NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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Notice.....Central Railway Co

LOCAL NEWS.

DEDICATION. — The new reformed Baptist church at Southampton will be dedicated May 31st.

HONORARY. — Sir John C. Allen has been chosen a vice-president of the Loyalist society at St. John.

MINSTRELSY. — Gorton's minstrels, one of the best companies on the road, appear in the city hall on Monday, May 18th.

CITY HALL. — The city council have authorized Harry White to put in an aparatus for lighting the city hall by electricity.

AWAY UP. — It is many years since oats were selling at 70 cts. and 75 cts. a bushel. A horse is an expensive luxury at present.

SALVATION ARMY. — Captain Fielder and lieutenant Heisler have been removed from the Fredericton station. They "farewelled" on Wednesday.

THE UNIVERSITY. — The honorary examinations began on Wednesday last, and are now in progress. The degree examinations commence on the 20th inst.

DANGEROUS. — The railway bridge authorities have decided to enforce the regulation against pedestrians using the bridge as a means of crossing the river.

A FLYING VISIT. — The young man Luigi Tessio returned to town for a few days last week. He departed again on Monday for McAdam Junction where he is employed.

BATH ROOMS. — Willard Carvell is fitting up in first class style, a large bath-room in connection with his laundry on Phœnix square and will soon have it ready for use.

CARLETON CIRCUIT. — His honor, judge Tuck will preside at the Carleton circuit court which opens at Woodstock on Tuesday. Frank H. Risteen is the stenographer.

THE ROADMASTER IN LUCK. — At the meeting of the city council on Tuesday last, the members unanimously voted that roadmaster McKay's salary be increased from $300 to $400.

BRIDGE REPAIRS. — The bridge at the mouth of the Nashwaak is being temporarily repaired, so as to be safe for traffic, pending the erection of the new structure by the government.

NAVIGATION. — The St. John board of trade has agreed to co-operate with the Fredericton board of trade in its effort to secure a thorough dredging of the river at the Oromocto shoals.

THE FOUNTAINS. — The fountain on Phœnix square has been put in order, and looks better for its winter's rest. Is it not about time the P. O. square fountain was looked after in the same way?

EXCHANGE. — Rev. G. A. Hartley of Carleton, St. John, will occupy the pulpit in the F. C. Baptist church in this city tomorrow (Sunday), his son, the pastor of the church, going to St. John.

MOOSE-HEADS. — In John J. Weddall's window this evening will be noticed a large moose-head. The head was dressed by E. A. Tweedale, formerly of R. Chestnut & Son's store, and is an excellent piece of workmanship.

RUNAWAY. — B. Yerxa's horse, while standing in front of Fenety's book store, on Monday last, became frightened and ran up Queen street at quite a clip. It was, however, stopped by Fred Driscoll before any damage was done.

EXHIBITION. — District agricultural society No. 34 has decided to hold a provincial society fair next fall. Attorney General Blair has promised a grant of $500 at least, and the society hopes to receive much assistance from the city.

THROWN OFF. — As Tilley Barker was riding a horse belonging to M. S. Hall, up Queen street Monday morning, the horse balked and threw him over his head. Barker was not very seriously hurt, and was able to be about his duties again Monday afternoon.

FINE CATTLE. — One of the finest droves of cattle ever brought into Fredericton passed through the city last Monday, on route to St. John per steamer David Weston. They numbered twenty-three and came from the farm of Thomas Gray of Kingsclear.

NEW POLICE QUARTERS. — The city council have authorized the administration of justice committee to procure new quarters for a police court and have them furnished at once. The flat over McCarthy's butcher shop on York street has been secured and is now being put in order.

SOCIAL. — The young ladies of the Baptist church, held a very successful envelope social in the vestry of the church Thursday evening at which seventy dollars was realized. Ice cream and cake were passed round during the evening, and a very pleasant time was spent by everybody.

A COMBINE. — The W. C. T. U. of York and Northumberland counties having united, under Mrs. Steadman of Fredericton as county superintendent, the first annual convention will be held at Chatham on May 22nd. Some of the members of the union hold that the combine is unconstitutional.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK. — The Sunday school committee of the diocese of Fredericton will hold a conference on Sunday school work next week in Trinity church school house St. John. Among the Frederictonians who will take part in the program are Bishop Kingdon, Canon Roberts, Eldon Mullin and Rev. H. Montgomery.

