

LOCAL NEWS.

A NEW LOCATION.—John B. Orr has opened a livery stable to the rear of the Span building, Queen street.

IN COMMAND.—Steve Brown is the new captain of No. 2. Hose Co., and N. J. Smith is in command of the H. L. & P. Co.

GOVE TO STANLEY.—James Welch, shoemaker of this city, has leased the old garage store at Stanley and started up business there in his line.

A CITY AGENCY.—The New Brunswick dairymaking company have opened a depot on King street in the building next below Long's hotel.

CLOSED.—The Maugerville superior school in charge of H. H. Bridges, is closed for the present on account of the prevalence of scarlet fever.

THEIR CONTRIBUTION.—The A. O. H. of Fredericton have contributed \$83 to the Irish Home rule fund, raised by Hon. Edward Blake in Canada.

GOT THE CONTRACT.—The police committee have awarded the contract for making the policeman's suits to Anderson & Walker for \$21.50 per suit.

STAYING GOOD-BYE.—Mr. and Mrs. R. Inglis will leave to their friends yesterday from four to six p. m. They expect to leave for their new home at London, Ont., early next week.

WILL COME TO TOWN.—Postmaster Hilliard and his family will occupy Mr. Temple's residence in a few days, having placed his farm and residence on Maryland hill in other hands for the present.

BASE BALL.—The Fredericton base ball club have organized a club and will put the opening nine in the field. J. Doran, C. T. Doherty, P. E. Bayers, 1st B.; Marsh, 2d B.; Edson, 3rd B.; O'Malley, S. S.; A. Adams, C. P.; J. Coyle, R. F.; G. Offen, L. F.

FINED.—The Ball's brothers from Nashua were fined against the police Saturday night and were locked up. On Monday morning one of them was fined \$5 for being drunk and the other was fined \$20 for the double offence of being drunk and assaulting the police.

COMING EVENTS.—Two well known and popular young ladies are to be wedded early in June. One who lives some miles out of town will give the home of a young Quebec doctor, and the other whose home is in the suburbs will strengthen the staff of our leading educational institution.

SOLD OUT.—B. Yerxa & Co. have sold out their York street grocery store to Partlow Yerxa of Boston, son of Recorder Yerxa, and G. Minchin Barker, a son of Thomas Barker of St. Mary's. They took possession of the business Thursday morning. Barclay Yerxa goes to Brighton, Mass., where he now has a grocery in operation.

DEVOTION.—On the 4th inst., at Marysville, quite a large number of people met at the Free C. Baptist church, and during the evening a purse of \$39.34 was raised. Elias White, in behalf of the congregation, presented Rev. J. T. Parsons, with the purse, and he replied in a very fitting speech, thanking the people for their kind and generous gift.

ORGANIZING.—The residents of Gibson, under their new incorporation act for fire and water purposes, met on Saturday last, J. E. Simmons in the chair, and elected Hubbard Niles, John Miles, P. A. Logan, B. H. Babbitt and E. C. Durpee commissioners, who will make enquiries and take practical steps towards introducing the necessary fire and water service in the village.

FIRE ALARMS.—The firemen were called out twice Wednesday forenoon, first to M. S. Hall's residence, George street, and an hour afterwards to Mrs. Holland's, corner of Brunswick and Northumberland streets. Thursday forenoon Owen Sharkey's brick building, next to the Barker house, was said to be on fire, and the department was on the ground, but in all three cases the danger was trifling.

CHANGE OF TIME.—The summer time table on the Atlantic division of the C. P. R. comes into effect on Sunday the 13th inst. Under the new arrangement trains will leave Fredericton as follows, standard time: For Woodstock and points north, and for St. John and points west at 6 a. m.; for the Junction and St. John at 10.30 a. m. and 3.30 p. m. The arrivals, from St. John 10.10 a. m., from the west at 1.10 p. m., from Woodstock via Gibson 5.30 p. m., and from St. John at 7.10 p. m.

