

LOCAL NEWS

WEATHER

Maritime—Northwesterly winds fair and colder, with snow in some sections.

BOOSTING FREDERICTON

The Montreal Herald recently published an interesting article on development in and about Fredericton. The article was prepared by Publicity Commissioner McDade.

BELCHER'S ALMANAC

The Mail is indebted to the McAlpine Publishing Company of Halifax for a copy of Belcher's almanac for 1913. It contains a lot of useful information concerning the maritime province.

AT ST. ANTHONY'S HALL

St. Anthony's congregation will hold an old time social Wednesday evening the 22nd instant. Games, home made candy refreshments and orchestra for dancing. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Admission 25 cents.

THE WOODSTOCK COUNCIL.

The following will compose the Woodstock Town Council for the ensuing year.—Mayor—Hon. W. P. Jones. Councillors—James Gallagher, J. T. A. Dibblee, Wm. Balmann, A. E. Jones, Ed. Burden, John Lindsay. The first three with the new mayor, were members of last year's board.

GIVE THEM A CALL.

The Boston Confectionery Store and Ice Cream Parlors are having a cheap sale this afternoon and tonight. They are selling half-pound boxes of assorted candies of their own make at greatly reduced prices. Their up-town window contains a large quantity of these goods, which are guaranteed fresh and first-class.

COWAN'S CHOCOLATE.

Mr. H. C. Christie, the well known and popular representative for the celebrated Cowan's Chocolate and Cocoa Company of Toronto, is registered at the Barker House. Mr. Christie has a great many friends in Fredericton as has the firm he represents, the Cowan goods being known everywhere and are high class in every particular.

EARL WAS DELAYED

The Earl of Ashburnham left last night for Halifax whence he will sail today for Liverpool by the Allan Line Grampian. He was compelled to remain all night in St. John at the Royal Hotel, the C.P.R. train from Boston being delayed at Gaspeaux by a concentric pin in the locomotive becoming loose. The Earl continued his journey today.

CENTENNIAL NUMBER

The Acadian Recorder of Halifax observed its one hundredth anniversary by getting out a centennial number consisting of twelve pages of nine columns each. It is a most creditable production in every way and contains a lot of most interesting information of a historical nature. A fac simile of the first number of the paper is also reproduced. The record of the Recorder is a most unique one in the history of North American journalism.

THE WILLARD KITCHEN CO.

The annual meeting of the Willard Kitchen Company, Limited, was held at the residence of W. T. Whitehead, the secretary of the company, yesterday afternoon. The president submitted the report of the operations of the company for the year just closed. The old board of directors were re-elected, being Willard Kitchen, H. G. Kitchen and W. T. Whitehead. Willard Kitchen was elected president and W. T. Whitehead, secretary of the company.

SUSTAINED PAINFUL INJURIES.

Mrs. Butler, wife of Color Sergt. William Butler of "H" Company, R.C.R., met with severe and painful injuries while leaving the Gem Theatre last night. She slipped and fell, striking her head and back and being rendered unconscious. She was cared for by those near at hand and Dr. Vanwart was summoned. Mrs. Butler was taken to her home in a coach and today is reported to be improving, although confined to her bed.

THE LATE A. L. GLASGOW.

The funeral of Mr. Arthur L. Glasgow took place Friday afternoon at three o'clock from his father's residence, Albert street, St. John West. Burial services were conducted at the house and grave by Revs. G. F. Seovil and W. P. Dunham. Interment took place in Cedar Hill cemetery. The members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen attended the funeral in a body. The pall-bearers were chosen from among their number. The deceased ran upon the Fredericton Branch of the C.P.R. for some years and was well known here.

WILLS OF LOCAL PEOPLE ADMITTED TO PROBATE

Estate of Late Robert Mitchell Probated at \$2,500—Estate of John L. Burnett Probated at \$2,940 Personal Property

The wills of two persons who recently died in this city were admitted to probate this week.

By the will of the late John L. Burnett, formerly proprietor of the Grand Hotel in this city his wife Mrs. Carrie Burnett is named as sole executrix. The estate is sworn at \$2,940, personal property. Mr. Havelock Coy is proctor.

Probate has been granted in the estate of Robert Mitchell of this city. Ex-Ald. Moses Mitchell nephew of the deceased is executor and Mrs. Elizabeth A. Hoyt wife of Louis W. Hoyt of Boston, Mass., daughter of the deceased is executrix. The estate consists of freehold property in Regent Street valued at \$1400 and personal property valued at \$1100. Mr. J. W. McCready is proctor.

BANK CLERK TRANSFERRED.

Mr. George Long has been transferred from the local branch of the Royal Bank of Canada to that at Woodstock.

GET THEM NOW.

You can obtain at this office white cards containing the words "To Let" and "For Sale." Price ten cents each. Landlords will find them useful at this season.

UNLOADING RAILS.

Sixteen hundred tons of rails for the St. John & Quebec Railway have been unloaded at Victoria Mills. Next week more will be unloaded at the new spur of the railway on the line of the C.P.R. west of York street.

MT. ALLISON DEFEATED

Mt. Allison University hockey team was defeated at Chatham by the Chatham team last night the score being 5 to 2. In the Maritime Professional Hockey League New Glasgow beat Moncton 4 to 0 and Halifax Socials beat the Crescents 4 to 3.

INSPECTED DAMAGED HOUSE.

Mr. Edgar H. Fairweather inspected the house of Mr. Jenkins Edmundson, near Jewetts' Mills, Parish of Bright, which was recently damaged by fire. Insurance to the amount of \$400 in the British American Fire Insurance Company was carried by Mr. Edmundson.

ARREST RECORD BROKEN

The record of no arrest during 1913 was broken last night by the police, one drunk being gathered in. He was given the option of paying a four dollar fine or of going to jail for twenty-five days when he appeared before the magistrate this morning. He paid up after first telling a pitiful story that he had no money.

Mr. John S. Ackhurst of Halifax is at the Queen.

MASKED MAN ATTEMPTED HOLD-UP LAST NIGHT

Two Young Women Accosted Near Corner of Carleton and Brunswick Sts.—Assailant Frightened off—Police on Watch for Him

Two young women were stopped last night at the corner of Brunswick and Carleton streets by a masked man. They rejected advances made by him and raised an alarm which frightened the man off. Police-man Currie was patrolling near the place where the attempted hold-up occurred and went to the scene as soon as notified of what had occurred but the man had taken a hurried departure. The young women stated that he had run up through the Old Protestant Burying Ground toward George street. It is said that two boys attempted to follow him but he was able to get away without leaving any trace.

The man is described by the two young women as being a large man dressed in dark clothing and having his face covered by a black mask. The attempt to hold up the women occurred at about ten o'clock on the southerly side of Brunswick street, almost in front of the entrance to the main path of the Old Burying Ground. This place was a curious one for an attempted hold-up as the two nearby moving-picture shows attract considerable traffic to that vicinity and their illuminated signs light the streets well.

The police are on the look-out for a repetition of the hold-up. In certain quarters, however, it is claimed that the attempt was not a serious one. It will be remembered that at about this time last year similar attempts were reported from various sections of the city and it is thought that the same persons may be at their old tricks.

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LATER STUDS

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-- CONSISTING OF --

Silks, Satins, Voils, Velvet, Black and Colored Dress Goods, Prints, Ginghams, Wash Goods, Muslins, Shirts, Shaker Flannels, Wrapperets, Tickings, Rolling, White and Grey Cottons, Art Muslins, Scrims and other fabrics, also Piece Goods Marked Down.

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C. H. Burt