A BUSY MILL. — Robert Jewett's mill above town is running in full blast. He has cut this season up to the present time, something over two hundred and fifty thousand feet of lumber. He employs about fifteen men and expects to be very busy during the summer as he has orders for eight boatloads of hemlock to be shipped to Boston, Mass.

DOMINION DAY. — Canton La Tour, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, of St. John have engaged a special train from the C. P. railway for an excursion to Fredericton on Dominion day. The train will leave St. John depot at 7.45 a. m., standard time, and returning, will leave Fredericton depot at 7 p. m. The Canton will bring a band with them, and will give a parade in Fredericton.

OVER THE WHARF. — While a lad named Boutilier was standing on the Florenceville wharf on Monday afernoon last, he lost his balance and fell overboard. Two young fellows immediately jumped into a boat which was near and succeeded in rescuing the lad, and none too soon as they had barely secured their boat to the wharf and jumped out when the steamer Florenceville came along. There is no doubt that the lad would have been drowned had it not been for their prompt action.

MILITIA CAMP. — Enquiries made by THE HERALD reporter, resulted in the information that the brigade camp for New Brunswick would without a doubt be held either at St. Andrews or Sussex this season, none of the other sites named being deemed suitable. Fredericton would stand an excellent chance but for the lack of proper grounds, the race-course at the back of town being too swampy and it being impossible to secure the lands of senator O'Dell, above the city, for that purpose.

Orange Blossoms.

At the residence of the brides mother, George street, on Thursday morning, Leslie White of the confectionery firm of White & Sons, St. John, and Miss Minnie Massey, of this city, were joined in wedlock, Rev. Mr. Payson officiating. THE HERALD extends congratulations.

The marriage of Robert Donovan and Miss Tilley, George street, gave the boys a chance for a serenade on Wednesday. The band of the 71st battalion turned out with its rejuvenating strains, and the boys made a huge bon-fire which was kept burning until quite late in the evening.

Wednesday evening was the occasion of a double wedding at the residence of Joseph Gorman, on Brunswick street, when that gentleman was married to Miss Emily Bird, and his sister, Miss Lottie Gorman, to Mr. McElwaine, of Nashwaaksis. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Payson. The happy grooms have unitedly purchased the house formerly occupied by J. Buchanan, on the Woodstock road, and will reside there in future.

Marysville Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Dinsmore Pond have recovered from a serious attack of the grip.

Mr. Gibson's lath and shingle mill commenced operations for the season this week.

Mr. Gibson's logs are about all in the main river and some of them have reached the boom.

The funeral of Miss Annie Gibson on Tuesday was very largely attended. Rev. Mr. Chapman officiated.

Thomas Morrison, who for several years has conducted the factory boarding house at Marysville, has abandoned the business. Joseph Robinson will take charge of the house.

Town Marshall Barker has been hot on the trail of the cotton thieves. He discovered fifty yards of cotton at Gibson on Tuesday that had been stolen from the mill. Mr. Gibson has magnanimously refused to prosecute the offenders.

On the Upper St. John.

There is still two feet of snow in the woods on the upper waters of the St. John, but owing to cold weather and lack of rain the streams have fallen so low that driving operations have been suspended at all points except on the main river. Robert Conners is now driving on the main river having abandoned the streams for the time being. Mr. Sewell has had a crew of over two hundred men idle for the past two weeks.

Great improvements are being made at Edmunston. Mrs. Babang, the popular hostess, is building a new hotel which will be three stories high and a very handsome structure. Several other stores and dwellings are also being erected there this summer.

York County Rifle Association.

At a meeting of the York county rifle association at the drill hall, Thursday evening, the committee comprising Messrs. Lipsett and McFarlane of the 71st Batt.; Walker and Long of the I. S. C., and lieut. Richards of the R. M., were authorized to arrange for the regular fortnightly matches to take place on Saturday afternoons during the season. This county will not have a team in the dominion telegraphic league after all. The local riflemen who were working up the matter have discovered that team entries could not be received after May 1st. The grief of our marksmen is not loud but deep.

