to import the stones.

I tried all over Fredericton and could only get the seven following names: Robt. Fulton, John Taylor, Robert Thorburn, Wm. A. McLean, Alexander McKilligan, Barry Blair and James Moore. They only subscribed for one stone each, not knowing whether it would be a success here or not. Next year we got a pair. I then imported two dozen pairs of curling stones. (In some parts of Scotland they are called channel stones, mostly in the west.) When they landed in St. John the customs house officials did not know what to make of them. The nearest they could guess was shoemakers' lap stones. They wrote up to me to know what they were and I sent them the invoice. [At the Crystal Palace exhibition in London the cockneys thought they were models for chesses.]

We had great difficulty at first in getting good ice. We tried the river, Heron's Lake and the Nashwaak and several other places, but never had so good a place as we got at last in the officers' square. We petitioned the colonel of the regiment and got it on condition that we would make our rinks on the gravelled roads and not on the grass. We then had to haul the water in casks on sleds, which was very laborious work. I sent him a well outside the rink, intending to pump the water on the ice, but went into a deep bed of clay, and could get no water. At the request of Hugh McLean, sheriff of Woodstock, I sent him a dozen pairs of stones in boxes, but he kept them only one year and returned them, stating that they could not form a club—and they have not yet succeeded in getting one there. The curlers club was the best shot made since the formation of the club. It was a great success.

You were too exclusive of the ladies before. You will now have men, women and best wishes, when you go abroad to fight your battles, and victory will be sure. It takes a vast deal of energy and perseverance to first establish a club and to keep it, and that this rink medal will go down to future generations as a historical memento of the first formation of the club, I remain, gentlemen, Yours very truly,

JOHN NEILL.

At the meeting at which this letter was read by James S. Neill, son of the writer and the present president of the Fredericton curling club, a great enthusiasm was manifested on the receipt of the medal and letter.

It was moved by Mr. Hazen, seconded by E. H. Allen, and Resolved, That the communication from Mr. Neill be entered in full on the minutes, and that the thanks of the club be tendered to Mr. Neill for his generosity in presenting the club with the handsome and appropriate medal, and further:

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mr. Neill by the secretary. The minutes further say that the resolution was carried out by a body of men, who are yet "jolly good fellows" in every sense of the word, constitutes a most effective and appropriate testimonial to Mr. Neill's character as a Scotch gentleman, the season's good one. In the districts above mentioned the sugar orchard is valued at a far higher rate than the apple orchard. Considering that there has been so much common molasses manufactured into "maple" sugar, it is hardly fair to state "that some of the farmers have been to town preparing for the sugar season," as one of our contemporaries has done.

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OPENING OF THE LEGISLATURE.

How the Government is Constituted.

The legislature will meet for the despatch of business on Thursday next, the 9th inst., with the usual ceremonies. It will be doubly interesting on this occasion as the legislative council has ceased to exist, and the government speech will likely be delivered in the assembly chamber. Among the men who will take seats in the assembly for the first time are Messrs. Mott, Sieveright, Goggin, Smith, Wells, Scoville, McLeod, Dunn, O'Brien, Forch Allen, Howe, Pitts, Pinder, Connell and Dibble. The government stands as follows:

Hon. A. G. Blair, premier and attorney general; Hon. Jas. Mitchell, provincial secretary; Hon. H. R. Emmerson, chief commissioner of public works; Hon. I. J. Tweedie, surveyor general; Hon. C. H. Lablache, without portfolio; Hon. H. A. Connell, without portfolio.

GOVERNMENT. Blair, Mitchell, Emmerson, White, Lablache, Connell, Sieveright, Ferris, Mott, O'Brien (John), Hill, Robinson, Goggin, Wells, Pinder, Smith, Stockton, Alward, Allen, Pitts.

OPPOSITION. Smith, Lewis, Scoville, Flewelling, McLeod, Dunn, Harrison, Ferris, Dibble, Baird, Hill, O'Brien (Jas), Connell, Theriault.

A glance at this will show how the intelligence of the province received the intimation of the government's resignation from time to time appeared in the opposition press. The premier has reason to feel proud of his government and its record when the people have returned such a verdict.

Knights of the Broom.

One of the best matches yet held by the curlers was that of Tuesday afternoon and evening with the Thistles of St. John. Quite a crowd gathered in the afternoon game program—the closeness of the play keeping the excitement at fever heat. The contest in the afternoon was between the following rinks:

FRERICTON. ST. JOHN. R. P. Randolph, A. D. Malcolm, J. H. Fowler, R. M. Magee, J. H. Hawthorne, M. McLellan, G. G. Stewart, 17 A. Malcolm, skip, 15 I. C. McNutt, J. Mitchell, R. S. Barker, M. G. Henderson, G. W. Hoagg, J. M. McLaughlin, H. C. Rutter, skip, 11 W. P. Robinson, skip, 17

Contesting rinks in the evening were: FRERICTON. ST. JOHN. G. E. Neill, P. B. Bennett, J. S. Campbell, Rev. W. D. Raymond, G. G. Stewart, skip, 17 A. Malcolm, skip, 20 A. H. P. Randolph, Fred Wetmore, J. Pithado, G. W. Hoagg, M. G. Henderson, B. G. Grieve, skip, 13 H. Thompson, skip, 18

W. K. Allen played a strong game from the start, and had, as the scores show, an opponent worthy of his "broom." There were some shooting between J. B. Grieve and J. H. Thompson, some extra good shots being made. All through it was the most skillful play ever witnessed here.

Maryville News.

