

## FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

### FREDERICTON

Fredricton, N. B., Feb. 15.—The business men's dinner, organized by the board of trade for the purpose of boosting Fredricton and arousing interest in the board of trade, was held tonight in the Y. M. C. A. hall and proved an unequalled success. It is probable that similar dinners will be held in the future. The success is largely due to the committee in charge, composed of F. B. Edgcombe, George Y. Diblee and G. W. Hodges. The attendance was upwards of 125.

Many subjects of interest to the business men of the city were discussed after addresses on them had been made. The St. John Valley Railway was discussed by several speakers and unanimous opinion was expressed that the railway was so important to the people of the St. John valley that party politics should not be permitted to interfere with it. Opinion was expressed that the road would be built within two years.

Mayor Thomas, in a brief address, spoke on the possibilities of improving Fredricton as a residential, tourist and industrial centre.

City Clerk McCready gave a brief historical sketch of the board of trade since its organization in 1850.

J. D. Palmer delivered an address on transportation; C. Fred Chestnut spoke on Fredricton as a place to live; Dr. C. C. Jones, chancellor of the U. N. B.; Judge F. St. John Bliss, Ald. Osborne and others discussed the subject, Fredricton as a Centre of the Agriculture District with agriculture for New Brunswick.

W. S. Tompkins read one of the most striking papers of the evening on the St. John Valley, its Resources and its Possibilities. In it he forecasted a great development in both farming and lumbering in the St. John valley on the construction of the railway from Woodstock to St. John via the valley, prophesying an increase in trade in natural products to the amount of \$1,500,000 per year.

S. B. Hatheway, of Springhill, president of the farmers and dairymen's association, spoke on Fredricton as the Centre of the Apple Producing Region; J. A. Reid,

of the Hat & Shoe Company, dealt with the subject, Fredricton as a Manufacturing Centre; W. L. McFarlane, J. W. McCready and others discussed the subject, "Booming of industries was touched on and opinion on the matter was divided."

R. K. Randolph spoke on Fredricton as a Jobbing Centre.

O. H. Sharp, manager of the Bank of British North America, spoke briefly on banking.

President J. T. Jennings occupied the chair, with A. R. Slipp in the vice chair. In the supreme court this morning a ruling was given to quash the conviction for a third offence in the Scott case of Almon Staples, was refused.

In the matter of the Intercolonial Railway Company vs. the N. B. Ry. Co., Mr. Lawson moved that the court appoint the form and time in which the notice of the filing of the award shall be published, calling upon parties interested in the award to file their claims. The court decided that the order should be published until April 15.

In the King vs. Harrington, Mr. Dunn moved for a rule nisi to quash a conviction under the C. T. Act, Mr. Wilson, K. C. showed cause. A rule absolute was made. In the same vs. the same, Mr. Wilson, showed cause, and Mr. Dunn supported the rule. The rule was discharged.

In re the estate of David Kennedy, Mr. Jones, K. C., supported an appeal for the administrator, Messrs. Teed and Phinney, K. C., contra.

In the supreme court this afternoon in the case of the Canadian Fairbanks Co., Ltd., (plaintiffs) appellants, and Edgett (defendants) respondent, Mr. Teed, K. C., supported an appeal from the St. John county court, Mr. Baxter, K. C., contra. Chas. Label of Mr. Grimey, was fined \$50 and costs by Commissioner Farris this morning for keeping liquor for sale on the Transcontinental railway.

The Seventy-first Regiment will furnish the guard of honor for the opening of the legislature and the Woodstock Battery will fire the salute.

Lt. W. Goodill of St. George and Fred T. Fenwick of Sussex have been appointed provincial constables.

Chief Commissioner Morrissy is calling for tenders for the metal superstructures

### HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, Feb. 12.—The members of the ladies' aid society of the Methodist church held a very successful St. Valentine's day entertainment in the hall here last evening. Alexander Rogers occupied the chair and a program was presented consisting of photographs selections by Miss Edie McLean, readings by Mrs. Alexander Rogers, Mrs. W. J. McAlmon and F. G. Moore, solo by Miss Janie McGorman, with autograph accompaniment, autoharp duet by Miss McLean and Miss Peck, and solo and chorus, Swing Low, Sweet Chariot, Ice cream, etc., was sold at the close. The room was fitted up for the occasion and the ladies wore white dresses, adorned with heart shaped decorations. The proceeds, which amounted to about \$12, will go towards the fund for the new organ. The ladies of the aid society have undertaken to buy a new instrument and already have about \$80 towards the amount. The organ has been ordered and will be installed shortly.

Miss Ethel Peck has returned to Moncton to continue treatment for an affection of the nerves.

Miss Besse Rogers returned yesterday from a visit to Moncton.

Extensive repairs and alterations to the big mill of I. C. Prescott are being made. A crew of men have been at work all winter.

