

SNOW STORM WELCOMED BY WOODSMEN

Eight Inches of Snow Greatly Improves the Travel — Hauling in Lumber Woods Will Begin Shortly.

Eight inches of snow, about the heaviest fall of the winter so far, fell last night in this vicinity and over much of the Province. The fall was welcomed by all who wish to haul heavy loads on runners. The woodsmen are included in the number as hauling on lumber operations will start in the near future. Up to the present time the quantity of snow was hardly enough for good hauling but in the woods it was not wanted as yarding was the operation under way.

Crews Returning to Camp.

The Christmas vacation for the woodsmen is now approaching its close and the majority have returned to their camps. The rest will get in this week or early next and by next week hauling will be well under way. This generally marks a definite stage in logging operations and if carried out rapidly and without interruption means considerable in the profits.

Tractors in Use.

Tractors are now in more general use in the lumber woods of New Brunswick than they were a few years ago. In some sections where tractors were introduced several years ago they were subjected to such hard usage that they went to pieces and were discarded in favor of horses. In addition to going to pieces there was the trouble of getting spare parts and mechanics who could make repairs. This winter the tractors are being operated more effectively and carefully and are proving their worth. The horses, however, still have their place and can do work that a tractor cannot. Heavy hauling on a good road is the long suit of the tractor.

Very heavy steam-tractors as large as small locomotives were used some winters ago but were not successful.

CITY AFFAIRS

Mid-Week Market

There was a very small market at Phoenix Square this morning. Prevailing prices were as follows: Beef, 6 to 7 cents lb.; eggs, 70 cents dozen; butter, 40 cents lb.; chicken, 40 cents lb.; Milwaukee apples, \$2.50 barrel.

Nearing Completion.

Globe: The main survey in connection with the proposed development of Meductic Rapids will be completed about the middle of January, it was reported at the offices of the N. B. Hydro Commission, today.

License at St. Stephen.

On the recommendation of Chief Inspector W. L. McFarlane a retail license under the Intoxicating Liquor Act, 1916, to end October 31, 1927, has been granted to John M. Waterson, St. Stephen druggist.

New Tea Company.

McDonald Tea Company, Limited, is incorporated with head office at Saint John and capital stock of forty-nine thousand dollars. Those incorporated are Charles Holden McDonald, Rose Catherine Phillips and Cyrus F. Inches all of Saint John.

Bonds Wanted.

A notice appearing in the Halifax newspapers, signed by the Royal Trust Company calls for bonds of the Fredericton Electric Company, sufficient to exhaust the sum of \$18,792.22, held for sinking fund purposes. The price is not to exceed 105 per cent of the face amount of such bonds with accrued interest.

Wedded at St. John.

The marriage of Mr. J. Stanley Scott the well known pulpwood dealer of this city and son of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Scott, to Miss Clement V. Fenton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Fenton was solemnized this afternoon at St. Jude's Church, Saint John West. Only relatives and immediate friends made up the list of invited guests. The happy couple are leaving this evening on a honeymoon trip to Montreal, Boston and New York. Upon their return they will begin housekeeping in the Randolph apartments, Church street. The numerous friends of the popular young couple will join in extending congratulations.

ZEALAND PROHIBITION CASE HEARD

As an aftermath of some Prohibition cases which were tried about the time of Hallowe'en, William Noble of Zealand was arrested Tuesday by Sub-Inspector J. Duff King and brought here for trial. This morning he was charged in the police court with violating the Intoxicating Liquor Act 1916 by selling liquor. Noble acknowledged the offence and was given a remand until this afternoon for judgment.

The case against Noble resulted from information secured by the Prohibition officials in previous cases from Zealand and vicinity.

Grace Marjorie Jones.

Woodstock Press: The death occurred in Saint John on Monday, following a short illness of pneumonia, of little Grace Marjorie Jones, the six year old daughter of the late Wendell R. Jones and Mrs. Jones. The late Mr. Jones died when the little girl was an infant and since that time, she and her mother have resided with an uncle, Mr. A. W. Petch in Saint John. She has frequently visited at the home of her grandparents, Hon. W. P. Jones and Mrs. Jones here, and as she was a particularly bright and attractive child, was beloved by all.

At Boy's Parliament

The constituency of York-Sunbury is represented as follows in the Maritime Boys' Parliament now meeting at Sackville: Fredericton I., Harold Murray, George Street, Fredericton; Fredericton II., George Foster, 428 King street, Fredericton; York Co., Carl Watson, North Devon; Sunbury Co., Arthur Cleland, McAdam.