At the meeting of the council of the provincial rifle association at St. John Friday evening it was decided to allow sighting shots in the Sussex competitions. The York and King's county pitcher match has been made a regular feature.

Our Boys Abroad.

E. B. Fisher, of this city, has made excellent progress in his medical studies at Edinburgh. As he was home for a vacation last summer, he will probably take a trip on the continent this year instead of returning to New Brunswick.

Walter C. Murray, who has recently been appointed to the chair of philosophy at the university of New Brunswick, has just concluded a distinguished course at Edinburgh, taking the degree of M. A. with first class honors in philosophy. He will assume his duties here at the beginning of the next academical year.

In A New Sphere.

The Gleaner says that "Rev. Mr. Kinghorn preached at St. Paul's church St. John last Sunday morning, confirmed twenty-seven persons at St. Luke's in the afternoon, and in the evening conducted confirmation services at the Mission church." It is to be regretted that the Gleaner did not announce these services beforehand, as Mr. Kinghorn's appearance in St. Paul's church, not to speak of St. Luke's and the Mission church, would have insured a very large delegation from Fredericton to take in the proceedings.

Fredericton's Trade.

The figures for April show a substantial improvement in imports over the same month last year, but the exports were very trifling. Collector Street kindly furnishes the following statement:

Value of goods imported and entered for consumption at the port of Fredericton, together with the duty paid thereon, for the month of April 1890-91:

	Value.	Duty.
1890 . .	$16,755	$3,880.96
1891 . .	27,614	4,304.88

Mr. Hooper's Successor.

J. P. Phelan, now running as messenger between St. John and Montreal on the Canadian Pacific express, has been appointed agent of the C. P. R. Express Co., in Fredericton in room of W. S. Hooper transferred to St. John. The Sun says that Mr. Phelan is one of the best expressmen running out of Montreal, and his appointment to the Fredericton agency is sure to be popular in this city. Mr. Phelan comes to Fredericton about the last of the month and Mr. Hooper will go to St. John.

To be Revived.

The chances appear to be improving for the revival of the Y. M. C. A. in Fredericton. If the institution is established it will be upon a much more popular basis than its predecessor. Besides the religious advantages offered, there will be reading and bath rooms, and a gymnasium in contemplation; the latter, it is regretted, has never yet been opened to our young men in this city. The subscription lists are being freely signed and over one hundred prospective members have been secured.

On the Miramichi.

The dry weather is very much against the prospect of getting out the season's cut of lumber to market. The men are on the grounds all ready to commence operations but the streams are much lower than usual at this season of the year, and while the snow is gradually wasting away no rain comes to help the water. The cut of lumber the past winter was far less than usual and unless favorable weather ensues and it all comes out the sawing season will be short.— Advocate.

Sentenced to Prison.

Charles Oscar DeCourcy, alias Charles Champion, formerly of the Infantry school, whose escapades over the border were described in THE HERALD last week, is now languishing behind the bars of Maine state prison. It appears that the English title he assumed, under cover of which he obtained money from various persons, was that of Lord Allandale. When arraigned at Calais on Wednesday he pleaded guilty and was sentenced to two years imprisonment.

SPORTS OF THE SEASON.

The Very Latest in Base Ball, Athletic and Turf Circles.

ON THE FLATS.

"Joe Eatmon striker!" comes the call;
Joe saunters to the plate,
He takes a hitch in his overall,
And grins with joy elate.
The first base scours his hard right hand,
The coacher's jaw unlocks,
As the dandiest player in the land
Stands up in his well-darned socks.

"Bang!" goes the ball at a fearful pace,
And the coons all roar and rock,
As Joe scoots by the second base
And sheds a well-worn sock.
He drops the other as he flies,
His 'spenders snap and go,
But now he's on the plate and cries—
"Dat's me; score dat for Joe!"

The Halifax Socials and Mutuals have arranged a series of games.

The University and Infantry school nines are playing a return match at the association grounds this afternoon.

The Nationals, of Marysville, have accepted the challenge of the Easterns of Gibson, to play on the 25th inst.

