

LOCAL NEWS

WEATHER

Maritime—Northwesterly winds clearing and colder.

LIBRARY CONTEST

In the Library Contest ballots are to be counted this evening and the results will appear in The Mail tomorrow.

ENJOYABLE SMOKER

The members of the Band of the 71st York Regt. gave a very enjoyable smoker at their rooms New Year's eve which was largely attended.

MARRIED AT PENNIAC

Mr. Herbert Moore and Miss Lucy L. Brown of Penniac were married by Rev. Thos. Hicks at the home of Mr. Charles T. Wade, Penniac, yesterday, January 1.

WERE AT HOME

The members of the Sergeants' Mess No. 3, Regimental Depot were at home to their friends New Year's Day between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. Many partook of their hospitality.

A GOOD COMPANY

The Nellie Gill Company gave two performances at the Opera House yesterday to large audiences. The Company is one of the very best that has visited here for some time and has made a decided hit with theatre goers.

RETURNING FROM STATES.

Properties at Blackville will be taken over, also at Bathurst and elsewhere on the North Shore, and settlers are to occupy them at once, one family returning from the United States to occupy one of the properties.

NEW POST OFFICE

Through the herculean efforts of Mr. O. S. Crockett, M.P., a new post office has been established at Royal Road with Mr. Samuel Currie as postmaster. It will be known as Nashwaakisis Valley and will serve about three families.

NEW POLICE BOOKS IN USE

The new system of books which Chief of Police McCollum has introduced in the city police force is now in use. They are a report-book in which are recorded all events connected with the work of the police, and an arrest-book in which a record of arrests is kept.

STILL WAITING FOR IT.

It is understood that as an aftermath of the seduction case which was before the police court some time ago but which since has not been heard of, Mrs. Leonard Brewer, at whose boarding-house the accused was arrested, is still waiting for the board-money, although complete settlement was promised her.

INTRODUCING GAME

The game of Eureka Baseball is being introduced here by Mr. T. McFarlane of Montreal. Mr. McFarlane waited upon Mayor Hooper, president of the N. B. & Maine Baseball League this morning and presented him with one. Mr. J. J. McCaffrey of the Fredericton Baseball Club executive was similarly honored.

TO IMPROVE SERVICE

Mr. F. P. Brady of the I.C.R. Board of Management has written Mr. George Y. Dibblee to the effect that steps are to be taken to place better passenger cars on the Canada Eastern Branch and to make more adequate arrangements for extra passenger traffic. On account of their being no machinery here for charging reports gas cannot be used to illuminate the cars.

WEDDING AT BURTT'S CORNER

A very pretty wedding took place yesterday at the Burtt's Corner Hotel when Edna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen, was united in marriage with Mr. Harold M. Jones. The bride is one of Burtt's Corner's most popular young ladies and she received many handsome and useful presents. After the ceremony the happy young couple left for a tour of the Upper Provinces. They will reside at Burtt's Corner.

SCORED SUCCESS IN OTTAWA

An Ottawa despatch of yesterday says,—"A decided theatrical success was scored here today by Miss Blossom Baird, the young St. John actress, who appeared as leading lady in the Cup of Life Company. The play was put on at the Russell, the chief theatre of Ottawa, which was well filled both afternoon and evening. Miss Baird, who was supported by a strong company showed decided histrionic capacity. Critics unite in predicting a career for her."

Miss Baird is a daughter of Mr. A. W. Baird of St. John and is known in Fredericton.

GARNET LOVE
KILLED BY TRAIN
AT I. C. R. STATION

Young Gibson Man Fell Beneath Wheels of Suburban Train Last Night—Death Ensued as Result of His Injuries

Garnett Love of Gibson's slipped from the I. C. R. suburban train as it was leaving the Fredericton station at about eleven o'clock last evening, and falling between two cars received injuries which resulted in his death in a few minutes. The accident happened with startling suddenness and was not witnessed by many. Dr. W. J. Weaver, coroner, was summoned and found signs of life in the body as it lay upon the platform. Death took place soon afterward however.

The victim of the accident was thirty years of age and unmarried. He is a son of Andrew Love of Gibson, and was a well known young man. He was a carpenter by occupation and had been working yesterday for Contractor Moses Mitchell, at the John Palmer Company's factory. He came to Fredericton last night in company with acquaintances and spent the evening. It was when he attempted to board the suburban train to return to his home that the accident occurred.

FUNERAL SATURDAY

Arrangements for the funeral were made this morning. Service will be conducted at the late home of the deceased at one o'clock, Saturday afternoon by Rev. Mr. Flemington assisted by Rev. W. H. Jenkins. Interment will be made at the Methodist Cemetery, Penniac.

CIRCUMSTANCES OF ACCIDENT

It is said that Love, with Gordon Hovey of Marysville, was running to catch the train as it began to move out of the station on its last trip to Marysville last night. Love was in advance of Hovey and as he tried to mount the steps slipped and fell between the cars. He was struck by the wheels, his neck being injured and the lower part of his face crushed. The fireman, Vernon Cameron, noticed the accident and brought the train to a standstill. Love was picked up by bystanders and carried to the station platform, where he was left till the coroner arrived, it being thought that nothing could be done until that officer was present.

CORONER'S JURY EMPANELLED
Provincial Constable J. B. Hawthorn assisted Coroner Weaver in empanelling the following jury at the home of the deceased this morning at eleven o'clock:—

A. B. Neill, Hubbard Niles, George Garrity, A. H. Sewell, James Davidson, Gilbert Henry, George Brown. The coroner and the jury viewed the remains. The inquest was adjourned until three o'clock when it was resumed at the Gibson fire station.

RETURNING TO WEST

Mr. A. Clifton McKee of Calgary, who spent some days visiting friends in this city returns to the West tonight. Mr. Hamilton McKee his father will accompany him as far as Toronto. Mr. D. B. Winlow of Regina also returns to the West tonight.

C. P. R. CONTEMPLATED
TAKING UP FORESTRY
IN THIS PROVINCE

Reported That Inquiries Have Been Made of Forestry Services of American Rys.—Nurseries May be Established

The Canadian Pacific Railway, it is said, is becoming interested in modern forestry and in the near future will establish a service in that important science to look after forest lands owned and controlled by the company and also to establish nurseries for the reproduction of forest trees. The success with which certain railways in the United States have met in attempts to conserve their forest lands has interested the C.P.R. authorities and it is reported that that great Canadian railway will take steps in the near future to do likewise.

In the Adirondack region of New York State, forestry particularly the establishment of nurseries has been carried on by the Delaware and Hudson Railway for some years and it is there that the C.P.R. has obtained considerable information regarding the matter.

This province is said to be the district which the C.P.R. authorities regard with most favor for forestry experiments. It is understood that the railway is in a position to control a considerable area of land here and will take up the matter at an early date.

POWER DEVELOPMENT AT
BATHURST.

Mr. J. P. Leger of Bathurst, largely through whose efforts water-power on the Tetagouche River near that place, was developed, is in the city today. The electrical power developed on the river named is sufficient to furnish light and power for existing industries and is also available for new ones. A bright future is thought to be before Bathurst on this account.

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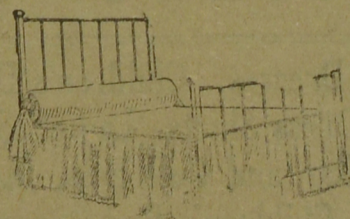
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