

**LOCAL NEWS**

**AT TURKS ISLAND**

The British Bark Edna M. Smith, Capt. Road, arrived at Barbados on April 7th in ballast from Buenos Ayres. She will load salt at Turk's Island for Portland, Me.

**RETURNED FROM BOSTON**

Mrs. W. S. Carter and her daughter Mrs. Hanbury of Brandon, (Man.) arrived in St. John Saturday after Easter in Boston. They returned home last evening.

**FLOUR ADVANCES**

Manitoba patents have advanced ten cents per barrel and Ontario patents twenty-five cents per barrel. These advances in flour were announced this morning.

If you want to save money go to the store of G. R. Thompsons. St. Mary's—Special sale of Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Floor Oilcloth, Lace Curtains, Window Blinds. All goods we carry at reduced price.—m.t.d.

**FUNERAL AT FRENCH VILLAGE.**

The funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Goodine of French Village, took place this morning. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

**LATE MRS. MABEL A. WESTON.**

The remains of the late Mrs. Mabel Agatha Weston, wife of Mr. John Weston of this city, whose death occurred at Victoria Public Hospital on Sunday, were sent by C.P.R., last night to Albert, Albert County, where interment is to be made today.

**LATE MRS. MEDLEY FLETCHER.**

The funeral of the late Mrs. Medley Fletcher took place this afternoon from her late residence. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith at 1.30, the remains being taken to New Maryland for interment.

**LECTURES BEFORE ENGINEERS**

Mr. C. E. Dodwell of Halifax, resident engineer for the Department of Public Works at that place is registered at the Queen Hotel. At 4.30 this afternoon he will lecture before the Engineering society of the University of New Brunswick on "Harbours."

**OKANOGAN TO NEW BRUNSWICK**

John E. Peaver has brought through Alfred Burley and Co., of St. John a 200 acre farm in Scotch Settlement. Mr. Peaver was formerly in the Okanogan Valley district of British Columbia, but he is of the opinion that New Brunswick offers a better future than the Pacific coast.

**INVITATIONS ISSUED**

Invitations to the informal dance which will be given Tuesday, April 23rd at 8 o'clock p. m. in the College Gymnasium have been issued by the Engineering Students of the University of New Brunswick. The Chaperones will be Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. J. Stephens, Mrs. C. McInnis and Mrs. Stiles, Mr. Harry Parker is secretary.

**THE CATHEDRAL CHIMES**

The ladies of the Cathedral congregation will hold a reception in the Legislative Library on Friday evening from eight to ten o'clock. It will be under the patronage of Lieutenant Governor Wood and the proceeds will go towards restoring the Cathedral chimes. O'Brien's orchestra will furnish music and refreshments will be served.

**DEATH AT NASHWAAK VILLAGE.**

The death of Daniel Manzer occurred yesterday at his home Nashwaak Village at the advanced age of seventy-seven years. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock from the late residence of the deceased. The service will take place at the Methodist Church conducted by Rev. Mr. Hood and Rev. Mr. Chown. Interment will be made at Nashwaak Village.

**LATE WILLIAM WHITE.**

The funeral of the late William White took place this afternoon from his late home, Marysville, and was largely attended, many friends taking the opportunity to pay a last tribute of respect to the deceased, who was one of Marysville's best known citizens. The funeral service was conducted at the late residence of the deceased, Morrison street, by Rev. W. Williams. Interment was made in the Baptist cemetery, Marysville.

**NEW SETTLERS TODAY**

A record family will arrive at St. John today by the steamer Corsican to settle in this province when Mr. and Mrs. Wilton will land with their eleven children. In the advance sheets this family is described as "Mr. and Mrs. Wilton, George Arthur, Edward, Nellie and seven smaller." They are all going to a farm on the Washadomok owned by a St. John man Mr. Bowdler, the provincial representative in London, will look after the new arrivals and large parties are expected on all the three boats due the Corsican, Saturnia and Montrose.

**CELEBRATED FIFTY YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE**

Residence of Mr. and Mrs. Elias T. White at Marysville the Scene of a Very Enjoyable Gathering on Monday Evening

**THE WORTHY COUPLE WERE WARMLY CONGRATULATED**

Mr. and Mrs. Elias T. White of Marysville, yesterday completed fifty years of happy wedded life and the members of their family, along with other relatives and friends, joined heartily with them in a joyous celebration of the unique event. To live together as man and wife for half a century and to raise a family of eight sons and daughters who have all made good in their chosen sphere is the record of Mr. and Mrs. White and it is one which they have every reason to be proud of.

It was on April 15th, 1862, that Miss Nancy Peterson of Oromocto, one of most comely young women of her time in this section, became the wife of Elias T. White, a husky youth of twenty-three summers. The ceremony was performed at Marysville by Rev. Jonathan Parsons, a Free Baptist clergyman, in the presence of a number of guests, only one of whom, Mrs. O. Peterson of Marysville, is now in the land of the living. The happy couple took up house-keeping at Marysville and have continued to reside there. A family of four sons and five daughters were born to them, one of the latter dying in infancy. The others were all present yesterday at the golden wedding, most of them having journeyed from points in the United States to honor their father and mother. The members of the family are Mrs. M. E. Ellis of Woonsocket, R.I.; Mrs. Harry Phelps of Worcester, Mass.; Mrs. William Tracy of Springfield, Mass.; Mrs. O. R. Couch of Pittsfield, Mass.; Alexander, Alfred and Milburn White of Marysville, and Frank White of Providence, R.I. Of a total of fifteen grandchildren twelve were present at the celebration.