A series of games have been arranged between the Potato-peelers, Athletics, Easterns and Nationals of Marysville.

A number of lacrosse sticks have been imported with which captain Roche, a former Montreal player, proposes to start the national game in Fredericton.

The match between the University and I. S. C. teams on the A. A. Association grounds last Saturday afternoon, resulted in favor of the University team by a score of 21 to 16.

The picked nine from the city defeated the University club Thursday afternoon at the A. A. Association grounds by a score of 17 to 14. Crocket and Doran were the battery for the picked nine, and Mowatt and Baxter for the University. Crocket struck out nine men and Mowatt four. The score by innings:

Picked nine—3 1 2 0 2 5 2 2 0—17
University —0 2 3 2 1 0 0 2 4—14

After the game, H. McKee on behalf of the Potato-peelers, challenged the University club for a game on Saturday next, but they did not accept the challenge.

The team to play the M. S. C's on May 26th has been chosen, as follows: J. Cuningham, p; J. McCullough, c; E. Byers, 1st b; O. Crocket, 2nd b; J. Doran, 3rd b; T. Doherty, s. s.; J. Farrell, l. f.; C. Elsdon, c. f.; D. Haines, r. f. THE HERALD would suggest, in the interest of good ball-playing, that Billy Pushor, who is to catch for the St. Johns on the 25th, be engaged to play in this game at Fredericton.

There is blood on the face of the moon. The press nine, after their victorious career of six straight games last season, are again in the field, stronger and more cheeky than ever. The nine as re-organized is as follows:

F. H. Risteen, capt., r. f. (Progress).
O. S. Crocket, 1st b. (St. John Globe).
A. Wilson, 2d b. (ornamental job printer).
Allie Machum, 3rd b. (Globe).
Arthur Machum, p. (cor. London Times).
Octavus Crocket, c. (Gleaner).
J. H. Crocket, s. s. (Gleaner).
L. C. Macnutt, c. f. (Farmer).
J. T. Sharkey, l. f. (Globe).

Spare men—H. McLeod, University Monthly; J. W. McCready, Sun; Geo. Barrett, Royal Gazette.

The nine have imported new uniforms from Pennioc similar in design to those of last year. They desire to meet the lawyers, the bankers, the infantry school team or the university team on Saturday afternoon next. All communications should be couched in respectful language, addressed to F. H. Risteen, captain, L. C. Macnutt, vice-captain, or to J. H. Crocket, secretary-treasurer.

The program of races which the park association intend holding on the Queen's birthday has been decided upon. The programme with the entries are as follows.—

No. 1.—Half mile heats, best three in five. Entries—Blk g Allright; ch g Harry; gr g Dred; b m Kitty; br g McKinly.

No. 2.—Half mile heats, best three in five. Entries not yet filled.

No. 3.—Four year old colts. Half mile heats, best three in five. Entries—Ch g Dexter; b g Allright; ch m ——; gr m Chenie.

During the day there will be a base ball match between the Star Socials and Lone Stars on the grounds at the park. As both teams are considered to be good amateur clubs, it will likely be a very close game. An effort is being made to have a bicycle race during the day for which a prize will be offered.

A Testimonial.

PROVINCIAL NORMAL SCHOOL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:

DEAR SIR, — Will you kindly allow space in your valuable paper for the following communication.

At a meeting of the young men of the Normal school to consider what their action should be with regard to the Creed-Tessio case, a committee was appointed to embody the sentiment of the meeting in a resolution. The committee, viz: Messrs. Schriver, Morton, Acheson, Loggie and Trueman, brought forward the following resolutions which were adopted with but two dissenting voices:

Whereas, Statements calculated to injure the standing and prospects of Harry Creed as to his alleged connection with the Tessio matter have appeared in the public press of the province, and

Whereas, It has been publicly stated that there is among Mr. Creed's fellow students a general feeling of disapprobation of the course which it is assumed he took in the same.

Therefore Resolved, That in the opinion of the young men of the Normal school any student would have been justifiable in bringing to the knowledge of the faculty of instructors a matter affecting in so serious a way the moral standing of the school, and that no such feeling of disapprobation of Mr. Creed's conduct exists in the school.

