

LOCAL NEWS

WEATHER

Maritime—Fresh northeasterly winds during the day; fair stationary or a little higher temperature.

TAX COLLECTIONS.

Tax collections in the city for March 1913, amounted to \$1,222.06 and in March 1912, to \$1,178.03.

AT HOME

Mrs. H. F. McLeod is at home to her friends at her residence, Charlotte Street from four to six o'clock this afternoon.

GOING TO EUROPE

Manager Harrison of the Bank of Commerce is to leave the latter part of this month on a holiday trip to the Old Country.

POLICE COURT.

Two drunks, one of them a frequent visitor to the police station, appeared before the police magistrate this morning. They were sent to jail for twenty days each.

COUNTY SCOTT ACT CASES.

Two cases of alleged violation of the Canada Temperance Act by residents of McAdam, which were adjourned from last week, are to come before the police court this afternoon.

CONGRATULATIONS.

It is said that a popular young lady teacher, who has been in somewhat of a brown study for some time is now wearing the smile that won't come off and incidentally a diamond ring.

LATE MRS. JESSE BRITAIN

The funeral of the late Mrs. Jesse Britain took place this afternoon from his late home King Street. The service was conducted by Rev. J. E. Wilson and interment was made at the Rural cemetery.

WILL GO WEST

M. Charles Whittaker who for some years has been employed with Mr. C. Fred Chestnut, druggist, in this city, has resigned his position and will leave for the Canadian West next month with intention of locating.

CARR—STOREY

A quiet wedding took place at St. Paul's Manse in this city yesterday when Edward John Carr and Miss Amy Bertha Storey were united in marriage by Rev. W. H. Smith, Ph. D. Both bride and groom belong to Blissville.

WILL MOVE SOON

The Canadian Bank of Commerce has subleased this premises in the Chestnut building lately vacated by the Bank of Nova Scotia, and will occupy them in a short time. This stand being close to the country market is considered one of the best locations in the city.

LEFT FOR OTTAWA

Rev. Dr. J. H. MacDonald, who recently resigned the pastorate of the Brunswick street Baptist church left last evening accompanied by Mrs. MacDonald for Ottawa, where he will assume the pastorate of McPhail Memorial church. A large number of friends bade them farewell at the station.

LATE MRS. J. WATSON

The remains of the late Mrs. J. Watson arrived here at noon today from Malden, Mass. Mr. Watson accompanied the remains. From the station the body was taken to Christchurch Cathedral where service was conducted by Rev. E. Hallstone. Interment was made at Forest Hill Cemetery.

TABLET BROKEN

The marble tablet which formerly had a place in front of one of the ornamental cannons along the lower part of Queen Street is lying on the river bank broken in two. This record the fact that the cannon were presented to the province by the late Hon. J. B. Snowball when he was lieutenant-governor. This piece of vandalism should be punished if possible.

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Ald. E. G. Hosen, Ald. W. G. Clark, Ald. H. Rogers and F. W. Porter, of this city, and F. D. Swin, M.P.P., of Doaktown, are applying for incorporation as the Fredericton Steamship Company, Ltd. with \$5,000 capitalization. The company is to operate the steam or Hampstead which is to go on the Fredericton—Gagetown route. The head office is to be at Fredericton.

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Condition of Market Improves and Cut is Light—J. D. McLaughlin Again Has Tobique River Driving Contract

The lumber operators of the province who curtailed their cut in the woods during the past winter, now are sincerely regretting the action as the lumber market shows signs of marked improvement and prices are expected to be even better than they now are. The curtailment was due to low prices which prevailed last summer and fall and also to the very unfavorable weather conditions during the early winter which made it difficult to operate in the woods.

In Great Britain there has been an improvement in the condition of the lumber market and from the United States there is a steady demand for lumber with prices much better than they were. These conditions come, however, when the cut in New Brunswick is about two-thirds of what it usually is.

FEW BANK LOGS.

It is reported that bank logs are scarce this year, farmers along the St. John River who usually cut logs on their own land during the past winter devoted their energies to getting out sleepers for the St. John & Quebec Railway. In the past bank logs have come to Springhill by the millions of feet. This spring they are expected to come in much smaller quantities.

TOBIQUE RIVER CO. MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Tobique River Log Driving Co. was held at the Queen Hotel yesterday afternoon and directors were elected as follows: Donald Fraser, Fredericton; Donald Fraser Jr., Plaster Rock; F. C. Beatey, St. John; J. D. McLaughlin, Red Rapids; Chas. Miller, St. John. Chas. Miller was re-elected president, and J. C. Hartley of Woodstock, secretary-treasurer.

J. D. McLaughlin, who last year completed a three-year term as contractor for driving operations of the company, was again given the contract for a similar term.

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TO TAKE STEPS
TO BREAK DEADLOCK
IN CITY COUNCIL

Majority Claims That Mayor Cannot Hold Up Item in Expenditure—His Worship Sticks Firm to His Position

The Finance Committee of the City Council met yesterday afternoon. There was a lively discussion concerning the item of \$17.50 for expenditure in connection with the Canada Temperance Act which was passed by the Council at its regular meeting Tuesday night but which Mayor Hooper held up by his refusal to sign the order to the City Treasurer to pay the amount. Ald. Clark is chairman of the Finance Committee and Ald. Farrell and Ald. Weddall the other members. No result followed the discussion.

It is announced by members of the majority of nine which passed the item referred to that before the next council meeting is held steps will be taken to learn whether or not the mayor can proceed contrary to the (Continued on page five)

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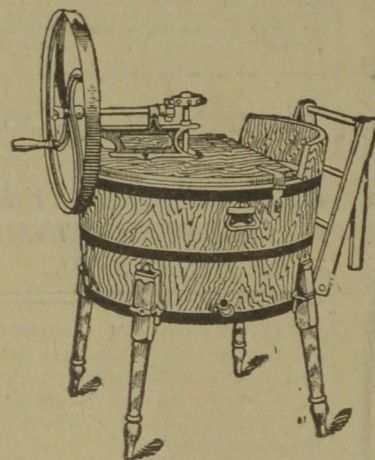
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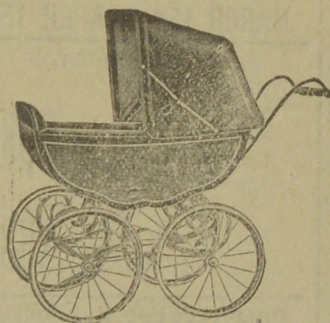
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