Will Celebrate.—Invitations are out for an home to be given at Farraline Place, government house, on Monday next, from 4.30 to 7.30 p. m., the tenth anniversary of the marriage of Governor and Mrs. Fraser. His honor and his worthy lady were married at the Cathedral May 14, 1884, by the late Metropolitan. The bridemaids were the Messrs. Fisher, sisters of Mrs. Fraser, the late Wm. W. Street was groomsmen, and the ushers were J. D. Hazen and H. M. Campbell.

The Scott Act.—Chair Tabor and Havelock Dismore were tried in the police court Tuesday for violating the Scott Act at McAdam, the information having been laid by a "spotter" named Ringrose from a Boston detective agency. Wesley Vanwart appeared for the prosecution and George A. Hughes for the defence, and on Wednesday the police magistrate gave judgment convicting Tabor for keeping liquor for sale and Dismore for selling it. Judgment was rendered on the charge against Tabor for selling.

S. S. Anniversary.—Tomorrow will be the annual children's day in the Methodist church, and anniversary services will be held throughout the day. In the morning service, the children will occupy the choir and do the singing, and a special sermon will be preached by Rev. Mr. Weddell. In the afternoon the Sabbath school services will be of a special character, to which parents and friends of the scholars are cordially invited to attend. In the evening Rev. Dr. Brecken will preach to the parents and Sabbath school teachers.

City Council.—A special meeting of the city council was held at 4 p. m. Thursday, at which the appointment of N. J. Smith and Steve Brown as captains of the H. L. & P. Co. and No. 2 hose company, respectively, were confirmed. The aldermen also resolved to acquire the price of a new street sprinkler, a resolution to repair the old one being voted down. Ald. Farrell announced that Hon. H. J. Cameron, chief commissioner, had set aside \$300 to assist the city in asphaltizing the sidewalks around the parliament and departmental buildings, and in front of the Normal school.

Inherits a Fortune.—Mrs. Peterson, who has been housekeeper for Wm. H. White, of Gibson, for some years, has fallen heir to a considerable amount of money, somewhere between \$15,000 and \$20,000. This fortunate woman is a native of Newfoundland, but removed with her family to New York state early in life. Here she met some young man named Peterson, belonging to Gibson, whom she married. After coming to Gibson to live with her husband the couple did not long agree, and separated. Since Mrs. Peterson has been earning her own living. For a time she worked in the Gibson cotton mill, and subsequently as a housekeeper for W. H. White, as above stated. The fortune comes from a relative who recently died in the state of New York.

CRICKET IS BOOMING.

The Organization of a Strong City Club Elected Thursday Evening.

The outlook for a successful season of cricket in Fredericton is very encouraging to the lovers of the game. Already two clubs have been formed, one by the military, and another by the young men of the city, and on Saturday last a match was played on officer's square between the military and civilians, each side scoring forty-eight runs. The city team included such well known players as Rutter, Hawthorn, Atherton, Sharp, Campbell, and others, and very fair bowling was put up by the Fowler brothers, Tom and Lorne. The civilians were captained by Campbell and the military by Utton.

Thursday evening there was a grand gathering of cricketers at Geo. A. Hughes' office, to form a club for the city, and the organization was completed with a success of enthusiasm that augurs well for its future success. L. C. Mansell was elected chairman and C. E. Neill, secretary. It was resolved to christen the new club "The Fredericton Cricket Club," and the following officers were elected for the current season:

His honor the lieutenant-governor, patron. His worship the mayor and A. F. Street, honorary presidents. E. H. Allen, president. H. C. Rutter and W. T. H. Penley, vice presidents. C. E. Neill, secretary-treasurer. J. H. Hawthorn, H. C. Rutter and R. S. Barker, committee of management. R. S. Barker, field captain. J. S. Campbell, vice captain. J. A. Winslow, official scorer.