The cotton mill is still running and big work is being done. Samuel Butler, ar., and Heskiah Estabrook arrived on Friday from Boston. James Davidson, of St. Marys, has moved here, and will clerk in Mr. Inch's meat store.

The mill is in a good state of repair but will not get going till the middle of the month. Much regret is expressed at the resignation of Rev. Mr. Nobles, who has many friends here.

There was quite a lively time on Tuesday evening when a search for some stolen jack-knives was in progress. John R. McConnell is carrying on a heavy operation in wood which is delivered here by the cars out for the store.

On Wednesday afternoon Herbert Linn, clerk in Mr. Gibson's grocery store, was married to Mrs. Richards, nee Dunphy. The contracting parties are highly esteemed by all and got a royal send-off.

Gibson and St. Marys.

The R. T. of T's are preparing for a concert to be given in the near future. A sleighing party and dance at Robinson's point was one of the features on Tuesday night.

The Rev. Jos. McLeod occupied the pulpit of the F. C. Baptist church on Sunday last, both services. The R. T. of T. and the R. T. of T. council have decided to erect a Temperance hall at an early date.

A slight fire at Wm. Jeffrey's residence caused the firemen on Monday afternoon. Little damage was done. The railroad curve has been completed but nothing is yet known as to when the through train will be put on.

Wm. Brewer has contracted a wind mill for pumping water, sawing wood and churning. It is very satisfactory. John Robinson, of St. Stephen, has the contract for caulking the new schooner at the mouth of Nashwaak. He began work on Thursday.

MAPLE SYRUP.—Farmers in Queensbury and in the vicinity are getting ready to go into this industry on a larger scale than ever before. Each year the foreign demand is greater and the price is consequently higher. Last year the local demand was so great that many farmers were unable to get a good one. In the districts above mentioned the sugar orchard is valued at a far higher rate than the apple orchard. Considering that there has been so much common molasses manufactured into "maple" sugar, it is hardly fair to state "that some of the farmers have been to town preparing for the sugar season," as one of our contemporaries has done.

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FRIENDS MOURN.

James Delan was Visited by the Death Angel, and Many Loved Ones Laid Away.

James Delan has the sympathy of all in the loss by death on Tuesday evening of his little five year old daughter. Brain fever was the cause of death. Capt. Currier died here yesterday afternoon. He was a native of Gaspoint, being born there in 1801. His widow is a sister of Dr. F. Barker of St. John. He was one of the best known men on the river. His funeral will take place Monday afternoon at half past two.

Mrs. William Henderson died at Welsford on the 25th ult. She was a native of Ireland but had spent all her married life in this country. She was very much respected and her sorrowing family have extended to them the sympathy of the community.

William Johnston, of Clarendon Station, Q. C., died on the 20th ult., after a lingering illness of consumption. He came home in October last from the United States where he had been working, to attend his father's funeral and being ill decided to remain. He was in his twenty-first year and much esteemed. The family have been three times bereft within a year and have the sympathy of all in their heavy bereavement.

Philip McKimm, an aged and respectable farmer of Armstrong's Corner, died on Monday at eight o'clock on Friday morning, the lungs of the lungs on the 20th ult. Mr. McKimm was born in Ireland in the year 1804. He served on the constabulary of that country for some years, and came to N. B. in 1848. During the gold fever in California Mr. McK. was one of the many who crossed the Isthmus to the land of Ophir. After a few years stay in the gold fields he returned to New Brunswick, being a leading quiet and contented life. He was in his 89th year.

The sudden death of Miss Ella Merrithew on Wednesday evening, threw a gloom over the village of Gibson where she resided. Deceased was a daughter of James Merrithew and was in her twenty-first year. She had been out driving in the afternoon and was apparently in her usual state of health. In the evening she complained of feeling unwell and was placed on a lounge and shortly after expired. Her death was a great loss to the community. The funeral will be held on Friday morning, the interment taking place at Gaspoint. Rev. Mr. Nobles officiated at the grave and Rev. Mr. Reid at the grave.

Arrest Last Night.

Detective King came up from St. John last night, and visiting the Queen, swooped down on a young man, who under the name of C. A. Anderson, has with a companion, been doing the work in the interests of the bad debt collecting agency. The prisoner was lodged in jail, and this morning taken to St. John. So far as can be learned he was arrested at the instance of James Stratton, barrister, St. John, for blackmailing in connection with the bad debt business. Another theory respecting the arrest is that he was wanted for something in connection with the large stock of jewelry which he had in his vault.

BRICKS BY A TREE.—Eras Stairs, of Campbell Settlement, York, had his right leg broken on Monday afternoon last when hauling logs to Upham's mill. The end of his leg was broken and the young man was taken home and Dr. Sprague called to attend him.

Fred. B. Edgewcombe is expected to open very soon his new spring jackets and dress goods. A few are here already, but his spring opening will be announced shortly. He will have a magnificent showing in these goods. Housekeepers will also be interested to know that his new carpets are daily expected.

IN WILL ARREST YOU.—Look out for P. Dunn's new advertisement. It will appear next issue and will have something that will astonish you. Complete new stock including four good sewing machines and the latest improvements in organs, pianos, etc.

BROKE HIS LEG.—A son of Thomas Trail, of Manuacque, eighteen years of age, fell on the ice recently and broke his leg. Dr. Turner set the bone and the young man is now out on crutches.

AT WOODSTOCK.—A. G. Beckwith, government engineer, was at Woodstock during the week inspecting the bridge at that place and other public works in that vicinity.

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