Strickland Property Sold

The Harvey Strickland property in Saint John street between King and Brunswick streets, was sold at public auction today under order from the Chancery Court. It was bid in for \$775 by J. J. F. Winslow, K. C. There are many heirs to the property and the final shares will not be of great value.

WILL GRAVEL ROAD THROUGH LR. ST. MARY'S

Seven Miles to Sewell's Wharf — Marysville Bridge Also to be Repaired — Tenders are Invited.

WILL GRAVEL had... N... N... Hon. D. A. Stewart, Minister of Public Works, is calling for tenders for Acker Creek Bridge Superstructure, Parish of Brighton, Carleton County. The superstructure is to be of metal.

Repairs to Marysville Bridge.

The same department is calling for tenders for lumber for the Marysville Bridge. Four-inch black spruce deal and four-by-six material is wanted. Flooring and other parts are to be repaired.

To Gravel Road.

The Highway Branch of the same department is calling for tenders for graveling seven miles of highway in York and Sunbury Counties. The work is on the Fredericton-Sussex Highway from Mouth of Nashwaak to Turn of Road at Sewell's Wharf.

Now a Pro. Skater.

Walter Jackson is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson, of this city, recovering from an attack of influenza. Mr. Jackson is now a professional ice skater and barrel jumper and in the last four years has given exhibitions in all the principal cities and towns in the United States. He has also appeared in St. John, N. B., St. Stephen and towns in Nova Scotia. In the near future Mr. Jackson will leave for Boston and thereabouts, where he will fill his engagements for the season.

Minister Left For Saint John.

Hon. P. J. Veniot, Postmaster General, after being in conference here all day Tuesday with a large number of friends left for Saint John last night. Tonight he is to be the chief speaker at the dinner of the Commercial Travellers' Association.

FROM SHUTE'S Gifts For Christmas

It is never too early to select one's Christmas Gifts. Procrastination brings trying hours in search of "Something" worthy to express the sentiment of the season. We will lay aside any article in the store on the payment of a small deposit and the balance can be paid from time to time as convenient for you.

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Sterling Toilet Sets

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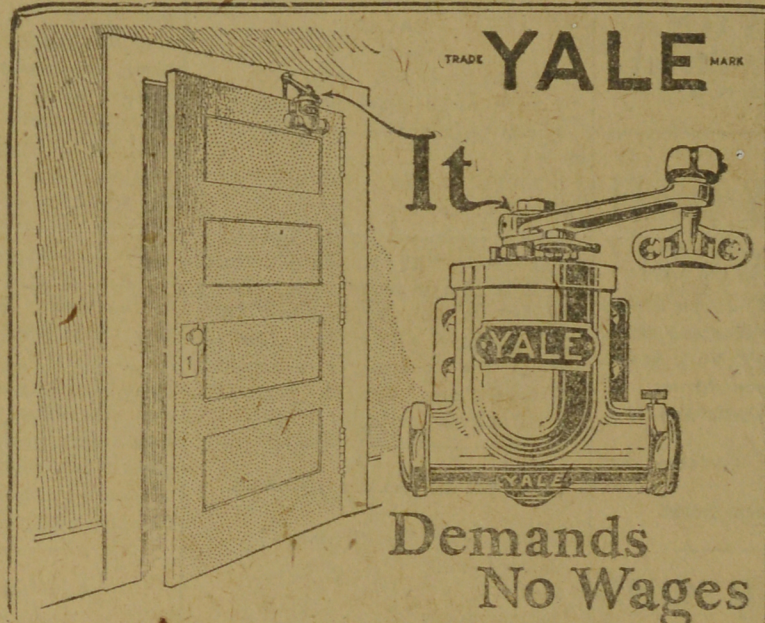
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Died Last Night.

Miss Johanna Elliott, a well known resident of this city passed away Tuesday night at the home of William Boreland, 229 King street, after a brief illness. She was aged seventy-two years. Surviving are two brothers Frank of Boston and George in the United States, and two sisters Mrs. McCabe of Boston and Miss Lizzie Elliott of the same city. The funeral will take place Friday morning leaving the house at 8.45. High Mass will be celebrated at nine o'clock at St. Dunstan's Church by Rev. Father Milligan. Interment will be made in the Hermitage.

Was Elected Premier.

Carl Watson of Devon son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter S. Watson, was elected Premier at the Boys' Parliament now in session in Sackville. The election was a close one but the Devon boy won out. Other boys from this vicinity are attending. Harold Murray son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Murray of this city is one of them.

F. R. Fox of Gagetown was a guest at the Barker House Tuesday night.

W. L. Lowther of Moncton, C. N. R. Passenger Department, arrived in the city last night.

H. M. Todd of Montreal is in the city today.

T. Charles Laughlin a well known commercial man of Montreal is in the city today on business.

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