A committee consisting of J. H. Hawthorn, J. S. Campbell, and R. S. Barker was appointed to prepare a constitution and bye-laws for the club, and the managing committee was authorized to purchase the necessary cricketing materials, and to wait on Col. Mansell to secure the field in the rear of the post office for practice grounds. It was announced that the colonel and officers of the R. R. C. I. will allow the use of the officers' square for match games each Saturday, and the concession was very highly appreciated by the club. After doing up the business of the evening in a prompt and satisfactory manner, the club adjourned until next Tuesday evening, same time and place.

A match game is being played this afternoon between the new club and the military.

THE NICHOLSON ESTATE.

Dominion Supreme Court Unanimously Dismisses the Grant Appeal.

The supreme court at Ottawa, Thursday afternoon dismissed the appeal of J. McGregor or Grant on R. C. Grant, executor of the Nicholson estate, from the judgment of the supreme court of New Brunswick.

In delivering judgment, the chief justice said the trustees had dealt most improperly with the trust estate, and made most improper charges against it. Judge Palmer committed a grievous error in not dismissing Major Grant, when he learned he had written an improper letter to Mrs. McLaren, threatening to destroy her father's estate from mere motives of vindictiveness. It was incomprehensible that he had been longer allowed to remain a trustee. He thought one of the young ladies should have been appointed a trustee, when Ronald Grant was appointed, and Ronald was clearly liable to dismissal for drawing a salary of \$1,500 a year as agent while he continued as trustee. He was really being paid twice over for performing the duty of trustee.

Judge Taschereau said if he could find words stronger than those used by Judge Tuck in the court below to condemn Mr. Grant's action in writing the letter to Mrs. McLaren, he would use them. Mr. Grant should have been dismissed forthwith, and he hoped for the good name of the administration of justice in New Brunswick that he would not be allowed to continue as a trustee much longer. The judgment confirms the finding of the court below, that the trustees improperly charged \$4,700 against the "spoon" matches, the first match to be held on the 19th inst. The annual match of the association will be held on the week previous to the P. R. A. meeting. A resolution was passed to affiliate with the P. R. A. All matches are to be shot with the Martin rifle.

The Fredericton park association at its meeting Monday evening, elected the following officers for the current year: F. P. Thompson, president; D. F. George, vice-president; W. T. Flewelling, secretary; Mayor Beckwith, J. M. Wiley, M. Tennant, Hamilton McKee, C. H. Thomas, A. N. LaForest, R. A. Estey, Isaac Peabody and J. A. Edwards, directors.

Much Needed Improvement.—The Fredericton board of trade has recommended to the board of the Woodstock stock board soliciting the co-operation of the latter body in securing a liberal expenditure of public money on the river St. John between Woodstock and Fredericton. The Woodstock board also directs attention to the fact that very large quantities of products of this section would find a ready and more profitable market if easier access were had to the markets and cheaper rates of transportation secured to St. John than are now afforded by the single line of railway, the rates on which from Woodstock to St. John are excessive as compared with their rates from points in Ontario and Quebec to St. John.

The Fredericton board have been agitating for this very improvement to the river channel between here and Woodstock for some two years, and it is about time the dominion government were giving their attention to the matter.

A Proposed Park.

It is stated that E. H. Wilnot and G. E. Fenety are negotiating with the estate of the late senator O'Dell for the purchase of the tract of land extending from Smyth street (in continuation of Charlotte) up to the O'Dell lane leading to the old homestead and from government house road back to the grounds of the Fredericton driving park, embracing some thirty acres, in the centre of which is situated what is well known as the Prince of Wales fountain, for the purpose of a public park to be used by the citizens of Fredericton, and the sum offered is said to be equal if not away beyond its assessed value. The sum proposed had been submitted to John Black, the Fredericton agent of the O'Dell property, and it now remains for the estate to accept or reject the offer. All purchase money will be provided by Mr. Wilnot. It is not only the money to be laid out in the purchase, but Mr. Wilnot intends to expend a large amount in the improvement of the park before handing it over.