Hopewell Hill, Feb. 14.—An interesting entertainment was held in the Methodist church here last evening, which was designated, A Night with Alfred Austin, poet laureate. Rev. Mr. Kirby, who was conducting the entertainment, delivered a lecture on the present incumbent of the poet laureateship.

The funeral of Mrs. Dora Woodworth, whose sudden death occurred at the home of her niece, Mrs. Clare Robinson, on Sunday afternoon, took place this afternoon and was largely attended. Rev. Mr. Love

### CRIPPLE FROM RHEUMATISM

#### NOW IN PERFECT HEALTH THANKS TO "FRUIT-A-TIVES"

"Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 1st, 1910. I am well acquainted with a man, known to thousands in Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster, who for nearly a year was practically a cripple from Rheumatism. He was so troubled with the disease that he found it difficult to even turn over in bed. His heart appeared so weak that he could hardly walk up stairs.

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officially. Intermittent was in the Lower Cape cemetery. It was just eight weeks today since the funeral of deceased bus hand took place.

Dr. Burnett, of Sussex, came down yesterday to see a case in New Horton and last evening came to the Hill in company with Dr. Atkinson, the attending physician, to see J. I. Newcomb, who has been ill for some time with an affection of the heart.

### HAMPSTEAD

Hampstead, N. B., Feb. 13.—Last Friday evening Mrs. Harry Ross, assisted by the sister-in-law, Mrs. S. W. Eveleigh, entertained a few of her young friends in honor of her sister, Miss Cooper, of Gagetown. Among those present were Miss Nutter, Miss Vanwart, Miss Erb, Miss Annie Erb, the Misses Edna and Bertha Shaw, Miss Slipp, Miss Jennie Slipp, Miss Lewis, Miss Case, Miss Pauline Scovill, Messrs. Fred and Harold Nutter, Harry Vanwart, T. Akerly, James Ross, Nelson and Arthur

Eveleigh, Ernest Walton, Walter and Edward Scovill.

Mrs. John A. Dougan entertained at a very pleasant dinner party at her home on Saturday night. Miss Alice Slipp also was hostess at a dinner party at her home the same evening.

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### CHATHAM

Chatham, Feb. 15.—The smelt fishing season closes today, and taking the season all through the catch has not been as large as in previous years.

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A lingering illness of consumption Sister Ludlow passed away on Saturday at the Hotel Dieu, with which institution she had been connected for some years. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Waddleton, of Chatham. One sister, Mrs. Walker, lives in St. John.

Some of the school trustees have now decided to inaugurate the teaching of manual training and household science in the schools in the town, and arrangements will be made to commence next year. The necessary expenditure for the amount for school purposes will have to be raised to \$11,000.

Lieut.-Governor Tweedie has instructed Ald. H. C. Jewett, of Fredricton, to procure a bill for the opening of the legislature on March 5.

St. Valentine's day carnival and fancy fair was held last night at the skating rink, when prizes amounting to \$32.50 were awarded for the best costumes present. Ten dollars in gold offered for the best boys' costume was awarded to Miss Coleman. A similar prize for the best girls' costume was won by the Rev. Geo. Wood, as Rip VanWinkle; \$5 for the best boys' costume was won by Master Satter as "Mutt" and Miss Clara McNaughton won a similar amount for the best girl's costume. For the most original costume \$2.50 was awarded to Miss Hebert. There was a large attendance and every one enjoyed themselves thoroughly.

### ST. MARTINS

St. Martins, N. B., Feb. 10.—A very successful concert and social was held here last night in the Methodist church. A crowd was present and a good sum realized, which will be used for church purposes. The following programme was successfully rendered: Instrumental duet, Clarence Brown, James Campbell; reading, Miss Lulu Brown; quartette, E. Titus, E. Bentley, W. Barker, R. Brown; instrumental duet, Miss Campbell, R. Brown; reading, Miss Vaughan; reading, Miss Pearl Henry; recitation, Miss Eva Boyer; reading, Mr. Carman; solo, Rev. Mr. Dazelle; phonograph selections by Harry Scovill.

The death occurred of David Brown, on Feb. 9, at his home, Greer Settlement. Deceased was 81 years of age, and leaves three sons and two daughters to mourn the loss of an affectionate father.

William Bridges, bank clerk of the branch of N. B. A. here, leaves today for his home at Scotland, where he will enjoy a month's vacation. During his absence J. N. Greer will assist Manager C. A. Kirk.

George W. Brown, of Boston, is spending a few days at his home, being called by the death of his father, David Brown. E. Bentley, M. P. F., has gone to the city for a few days.

George Nugent and Harry Dolan, of St. John, are the guests of Mrs. P. H. Nugent.

St. Martins, Feb. 13.—On Monday evening the High school had its annual sleigh drive, the evening being delightful, the drive was greatly enjoyed by all, after which they met at the school building, where a dainty lunch was served.

Horace Hutchins, of Montreal, spent Sunday in the village, the guest of Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Gilmore.

