

RAILWAYS NEVER WERE HARDER HIT

NO REPORTS FROM ANY INCOMING TRAINS

Lines Drift Full as Soon as
Plowed Out—C. N. R. Start-
ed Two Trains Out
Today.

The greatest storm ever known in years struck this section yesterday. The railways are very hard hit. All trains on the C. N. R. have been cancelled on account of the storm with the exception of two trains one to Newcastle and the other to St. John this morning. R. Z. Walker, assistant superintendent of the C. N. R. said it was the worst storm in this vicinity known in the history of railwaymen. The plows on the railways are of absolutely no use the snow filling in again as rapidly as it is cleared away.

The Fredericton & Grand Lake Railway reports the same as the other railways no train service being available on account of the terrific storm. A plow may go over the line today.

The C. P. R. is reported in just as bad a fix as the others. A train left this morning for Fredericton Junction though the main line is believed to be in a terrible condition. The Woodstock train was cancelled this morning.

There are no reports from incoming trains. Schools in Fredericton were given one session today.

The street plows were out early but the work was hard and accomplished slowly.

From Grand Manan

The Department of Health today received but one report of influenza. Grand Manan reported forty cases on that island of which fifteen are convalescing.

Case Was Dismissed

The prohibition case against a resident of New Maryland postponed to yesterday afternoon till the plaintiff in the case secured counsel was dismissed by the magistrate on account of insufficient evidence.

Greatly Improved

Chief Rideout of the Moncton police is reported today as being greatly improved. He has been ill from a severe cold, as a result of which he has been confined to his home since Saturday last.

Rothsay Team Quarantined

The Rothsay Collegiate School hockey team has been quarantined according to information received by Manager George Beatty of the Arctic Rink. No interscholastic game therefore will be played after the U. N. B. and Acadia teams have played their game tonight.

Referee Is Snowbound

Frank Brown of Moncton well known in years gone by as a hockey player is slated to referee the U. N. B.-Acadia game at the Arctic Rink tonight. He has not reached Fredericton however being snowbound at St. John. It is doubtful if a train will come from St. John before the game and a local referee may have to be used.

Completed Business

The Provincial Government completed its business this morning in time for the majority of the members to leave for St. John by the train the C. P. R. sent out. Yesterday afternoon the Board of Education met and considered routine matters. A delegation of teachers appeared before the government and asked that the rate of teachers' pensions be increased. Here before the maximum has been \$400 per annum and the minimum \$150. Consideration was promised W. J. S. Myles of St. John and Dr. B. C. Foster and A. S. McFarlane of Fredericton composed the delegation.

New Disease Among Cattle

A cow, belonging to Mr. Worden Hillman of Belvisor, York County, was taken with a very peculiar disease last week, the symptoms of which are unheard of in this part of the country. She was giving ten quarts of milk night and morning. Suddenly she stopped milking and the udder began to swell. Her nose turned black and became covered with a wart-like excrescence which spread rapidly. Her eyes took on a queer look and began to run a yellowish water. Some days she would drink three or four pails of water; other days she would not drink at all. Mr. Hillman kept her several days to see if possible what would be the outcome; but when the udder swelled to three or four times its usual size he killed her to put her out of her suffering, although he valued her at \$100. No one ever saw a case like it before and no one knew what to do for her.

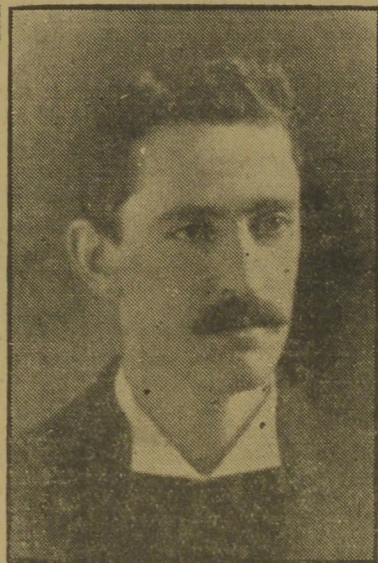
ALD. J. A. REID A CANDIDATE FOR THE MAYORALTY—ALDERMANIC TICKET IN SUPPORT ARRANGED

Mayorality Candidate Gave His Consent Last Night—Largely Signed Requisition Presented to Him—Has Been in City Council Seven Years and as Chairman of Finance Committee Has Performed Excellent Service—Three Aldermanic Candidates on Ticket Certain—Others to Give Answer.

Civic politics in Fredericton which displayed pronounced quietness, took on activity last evening when it was announced that Ald. J. A. Reid had consented to be a candidate for the mayorality on condition that a full ticket of five aldermen also be placed in the field. Ald. Reid took this action as the result of a largely signed requisition being presented to him. This requisition was signed by a large number of citizens representative of all classes.

Prospective Ticket

The prospective aldermanic ticket



ALD. J. A. REID
Mayorality Candidate

announced as in support of Ald. Reid is as follows:

King's Ward—J. Stewart Neill.
Queen's Ward—George H. Clark.
Carleton Ward—W. B. McLellan.
St. Ann's Ward—Ald. F. L. Cooper.
Wellington Ward—R. B. VanDine.