Wedding Balls.

Wm. A. Stairs and Miss M. Fox, both of Southampton, were married at Woodstock on the 20th ult., Rev. J. Noble performing the ceremony.

Woodstock Sensation.

The citizens of Woodstock have had a fruitful theme for discussion ever since October last, when it is alleged a personal collision occurred between two well known women of that town, in a Bangor dining room in which one of the participants came off with a black eye. The outcome was a suit at law for assault, and the matter is now being tried in the court before Judge Hanington. J. C. Hartley, who is conducting the case for the plaintiffs, alleges that on the 11th of October last there was an excursion from Woodstock to Bangor; that among the passengers were Mr. and Mrs. Manzer and Mrs. Marcy; that while the party were in the Bangor dining room Mrs. Manzer, one of the defendants, assaulted the plaintiff, Mrs. Marcy, striking her in the eye. It is alleged that Mrs. Marcy was so injured by the assault that she was obliged to go to a hospital and to secure expert medical attendance. Three thousand dollars damages are claimed for the injury and three hundred dollars are asked by Mr. Marcy for the loss of his wife's services during her illness resulting from the assault. Mrs. Marcy, the plaintiff, was the first witness. She narrated the circumstances leading up to the alleged assault in the Bangor dining room. She went into the restaurant there and up to the circular counter. There she saw Mrs. Manzer, who looked at her "very contemptuously." As she came up to Mrs. Manzer the latter raised her right hand and struck her (the plaintiff) in the eye and "knocked her dizzy." She then staggered into the ladies' waiting-room, and during the following morning she applied arnica to the eye. When she got to Bangor her eye was very much swollen, and was beginning to become discolored. When she came home from Bangor she consulted Dr. Hand, and afterwards went to Toronto and consulted a specialist. Her eye was then somewhat better, but she still suffered intense pain.

Mrs. Marcy, the plaintiff, told her story as to the assault. She explained that the cause of Mr. Manzer's dislike to her arose over an incident occurring in Mrs. Manzer's store when she went with two friends to get some silk matched. They could not get the silk matched and she (Mrs. Marcy) advised her friends to send to Manchester, Robertson & Allison's and get some samples. Mr. Manzer said he could have sold the silk "except for prejudice." After that when she (Mrs. Marcy) bowed to Mrs. Manzer going into the Albert street Baptist church, Mrs. Manzer did not return the bow.

J. S. Marcy, the other plaintiff, and husband of the former witness, next gave testimony, corroborating to a great extent what his wife had said. Miss Kate Estabrook said she saw the plaintiff and defendant on the excursion to Bangor. On the train after it left Bangor, Mrs. Marcy showed her eye which looked red. Mrs. John Loane testified that she was on the train. She saw the plaintiff after she left Bangor, and her eye was red and a little inflamed. Mrs. Weeks said she was at the time of the alleged assault, employed at the lunch counter in the Bangor restaurant. She was attending the counter at the time of the alleged assault, but saw nothing of the affair as explained by Mrs. Marcy. Mrs. Marcy came to her after the affair and asked her if she saw the lady strike her with an umbrella. She said no, she did not. Yesterday the jury, after an absence of fifteen minutes, brought in a verdict for the defendant, thus exonerating Mrs. Manzer from the charge brought against her.

New Brunswickers in the West.

[From the Kaslo Times, B. C.] The Times today places in the foremost position the name of John Fred Hume as its candidate for the representation of the South Riding of West Kootenay at the forthcoming election. Mr. Hume was the choice of the convention held at Nelson on Saturday last, and will be elected. The district will be worthily represented by one who has lived in the district for any length of time, are unacquainted with Fred Hume, he is a New Brunswicker by birth, but has resided in West Kootenay for the past ten years, and is interested in every part of it. He will be controlled by no local prejudices but will represent impartially every precinct within the constituency. Few are more vitally interested in its prosperity than he is. Foremost in his work for the promotion of the material property of the entire district, his investments are various and widespread. He is public spirited, honest and intelligent. While the election of Mr. Hume is assured, no fair means should be omitted to secure an overwhelming majority in his behalf. A vigorous campaign will be prosecuted. It will be a campaign of principles, as well as of power of the willful and reckless mistakes of an incompetent government.

