

Local and General News

Of Special Interest to Our Readers, Gathered By Our Reporters from Many Sources. Whirl of the Town.

Mayor Brown has called a public meeting of citizens for Friday evening in the Town Hall.

Mr. R. A. Snowball, who is organizing a Maritime trotting circuit, has already heard from the tracks at Amherst, Springhill, Woodstock, St. John, Fredericton, Chatham and Moncton.

Four freight cars at Bellevue's siding west of Rogersville, were broken into recently, and considerable freight stolen. The matter has been reported to the police, and an effort will be made to locate the guilty parties.

Little Boys suits just opened at McMurdo's.

The Rosebank Lumber Company has ordered two 100 horse power, return tubular boilers, to be fitted with Dutch ovens, for their new mill at Douglastown, from the Robb Engineering Company of Amherst N. S.

Those persons who were unable to attend the Messing, Party last night at the Opera House, and wish to contribute to the Fund, can send or give their donation to any of the following Committee, John Williamson, Thos. A. Clarke, Thos. Russell, W. J. Sutherland.

Notice is given in the Royal Gazette that the Carquet Railway Company will apply to the Legislature for an act authorizing the directors to make a new issue of bonds for the sum of \$200,000 to provide for such of the present bonds as have been lost or destroyed, for power to lease or sell the railway, and for other purposes.

The Advocate has received the first copy of "The Advertiser" published at Blackville. The new paper will be published semi-monthly by Mr. R. M. Grindlay and the Advocate wishes him success in his enterprise. Blackville and its environs should accord Mr. Grindlay every support.

Regarding the accommodations at the barracks for the Newcastle field battery, who are to fire the salute at the opening of parliament Lt. Col. Wadmore drew attention to the fact that a number of applicants of non-commissioned officers wishing to take a short course at the depot this winter had to be refused owing to the lack of accommodations.—Fredericton Gleaner.

Mr. Saunders Price of Boiestown is in the city today, says Saturday's Gleaner. Mr. Price, who is a successful lumber operator, has recently purchased the Murray Hotel property at Doaktown. He will assume proprietorship on May 1st and contemplate running the hotel in a first class manner so as to retain and increase the large measure of popularity the Murray Hotel has enjoyed.

The last Y meeting for February was fairly well attended, although some of those who were among our best workers last year, have not yet returned to their post, however we hope to have them with us soon. We are to have an evening with Longfellow the next night March 6th. All the members are requested to answer their names at roll call by repeating a quotation from some of his poems. So, what with readings, recitations etc., we expect to spend a very pleasant and, we trust profitable evening. We also expect one new member, perhaps more. Mrs. Gough kindly extends an invitation to the Y's to meet at her home for their next meeting.—Cor.

The Canada Eastern branch of the I. C. R. was tied up one day last week for several hours owing to an accident to the suburban train near McConnell's crossing. One of the old engines that had been used by the I. C. R. was attached to the train and an accident to one of the trucks of the locomotive went off the track causing the accident. Assistance was sent out from Gibson and the truck removed and the broken down locomotive was taken back to the Gibson shops for repairs. As the express was late the accident only caused the cancelling of the suburban train's trip until the track was cleared.

If at any time you have trouble with your bread baking, drop a line to M. A. Gray of the Laboratory and Baking Department at the ROYAL HOUSEHOLD FLOUR Mills, Montreal. He will write you a personal letter giving valuable suggestions and information.

The ladies of St. Mary's church have in preparation a St. Patrick's concert which promises to eclipse all their previous efforts.

L. B. McMurdo, wishes to announce to his customers the arrival of his new spring suiting and trousering which is opened up and ready for inspection. Come early and get the first choice. You don't want it made up now we put it to one side for you.

Dr. A. Pierce Crocker, eye, ear, nose, and throat specialist, of St. John, will be at the Waverly Hotel, Newcastle Friday March 10th where he will attend to affections of those organs as well as the application of glasses.