Further Resolved, That a committee of six be appointed to present copies of these resolutions to Mr. Creed and forward them for publication in the press of the province.

(Signed).
CHAS. D. STRONG,
GEO. J. TRUEMAN,
P. MICHAUD,
EDWARD L. PRICE,
WILLARD R. DEMMONS,
H. C. TODD.

The Roll Call.

Miss Brannen, who died last Monday was eighty-six years of age. She was born in Fredericton and for some years had lived the life of a recluse.

Mrs. Henry W. Barker of St. John, died on Sunday last was the daughter of A. Tyler Thompson. She was a most estimable lady and had many friends in Fredericton.

The death of John Blair at the age of 72, on Thursday evening, removed from the city one of our oldest and most respected citizens. He was the cousin of the attorney general and brother of Henry Blair.

On Wednesday morning last the remains of John Bailey of Sheffield were laid to rest. He was another of the victims of that terrible scourge, consumption, and had only reached his manhood, being in his twenty-fifth year.

On Wednesday news was received here of the death of George Whittaker at Chatham in the 78th year of his age. Mr. Whittaker, who was one of the most honorable business men on the North shore, was a brother of the late Stephen Whittaker of this city.

The death of Charles Jarvis on Sunday last removed one of the most active of the Salvation army workers in this city. He joined the army in 1885 when it came here and has been faithful to the colors ever since. He was buried with full military honors on Wednesday last.

THE DAVID. — Captain Estabrooks the popular commander of the David Weston, reports that passenger traffic has not been heavy as yet but that the steamer has had about all the freight during the past week that she could handle.

MASONIC GRAND LODGE.

The Grand Master and Officers Pay an Official Visit to Hiram Lodge of Fredericton.

Grand master Thomas Walker, attended by officers of grand lodge, F. and A. M. of New Brunswick, paid an official visit to Hiram lodge of this city on Wednesday evening. Grand lodge was composed as follows: Thomas Walker, grand master; Harry Beckwith, as deputy grand master; George Todd, as senior grand warden; Daniel Jordan, junior grand warden; Frank Tafts, as grand treasurer; Jas. D. Fowler, as grand secretary; A. F. Street, as senior grand deacon; Andrew Nichol, junior grand deacon; John A. Watson, grand director of ceremonies; Wm. G. Robertson, grand pursuivant; Benj. S. Black, grand steward; R. W. L. Tibbits, grand steward.

On their entrance to the lodge the grand master and his officers were greeted with the customary welcome by worshipful master Morrison and Hiram lodge. Grand master Walker responded to the welcome and extended his congratulations to the lodge.

The E. A. degree was then exemplified by the officers of Hiram lodge before grand lodge. When the labors had been concluded the members of the craft adjourned to the Barker House where they partook of a supper.

The following is the bill of fare, which was discussed by the brethren with enthusiasm:

SOUP.
Tomato.
FISH.
Boiled Halibut, Egg Sauce.
BOILED — COLD.
Ox Tongue. Sugar Cured Ham.
ROAST.
Loin of Beef, Horseradish.
Spring Lamb, Mint Sauce.
ENTRIES.
Escalloped Oysters. Lobster Salad.
COLD MEATS.
Tongue. Roast Beef. Corned Beef. Ham.
VEGETABLES.
Mashed Potatoes. Green Peas. Radish.
Cucumbers. Lettuce.
PUDDING.
Cottage, Brandy Sauce.
PASTRY.
Apple Pie Custard Pie. Cocoanut Pie.
Washington Pie.
DESSERT.
English Walnuts. Filberts.
Almond Nuts. Castana.
Layer Raisins. Fruit. Cheese.
Tea. Coffee.
Apples. Oranges. Bananas.

Worshipful master Morrison presided, and was supported on the right and left by the grand master and deputy grand master respectively. When the cloth had been removed The Queen was proposed from the chair and duly honored. Then came the sentiment, The grand lodge of New Brunswick, to which grand master Walker responded at length, paying a warm tribute not only to the lodge as a whole, but to several of its members who had attained distinction in the craft. After several other toasts the party broke up about midnight.

A Senatorial Episode.