Personal Mention.

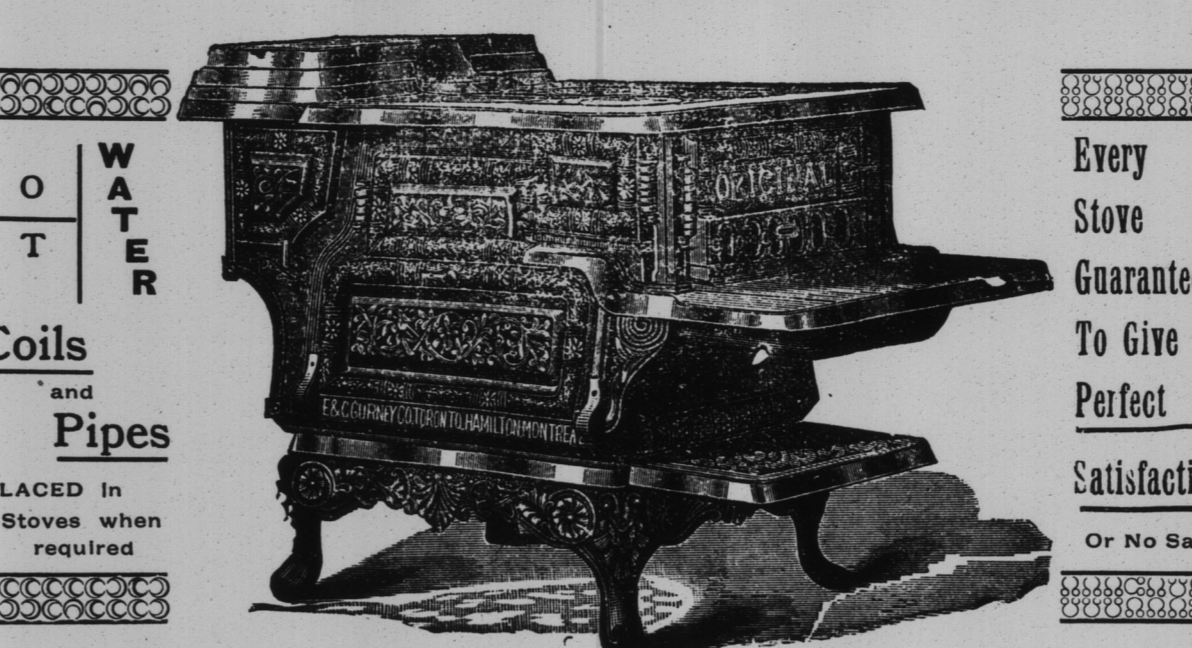
Hon. Speaker Burrell was at the Queen this week. W. G. Clarke and his bride are home from their wedding trip. Mrs. A. S. Murray returned Wednesday from her trip to Boston. Elijah Clarke is suffering from the effects of a recent paralytic stroke. Mr. Taylor, the new manager of the bank of B. N. A. here, arrived yesterday. Sir Leonard and Lady Tilley returned to St. John to-day from a visit to Ottawa. Sir John Allen's condition is not reassuring to his friends. He is showing increasing weakness. J. A. Ruel, C. E. of Gibson, is surveying the proposed extension of the C. E. railway to Black Brook. Dr. Inch, supt. of education, spent Sunday in Sackville, and returned home Wednesday, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. S. W. Hutton. Mr. and Mrs. George E. Fenety, Miss Fenety and Walter Fenety left yesterday morning on a trip to Boston and other American cities. Col. Mansell, Capt. Hemming and Lieut. Macdonnell left for Toronto to-day to attend the meeting of military men with General Herbert. A Sisson Thompson, who ranks among the leading journalists of Chicago, has been here this week visiting his mother, Mrs. George Thompson, Brunswick street. Rev. Mr. Falconer, of Halifax, is here, the guest of Prof. Davidson at the university, and will address the students tomorrow afternoon.