Newcastle defeated Millerton by a score of 9-6 in the Millerton rink last Thursday evening. Newcastle is now anxious to get a game on with Chatham but is of the opinion that the latter team should be the challenger.

Mr. John Grierson is again among the lumber camps of Miramichi, the second trip this winter, says the Presbyterian Witness. The weather was exceedingly severe—the mercury marking down at times to 40 degrees below zero. Mr. Grierson's first tour was successful in the best sense. He had never before met with so much encouragement.

The Campbellton express Saturday morning was off the track for several hours about a mile and a half the other side of Harcourt. The engine, tender and the four cars left the rails, and the auxiliary car was sent out from Moncton to replace them. No damage was done, but the traffic was blocked for two or three hours in consequence of the accident. The run-off is supposed to have been due to the spreading of the rails. McPherson's glow special was derailed at that point earlier in the day and, it is thought impaired the track, causing the express to be derailed also.

St. James Church, Newcastle, N. B., was organized 1829. It has had five ministers prior to the present pastor Rev. H. Arnott who has been in charge since 1903. The envelope system of contributing was introduced in 1898. 26 deaths were recorded during the past year. 29 were received to membership, 23 on profession and 6 on certificate. There has been an increase in contributions on the schemes of the church. There was a slight falling off in ordinary revenue, but the financial standing of the church is all right. For schemes of the church, etc., \$428.59. The right of contributions by envelope shows that there is room for progress. One gentleman gives \$1.00 per Sunday.—Presbyterian Witness.

By the death of Mrs. Hannah Miller, relict of the late W. J. Miller, Newcastle has lost one of its most estimable ladies. Mrs. Miller had been troubled with rheumatism for over fifteen years. Not until the middle of January, however, was Mrs. Miller confined to her room. But from that time until her death which occurred Thursday evening at 7.15 the malady became worse and she suffered intensely. The funeral cortege on Sunday afternoon was one of the largest ever seen in Newcastle. A burial service was conducted by Rev. T. H. Cutbush in St. Andrews Episcopal Church at 4.15 after which interment took place in St. Andrews Cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs J. D. Croaghan, James Troy, Jas. A. Rundie, Wm. Wright, John Harriman and J. G. Leighton. Mrs. Miller was a staunch member of the English church. Deceased was the daughter of the late Matthew Mitchell and was born in Napan 61 years ago. She married Mr. Miller in Newcastle about forty years ago and leaves six sons and two daughters. The daughters are Mrs. L. B. McMurdo and Mrs. Heber Sproul and the sons are S. B. H. S. S. W. V. Chas. P. (Vancouver), E. V. and C. C. Two sisters and three brothers also survive her among whom are Mrs. J. E. Miller, Campbellton and James and George Mitchell of the Miramichi.

The noblest line of English worsteds and Tweeds ever shown at McMurdo's. Don't miss "Where is my Wandering Boy To-Night" but make it possible for him to sing, There's No Place Like Home by securing a Berliner gramophone. Dalton's Drug Store, sole agents.

Young men's suits in Black and Blue also in Tweeds at 3 McMurdo's. Prices right.

Fine 4 crown Suits. Figs at ten cents a pound 3 lbs. for 25 cents at Geo. Stables.

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Social and Personal

Mr. John D. Buckley of Rogersville was at the Miramichi this week.

Mr. John McAllister, ex M. P. of Campbellton was at the Miramichi on Friday.

Mr. F. J. Comeau and wife of New Brandon were here last week.

Mrs. E. P. Stevens and children of Dorchester have come to reside in Newcastle.

Miss Jennie Humphrey has returned from a short visit to friends in Harcourt.

Sheriff O'Brien was in St. John last week.

Mr. J. D. Croaghan was in Moncton this week.

Mr. A. R. Wetmore of Fredericton was at the Miramichi last week.

Mr. F. Curran of the Summer Coy. Bathurst was at the Miramichi on Monday.

Mr. G. A. DeMills who was called to Newcastle on account of the serious illness of her mother, has returned to Moncton.