Miss Jennie Gilmore, who has been spending some months at Sydney (C. B.), has returned home, being called by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. George McEwen.

Wendell Bentley and wife are spending a few days in St. John.

Capt. Raymond Parker is visiting his old home here, en route to his home in England.

### CENTREVILLE

Centreville, N. B., Feb. 13.—The introduction of the reciprocity measure in the federal house was good news to a great majority of the farmers in this vicinity, for if it becomes law they will have a much wider market for their produce and stock. Value of farm lands will rapidly increase and it will be an easy matter to keep the boys and girls at home. Lack of funds is all that now takes them to the west.

The action of the federal government in offering to lease the Valley Railroad is heartily approved and it now seems to be the general opinion that it is up to Mr. Hayden to get busy and pass the necessary legislation at the coming session. There has been too much delay in this matter.

With reciprocity and a railroad, Carleton county, and Centreville with it, would boom.

Miss Annie West came home from the hospital at Boston to nurse her aunt, Mrs. Besse Campbell, who was operated on Tuesday for a serious internal trouble. Dr. Brown performed the operation, assisted by Drs. Bearisto and White, and the patient is doing nicely.

Walter Prior's thirteen-year-old daughter was operated on Sunday, the 12th, for appendicitis. Dr. Brown officiated.

Guy R. Ballou left last week for New Jersey, where he was to be married the 15th. His sister, Miss Pauline, accompanied him. After attending the ceremony she will again try nursing in a New York hospital.

B. B. Estabrooks and daughter, Jean, go to Fredericton tomorrow. Miss Ann intends remaining there for some time to take up the study of music.

Outs and hay remain at the same low figures but potatoes are now worth \$1.35 to \$1.40 and lots are going in to market.

L. B. Clark, postmaster here, has been laid up for a week with rheumatism in his right arm. His son, Randolph, is filling his place in the office.

There is a great deal of sickness throughout the country and the three doctors here are all busy.

### REXTON

Rexton, N. B., Feb. 14.—Sunday night was the coldest of the season, the thermometer registering 23 degrees below zero. Maxime Thibodeau died suddenly at the

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home of his son-in-law, William Robichaud, at Lower Jardineville on Friday. He was 60 years of age. The funeral was held on Monday morning at Richibucto village.

Miss Myrtle Kaye, of Cambridge (Mass.), has been called home to McKee's Mills on account of the serious illness of her sister, Miss Ella Kaye.

Joseph Gesner, of Boston, who has been visiting his parents at McKee's Mills, left on Tuesday for his home, accompanied by his father, William Gesner, who will spend some time with his home.

Mrs. Robert Hyslop, of McKee's Mills, is quite ill. Dr. Landry is in attendance.

### WESTFIELD BEACH

Westfield Beach, Feb. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. William Stephenson spent the week-end at Public Landing with Mrs. Stephenson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Craig.

Miss Cornelia Lingley, of St. John, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leander Lingley, Sunday.

Percy Macburn, of St. John, was the guest of his uncle, E. R. Macburn, Sunday.

Albert Stephenson and sister, Elizabeth Stephenson, of Boston, are visiting their

parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stephenson, Mr. Scribner, of Wolford, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lingley Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Lingley, who has been visiting friends in the west for several months, returned home yesterday.

### SALISBURY

Salisbury, N. B., Feb. 13.—Misses Day and Della Steeves, of Hillsboro, are visiting relatives at Salisbury and Allison.

G. A. Tritts came in from Sydney Saturday evening and is spending a few days here with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. William McDougall, of Moncton, spent Sunday in Salisbury at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tritts.

T. T. Goodwin, principal of the Salisbury school, and Mrs. Goodwin are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

Alfred Beekwith, of Mount Eagle, purchased the house and premises lately owned and occupied by Dr. A. King.

Mrs. F. G. Francis, who has been spending a few weeks with her friends in St. John and Norton, returned home Saturday evening.

## OTTAWA

All Have Spoken On Reciprocity

Action of the A House Greeted Liberal Cheer

George E. Foster's Speech on Reciprocity

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Ottawa, Feb. 14.—The Conservative government's proposal for a reciprocity agreement with the United States, which was defeated in the House of Commons yesterday, has been greeted with a chorus of Liberal cheer.

The debate at Ottawa will open almost every member a speech and it is expected to last for several days. This afternoon Mr. Foster's speech on the reciprocity agreement was heard. Mr. Foster's speech was a stinging one, and he attacked the reciprocity agreement as "a Yankee trick to get the United States to subsidize the Canadian farmer." He said that the reciprocity agreement would open the Canadian market to American goods, and that the Canadian farmer would be driven to his knees by the competition of the United States. He said that the reciprocity agreement would be a "Yankee trick to get the United States to subsidize the Canadian farmer." He said that the reciprocity agreement would open the Canadian market to American goods, and that the Canadian farmer would be driven to his knees by the competition of the United States.

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