Thomas H. Flood, the well known patent leather tanner, who for some years has been employed at Simmonds' tannery, left this morning for St. John, where he has accepted a situation.

R. M. Napier, son of the former manager of the bank of B. N. A. in Fredericton, was married last night at Winnipeg to Miss Smith of that city. He is on the staff of the bank of Montreal.

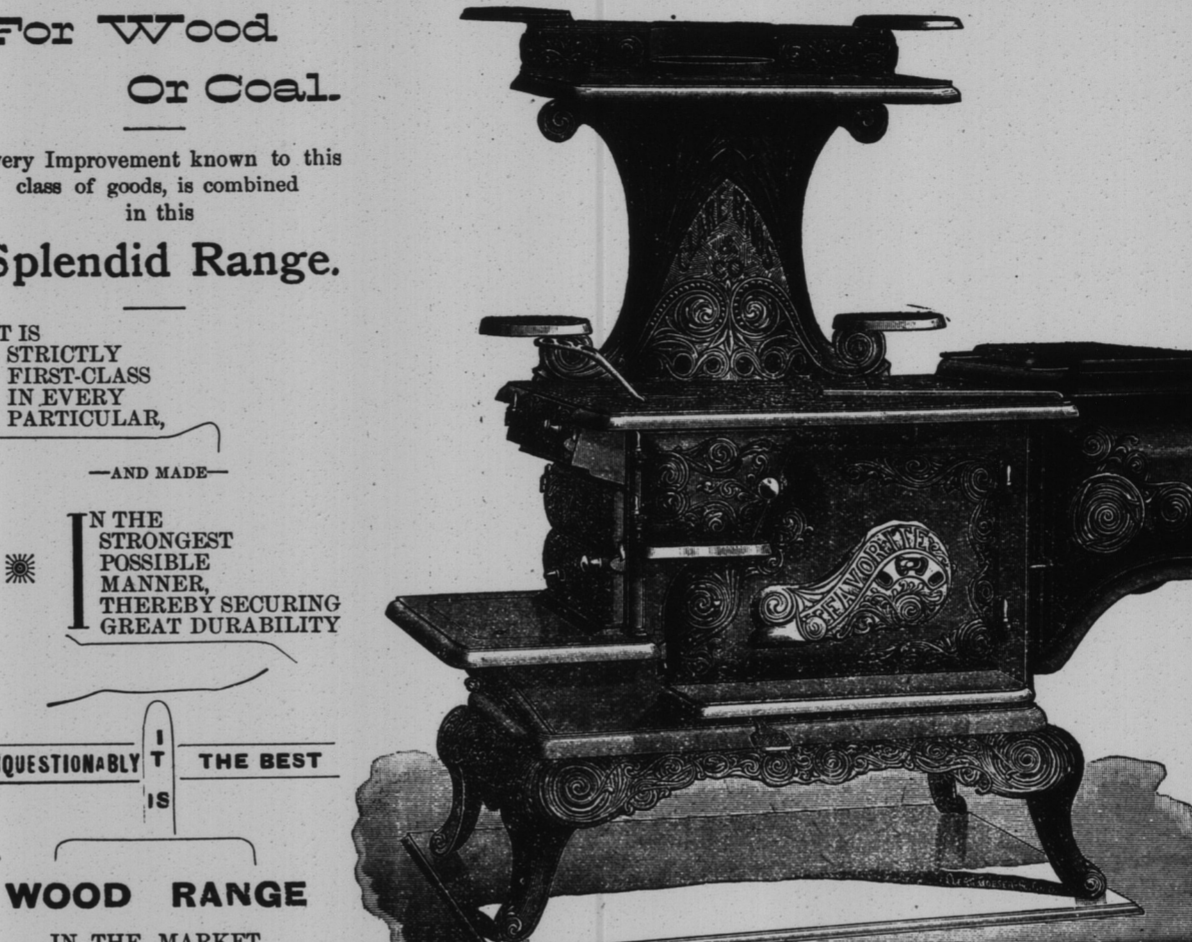
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PROVINCIAL NEWS.