The candidature of Messrs McLellan and Van Dine is not certain yet. Mr. McLellan is out of the city but Mr. VanDine is expected to give his reply today.

The entire ticket as announced is strong and is well received among the citizens. Ald. Cooper is the only al-

dermanic candidate who has served previously at the City Council.

Byelection Probability

The nomination of Ald. J. A. Reid for mayor creates a vacancy in King's Ward. This will necessitate a bye-election which it is believed will not take place at the time of the civic election March 8th.

The nomination of Mr. Neill makes a contest in King's Ward likely as Thomas F. Blizzard was nominated in that Ward some time ago.

General Nomination

The nomination of Ald. Reid and a full aldermanic ticket is not the work of any fixed organization in the city but is the result of a general desire among citizens that the City Council be as strong a body as possible as the next two years are to be important in the history and development of Fredericton.

The Mayorality Nominee

Ald. J. A. Reid the mayorality nominee is vice president and manager of the Hart Boot & Shoe Company. He is a native of Cookshire, Que., and came to Fredericton to take a position with the Hart Company some fifteen years ago. Since becoming a resident of Fredericton he has taken a prominent part in the activities of the Board of Trade of which he is now president. He has represented King's Ward in the City Council for 7 years and as chairman of the Finance Committee has rendered the city signal service. He also is a member of the York Commercial Club.

Aldermanic Candidates

J. Stewart Neill is a member of J. S. Neill & Sons and of Fredericton Motor Sales Limited. G. H. Clark is with J. Clark & Son Limited. W. B. McLellan is a member of The Palmer-McLellan Shoe Company Limited. Ald. F. L. Cooper has been an alderman for two years and is in the insurance business. R. B. VanDine is a boot and shoe merchant.

Privilege Withdrawn

The half-fare privilege which the Canadian Government Railways had in the past extended to the clergy was withdrawn on February 1st.

A BIG SNAP TO SCHOOL TEACHERS

We have about two dozen Ladies O Size Hunting Cased Watches fitted with Waltham and Omega and Elgin Movements, which we will sell at prices ranging from 25 to 50 per cent. off. Every one guaranteed.

SHUTE & CO.

THE STORE WITH THE STOCK.

CARPETS AND RUGS

It is not too early for you to select your floor coverings for spring. Stocks will not be larger and the variety will be limited.

OUR STOCK is now quite complete and we have some extra nice patterns. Let us show you these goods and reserve for you the goods you need.

Colwell & Jennings

THE HOUSE FURNISHER

Store Closes at 6 p. m. Saturdays during January, Feb. and March

EDGECOMBE'S Ready-to-Wear Department

Our First Showing of NEW SPRING COATS, NEW SPRING SUITS,
NEW SPRING DRESSES.

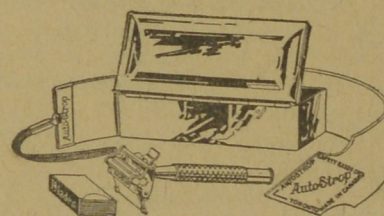
Garments Right Up to the Last Minute for Style.

Notwithstanding the scarcity of materials we have been successful in securing a good collection of the Latest New York Models.

Don't fail to see these goods and make an early choice.

Fred. B. Edgecombe Co., Ltd.

The February Delineator and March Fashion Sheets are here.



AUTO STROP SAFETY RAZOR

A CLEAN SHARP BLADE FOR EVERY SHAVE

If there is any pleasure to shaving, you get it in an AUTO STROP RAZOR. First, because there's always a sharp blade ready for use—a few turns on the Strop brings it back to its professional keenness. Secondly, because there's no fussing with parts after shaving; and thirdly because a simple adjustment makes it possible for to shave as closely or as lightly as you wish.

COMPLETE WITH RAZOR, STROP AND 12 BLADES, \$5.00

James S. Neill & Sons, Ltd.

FREDERICTON'S BIG HARDWARE STORE

Our store will close at 6 p. m. every Saturday during January, February and March.

WHEN YOU THINK SHOES THINK CAMPBELL'S

FEBRUARY SHOE SALE

During this month we are placing on sale a number of broken lines at PRE-WAR PRICES.

This week we show

LADIES BUTTONED and LACED BOOTS

All Sizes. Your Opportunity.

= H. S. CAMPBELL =
SHOEMAN Cor. York and Queen Sts.

WHEN YOU THINK SHOES THINK CAMPBELL'S

KITCHEN BOUQUET

is unequalled for flavoring and coloring gravies, stews and soups, etc.

WINE OF RENNET for making sweet curd, junket, cheesecake, etc.

JUNKET TABLETS for delicious desserts.

HANSEN'S DAINTY COLORS for desserts.

C. H. BURTT

322 QUEEN STREET
Confectionery of All Kinds

BOWLING

—AT THE—
PALACE ALLEYS

CARLETON STREET
The 5 Best and Fastest Alleys in the Province.

3 nice prizes given away at the Weekly Roll-off every Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Beer and cigars.

Follow the crowd. All go to the Palace Alleys.