At two o'clock there was an anniversary dinner for the members of the family and grandchildren. The only other guests were Mrs. O. Peterson, the only person now living who was present at the marriage of the couple, and Rev. Mr. Williams, pastor of the Baptist church. An elaborate repast was served and the affair passed off very pleasantly.

**PUBLIC RECEPTION.**

In the evening Mr. and Mrs. White held a public reception which was attended by nearly one hundred persons from Marysville, Fredericton and other places. The worthy couple received their guests in the parlor and were assisted by members of the family. Congratulations and good wishes were in order and the evening passed very pleasantly. An orchestra furnished music and there were several vocal selections by the Nashwaakis quartette. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Allan White, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Webb, Mrs. David Pugh, Mr. C. L. Tracy, Mr. Alfred Rowley, Judge Wilson, Ex-Warden McNally, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Elbridge Staples, Major and Mrs. W. H. Grey, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Smith, Rev. Mr. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Hallett, Mr. W. H. Allen and many others.

At the conclusion of the reception all repaired to the dining-room, where refreshments were served.

**MANY PRESENTS.**

The bride and groom of half a century ago were the recipients of a number of valuable presents, including a purse of gold from Marysville friends. Just before the pleasant gathering dispersed His Honor Judge Wilson made a few happy remarks, tendering hearty congratulations on behalf of the company and extending best wishes. He paid a glowing tribute to Mr. and Mrs. White and trusted that they would be spared for many years.

Mr. White replied in a brief speech, in which he returned thanks to all who had assisted in honoring himself and his better half. He mentioned the fact that when they were married the United States was in the throes of an awful civil war, times were hard and the chances for earning a livelihood were not nearly so good as they are today. Still they had boldly faced the problem, had brought up a large family and he thought that they had got along as well as most people. He was proud of his sons and daughters who had travelled hundreds of miles to do honor to their parents, and he was grateful to all the kind friends who had assisted in making the celebration a success.

The pleasant gathering was brought to a close at ten o'clock by the singing of "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" and "Auld Lang Syne."

**SEVERAL APPLY FOR POSITION OF PUBLICITY AGENT**

Applications were Considered by Publicity Committee Last Night—Appointment will Probably be Made Friday

**EXPERIENCED MEN AMONG THOSE MAKING APPLICATION**

The Publicity Committee was in session last night and considered the names of a number of applicants for the position of Publicity and Industrial Agent. The committee, after discussing several matters, decided to adjourn until Friday evening next, when it is probable that the appointment will be made with the understanding that the appointee is to enter at once upon his duties.

**MEN OF EXPERIENCE.**

It is understood that several of the names which have been under consideration are those of men who have had extensive experience in publicity work and who would prove satisfactory. The committee is in search of further information however, and will not take action before obtaining it. The number of applicants includes local men in addition to others from various parts of the province.

The question of salary will probably be decided at a later date when other details are worked out.

**PARLOR CONCERT**

The Ladies Missionary Aid Society of the George Street Baptist Church plan to hold a parlor concert at the home of Mrs. S. A. Pugh, York Street, Wednesday evening April 17th at 8 o'clock. The program will consist of the following numbers: Selection—Orchestra Solo—Mrs Good Selection—The Arion Quartette Solo—Mrs Waite Reading—Miss Lyns Violin Duet—Misses Jackson and Jewett. Solo—Mr. Cooper Mixed Quartette—Mesdames Good and Smith; Messrs Harrison and Cooper. Selection—Orchestra The admission to the concert will be twenty-five cents.

**FREDERICTON MAN'S FIANCEE ONE OF TITANIC'S PASSENGERS**

Daughter of Mark Fortune, Winnipeg Engaged to Charles H. Allen, Son of Dr. T. C. Allen of This City

**FAMILY RETURNING AFTER WINTERING IN EGYPT**

Dr. T. C. Allen, registrar of the Supreme Court, last evening received a telegram from his son, Mr. Charles H. Allen of Winnipeg, to the effect that Miss Fortune of Winnipeg, fiancée of Mr. Allen, was a saloon passenger aboard the White Star liner Titanic, the sinking of which was the result of a collision with an iceberg has been one of the greatest marine disasters of all time. Nothing definite is yet known concerning the fate of the young lady and word is anxiously awaited both by Dr. Allen in this city and his son in Winnipeg.

**HAD WINTERED IN EGYPT.**

The list of saloon passengers on the Titanic which was published in the morning papers today, include the names of Mark Fortune, his wife, three daughters and son. Mr. Fortune resides in Winnipeg and is a well known millionaire. He and his family were returning to Canada after passing the winter in Egypt.

**PROBABLY SAFE.**

Dr. Allen this morning received a telegram from Halifax, stating that details concerning the disaster were lacking, but that it was believed that heavy loss of life had taken place. Early this afternoon a press despatch was received here which stated that out of 350 saloon passengers on the ill-fated steamer 318 had been saved. This would seem to indicate that the chance is that Mr. Fortune and his family is saved.

A press despatch from Cape Race, received later in the day, states that Miss Alice Fortune, Miss Lucille Fortune and Mrs. Fortune are all safe on the steamer. Miss Alice Fortune is the lady to whom Mr. Allen is engaged.

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If he's politics it's for pie. If he's out of politics, you can't place him, and he's no good for his country.  
If he does not give to charity, he's a stingy cuss.  
If he does, it's for show.  
If he is actively religious, he is a hypocrite.  
If he takes no interest in religion, he's a hardened sinner.  
If he shows affection, he's a soft specimen.  
If he seems to care for no one, he is cold blooded.  
If he dies young, there was a great future ahead of him.  
If he lives to old age, he has missed his calling.  
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