Darius L. Martin, of Deer Island, Charlotte Co., had a desperate fight for his life with a 500 pound sow recently. The sow had a litter of fourteen pigs, and fearing that she might trample some of them to death, he removed them. Subsequently a fifteenth appeared. Evidently thinking that this one was to be taken from her, too, she made a desperate onslaught on Mr. Martin when he entered the pen. She drove her tusks in his breast and threw him down. Then, standing over him, she made a desperate attempt to seize his throat. He protected his throat by his arm, and when he recovered a little strength, kicked off his antagonist, and leaped out of the pen as quickly as he could.

The St. John Workman, organ of the labor element, has suspended publication. C. R. Coker, late inspector of hulls at St. John, died Thursday. He was an Englishman. At McAdam, Saturday, Fred W. Kimball of Sutton, while tending a watch, got one of his feet badly crushed. The name of Rev. Dr. Macrae of St. John, has been mentioned in connection with the vacant chair in Pine Hill theological college at Halifax.

Mr. Blanchard, the government nominee, was elected to the house of commons in Gloucester, Saturday, by nearly 300 majority over Mr. Doucet, independent conservative. A pilgrimage under the auspices of St. Bernard's church, Moncton, will proceed to St. Anne, Quebec, about June 25. Father Meahan has completed the necessary arrangements.

Harry E. Harrison of Marguerville, is at the Victoria hospital for treatment. A cut on his hand became inoculated with the virus from a horse that had scratches and blood poisoning is feared. At St. John Thursday, inspector of hulls, Olive, made an inspection of the new steamer Aberdeen, the new river boat, and found her satisfactory, and in every way up to the requirements.

A Sussex correspondent writes that three new factories are to be started outside of Sussex. One at Waterford, near McAfes; one at Newton, on Smith's creek; and another at Jeffrey's corner, on new line of road.

Adam Shirreff, who was formerly an active man of business in Chatham, died at his home in Cambridgeport last Sunday. Mr. Shirreff was born in Chatham about sixty years ago, and was a brother of the sheriff of Northumberland. Woodstock is to have a third weekly newspaper, and T. C. L. Ketchum and Charles Appleby are its promoters. They have purchased the St. John Workman plant, and a job press and necessary type for a general printing office. The new paper will appear early in June, and will be called the Carleton Leader.

While attending a rehearsal in the rink of Miss Ganong's physical culture class, St. Stephen, on Tuesday afternoon, Miss Florence Mitchell, daughter of the provincial secretary, fell from the band stand to the promenade floor below, a distance of ten or twelve feet. Beyond the shock Miss Mitchell happily escaped without injury.

The village of Havelock, Kings county, is greatly excited over several robberies which have been perpetrated there recently. Three times the general store of C. I. Keith was broken into, and each time considerable quantities of goods were taken. Suspicion points towards three young men, Robert Connors, Geo. Young and Wm. Alward.

The butter factory at Memramcook has just been opened under the management of Mr. McLaughlin. New and improved machinery from Toronto has been placed in position, and the factory is now one of the best equipped in the province. Butter will be made until about the middle of June. After that date the manufacture of cheese will be begun.

The queer things related by the author of the extracts from the Arizona Kicker are not all imaginary, says the Chatham World. The Fredericton Reporter, for instance, whose editor is a member of the legislature, editorially speaks of what 'we said in the house,' and the Bathurst Courier suspended publication to enable the editor to devote all his time to conversing for Mr. Donnet. Most of the funny imaginings of the comic author of the Arizona Kicker are quite possible in real newspaperdom.

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