Senator Snowball was in Fredericton last evening, and this morning left for Ottawa. It is told of the senator that seeing a boy at the Forks station with a salmon for sale, he purchased the fish with the intention of presenting it to Sir John. The facetious Robinson, M. P. P., waited until the boy disappeared and then reminded the senator that a man who was going to Ottawa to represent the fishing interests of the North Shore, ought to know the difference between a salmon and a "black grilse" with a bill like a parrot. The senator took another look at the fish and left it reposing gracefully on the platform.

Order of Unity.

At a committee meeting of the Order of Unity at James Fowler's store Friday evening, it was decided to celebrate the anniversary of the organization of the order in this city by holding an entertainment on Wednesday evening next. Speeches will be delivered by several of the influential members of the order and refreshments will be served during the evening. The F. O. M. W. orchestra will be in attendance and furnish music. The membership of the order now numbers one hundred and seventy-five, and other members will be initiated before the anniversary exercises.

New School Building.

Mr. Dumaresq of St. John, the architect of the parliament buildings, the Charlotte street school, the Randolph block, the Sharkey block, and also of many of the finest public buildings in the province, has been selected by the school board to prepare plans for the new York street school. The building will be of brick three storeys high, with six class rooms for the present, each 33 x 26. The present antique structure will be moved to the southeast corner of the lot, in order to accommodate the pupils, while the new building is being erected.

Recent Fires.

On Sunday afternoon last, the firemen were called out to extinguish a fire on the old exhibition grounds. The fire caught in some sawdust which had been used for packing the ice in the sheds, and soon spread over quite a large area. It was, however, soon put under control by hose company No. 2, which was the only company called out.

The firemen were again aroused on Monday evening by an alarm of fire from Carleton ward, the cause being the burning out of a chimney in the house occupied by Wm. Fowler. No damage.

C. of E. Temperance Society.

At the last regular meeting of the Lady Tilley branch of the church of England temperance society, at the Mills, the following officers were elected for the present term:

Jas. Duffy, president.
Matthew Humphreys, vice-president.
Dennis Ryan, secretary.
John O'Hara, treasurer.
Wm. Lawrence, I. S.

Railway Notes.

Archie Burden has been promoted to the position of C. P. R. express messenger between Fredericton and St. John.

Bliss Morton, of this city, has been appointed station agent at East Florenceville in place of Thomas Murphy, resigned.

Yard-master Mabie, who has been employed at Gibson for several years, has resigned his position and gone to St. John.

Police Pencillings.

John Welton was arraigned Friday morning in the police court for violation of the Scott act. The case is now continuing before police magistrate Marsh.

Jefferson Mount, arraigned before the police magistrate on a charge of being drunk and disorderly, was convicted. The case was allowed to stand.

The Fredericton Market.

The prices still continue the same as for the past week. We quote:

Beef, 6 to 7 cts; mutton, 6 to 7 cts; veal, 4 to 5 cts; hams, 8 to 10 cts; butter, 15 to 17 cts; chickens, 50 to 55 cts; eggs, 12 to 14 cts; potatoes, $1.75 to 2; hay, $10 to 12; oats, 62 to 65 cts.

NEW HOTEL. — Robert Conners of St. Francis is erecting a large hotel at that place. The hotel will contain some thirty odd rooms and will be perfectly fitted up in every particular. It is built after the most modern style and will prove a great convenience to people that have to visit that part of the country.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

A cream of tartar baking powder. Highest of all, in leavening strength.—*U. S. Government Report, Aug. 17, 1889.*

News Notes.

The bridge approaches on Carleton street have been completed.

The site for the new Woodstock bridge has not yet been selected.

Last sabbath evening twenty-one persons were received into the Methodist church in this city.

A petition for a vote on the repeal of the Canada temperance act in Charlotte county is being put in circulation.

Protests have been filed with the clerk of the pleas against the return of Mr. Colter of Carleton, and Mr. Foster of Kings.

An effort is being made by the city council to secure the post office square for a playground for the young people this summer.

The Epworth league in connection with the Methodist church, held a meeting on Tuesday evening and elected officers for the ensuing year.