Miss Susie Sargeant has returned from a pleasant visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Neale, Chatham.

Government House, Chatham is being put in readiness to receive the gubernatorial party this week.

Mr. F. L. Schultz, travelling auditor of the I. C. R. was at the Miramichi yesterday.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. E. Miller of Campbellton came here on Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Miller's sister, Mrs. W. J. Miller.

Messrs Wm. D. Carter, Thos. Murray, David J. Mundle and George W. Robertson of Richibucto and Mr. R. A. Irving of Beauséjour were here on Monday.

As the Advocate goes to press a very delightful musical party is being held in the Opera House. There is a fine program of vocal and instrumental music and refreshments will be served at the close.

Mr. Clarence Stevens who has for some time past been in the employ of Mr. J. D. Croaghan here left for St. John yesterday where he enters the employ of Manchester, Robertson and Allison, Ltd. as traveller.

Mr. Stevens and family have gone to Chatham where they will remain until Mr. Stevens makes arrangements for their removal to Nova Scotia which territory he will cover for his new employers. Both Mr. and Mrs. Stevens have made many friends in Newcastle and their removal will be greatly regretted.

ROGERSVILLE.

Local and Personal.

Mrs. D. Richard of Moncton and little adopted daughter is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. Lavoie.

Mr. T. Robidoux, Editor Le Moniteur Acadien, Sheliae spent Sunday with his son Dr. L. Eric Robidoux. He was accompanied by his son F. J. Robidoux, barrister, Richibucto.

L. C. R. policeman Noble, Campbellton, is in town looking after cars which have been tampered with at Bellevue siding.

Mr. Churchill, contractor is here to commence work enlarging the I. C. R. station, dwelling house and baggage room.

Mr. A. M. Saunders, government scaler is in town.

Mr. J. Savoy returned from Salem, Mass., today.

We are pleased to see one of the good sisters who has been ill able to resume her work as teacher again.

The many friends of Mr. A. Pineau, merchant, Acadia, are sorry to learn there is no hope of his recovery. He is suffering from a long illness which is expected to terminate fatally at any moment.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. M. O'Brien regret to hear their little son is seriously ill, he is under the treatment of Dr. Robidoux.

F. J. Robidoux, Richibucto is in town on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Melius are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son.

WANTED.

A boy about 14 years of age to learn the Dry Goods business, one who has passed the 9th school grade preferred. Apply in own hand writing to

J. D. CROAGHAN.

NOTICE OF BILL.

Notice is hereby given that the town of Newcastle will apply at the next session of the Local Legislature for the passage of an act to empower the said town to renew its unsold Water Works, Sewerage and Electric Light Debentures at a rate of interest not exceeding 5 per cent. and for any term of years, now exceeding the original term of said debentures, as to the Town Council of said town may seem expedient; also to empower the said Town to renew the said debentures from time to time at a rate not exceeding 5 per cent. the term of such issue and renewals not to exceed the original term of said debentures.

Dated this 21st day of February, 1905.
R. T. D. AITKEN.
Town Clerk.

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It is a simple harmless tonic that never fails to help. Pleasant to take and quick in results. It is the ideal remedy for women and children, not alone because it is good to take, but because it supplies the elements most commonly needed to enrich the blood and build up the general health. 50 and 75c. Latter size a full pint.

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Now is your chance to secure a splendid bargain. All orders for millinery will receive our very best attention.

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CARQUET RAILWAY COMPANY

NOTICE is hereby given that the Carquet Railway Company will apply to the Legislature at its next session for an Act authorizing the Directors to make a new issue of bonds for the sum of \$500,000 to provide such of the present bonds as have been lost or destroyed and for other purposes.

Dated at Bathurst this eight day of February 1905.

B. C. MULLINS

Secretary

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A Girl for general housework in a small family. Apply at once personally or by letter to

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Newcastle, N. B.

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We can fit the largest man, and smallest boy in their head-dress and guarantee style and quality.

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