The schooners which reported at this port during this week were, Welcome Home and Nellie Waters. The Welcome Home sailed Friday morning for Boston with a load of planed hemlock boards from R. A. Estey's mill.

The mouth of the Nashwaak presents a scene of activity at present. Mr. William Rice has a large crew of men busily engaged in loading the mammoth scows with Mr. Gibson's deals; and at Jewett's Point, active preparations are being made for the building of a new schooner.

PERSONAL.

Concerning People Known to Most Readers.

Levi Therriault, M. P. P. for Madawaska, was in town this week.

Wm. Wilson, M. P. P., is to lecture at Andover on the 14th inst.

Hon. Mr. Blair returned on Thursday from his trip to the states.

C. H. Labillois has been appointed to the vacant seat in the executive council.

John Buchanan and son, of this city, left on Thursday morning for British Columbia.

Dr. Taylor, M.P.P., of Kings county, has sailed from New York on a holiday trip for Europe.

Charles Neill of the Merchant's bank, and Alfred Rowley of the bank of Nova Scotia, have gone to Boston for a vacation.

Hon. Messrs. Pugsley and Mitchell, Tweedie and Ryan were in town Thursday and attended a meeting of the government.

Thomas White, of St. John, who was formerly in the confectionery business here, was in the city this week, and was warmly welcomed by his old friends.

Harry B. Atherton, the popular bookkeeper of Hoegg & Co., has been laid up with a severe attack of grip combined with quinsy. He is now much better.

THE LAST REMAINS. — A large and eager crowd occupied the eastern half of Phœnix square, Thursday afternoon, and listened to the thrilling eloquence of auctioneer Wetmore. The harness and apparatus connected with the late lamented Gunboat and his companions at the horse-barn were being disposed of. The jokes of the auctioneer were, in some cases, worth more than the goods which aroused his eloquence. Anything that ever belonged to a horse, or that smells as if it did, will attract the Fredericton horse-cranks to the scene, and they were all there. their profundity of wisdom only equalled by their impecuniosity.

ARBOR DAY. — Yesterday (Friday) was Arbor day in this district. Comparatively few trees were set out in the city. Principal Inch, of York street school, took his pupils on a botanical ramble. If, as stated to our reporter, the children attending several of the city schools were employed yesterday in cleaning up the rooms and washing the windows, the practice is one that should be discontinued.

A PILGRIMAGE. — The Maine Farmer says that the Trinity Commandery, Royal Templars, contemplate making a June pilgrimage to Bangor, Houlton and up the beautiful valley of the St. John to Northern Aroostook. No doubt Fredericton will have the pleasure of a visit from them on the way.

A RAMBLE IN THE WOODS. — Mr. Britain, of the Normal school staff, makes Saturday mornings pass very pleasantly for a great many of the students of that school. Every Saturday he takes all who wish to go out in the country on a ramble, and many of the students avail themselves of the opportunity.

CAGED. — Three burglars, supposed to be from St. John, are in jail at Woodstock for robbing Trecartin's hotel at upper Woodstock. One of them was accidentally shot by Marshall Gibson, while the arrest was being made, but not seriously. There were four in the gang one of whom escaped.

THEY WANT PANCAKES. — A party from Woodstock, N. B., are talking of coming out to British Columbia on a pleasure trip. Ex-ald. Garden's brother will be one of the party and writes James F. to give the Vancouver hotels warning to lay in a big supply of buckwheat.—Vancouver World.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE.

THE Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the Central Railway Company will be held at the office of the secretary in Fredericton, N. B., on **Tuesday the 2nd day of June next, at 2 o'clock, P. M.**, for the election of a new Board of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before them.

W. T. WHITEHEAD,
Secretary.

Fredericton N. B. May 4th 1891.— t. d.

NOTICE.

THE Central Fire Insurance Company of New Brunswick have this day declared a dividend on amount of capital paid in, of three and one half per cent, for half year ending March 20th, 1891, payable to the stockholders at the Company's Office, on or after the 18th day of May next.

By order of the Board.
A. D. MACPHERSON,
Secretary.

Fredericton April 6th, 1891. t. d.—Far.

Rope. Rope.

JUST RECEIVED:
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