

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS.

To insure prompt change of ads., copy must be in this office not later than 8 a. m. on the day they are to appear

CAN TIE THE KNOT.

Rev. E. A. McPhee of St. George, Charlotte County, has been registered under the Consolidated Statutes of New Brunswick to solemnize marriage

Don't forget to make your way to tomorrow evening, December 1st, to the Methodist church to an old fashioned tea. You will find a good tea awaiting you. Tea to be served from 5.30 to 8 o'clock. Tickets 50 cents.—d.

NEW BANK OPENING

The girls of St Pauls church will hold a sale of home made candy in the old Bank of N. B. building on York street on Saturday Dec. 3rd business opening at 10 a. m.

WILL RETURN SOON.

Mr. W. T. Whitehead, who left some time ago on a trip to British Columbia, is now at Ottawa. He is in good health and expects to return to Fredericton before Christmas.

COPARTNERSHIP DISSOLVED

Notice of the dissolution of copartnership existing between William J. White and Leslie F. White of this city, grocers, which has existed under the name of White Bros., is given in yesterday's issue of the Royal Gazette. Hereafter the business will be conducted by Mr. Leslie F. White.

THANKS RETURNED

The members of the family of the late Mr. James Tennant desire through the Mail to return thanks for the many kindnesses extended by friends during his recent illness. They also wish to thank those who donated floral wreaths and rendered assistance at the funeral.

MORTALITY RETURNS.

During the month of November, according to the report of Secretary Beckwith, of the Board of Health, there were eight deaths in the city. The details are, paralysis 2, tuberculosis 2, heart disease 1, strangulated hernia 1, dropsy and cancer of the liver 1, not stated, 1.

BIJOU TODAY

Your last chance to see today's fine program "Scenes in Scotland." This is a grand picture and will be put on as an extra on Friday only. The other features are: "The Idol's Eye," (Imp); "Clothes Make the Man," (Vitaphone) and "A Rough Rider's Romance," (Western) This is a program any theatre would be proud to show.

ST. ANDREWS' DAY MESSAGES.

President A. S. McFarlane, of the local Society of St. Andrew's, has received telegrams from branches of the Society in other cities, expressing the best wishes towards the Fredericton branch. Replies suitable to the occasion were sent. Yesterday was St. Andrew's Day. For the first time in some years it passed unobserved by the local Society.

TO ESTABLISH WAREHOUSE

Mr. F. E. Greaney of St. John, and Mr. O. J. Killam of Truro, are in the city as the representatives of the Kauffman Rubber Company of Berlin. They are desirous of establishing a warehouse in this city. This morning they conferred with the city clerk this morning concerning the matter and obtained some information with regard to local conditions.

GOING TO PENNSYLVANIA.

Mr. George McKnight, C. E., arrived from Moncton last night and will return within the next few days. Mr. McKnight is at present engaged in office work for the N. T. C. Railway at Moncton. He expects to go to Pennsylvania in January with Messrs. Corbett and Floesch, railway contractors, who have been working on the N. T. C. near Moncton, and who have obtained a contract on the Fairbanks & Fairfield Railway in Pennsylvania.

N. T. C. ENGINEERS' BALL.

It is expected that about two hundred persons from the city and other points of the province will attend the ball to be given at the Queen Hotel this evening by the engineers of residential 7 to 16 of the National Transcontinental Railway. A large number of the engineers and invited guests arrived by I. C. R. today. Others will arrive this evening. An orchestra from St. John will supply music for dancing, which will begin at nine o'clock. The patronesses of the ball will be Mesdames C. O. Foss, Horace Longley, A. R. Foster, R. M. Cushing and C. M. Hall. The committee in charge is as follows: Messrs. A. R. Foster, C. L. Foss, M. M. Black, C. B. Crossdale, R. M. Armstrong and R. M. Downing. Mr. Downing is secretary.

MODERN GARAGE
TO BE ERECTED ON
COURT HOUSE SQUARE

Company Being Organized to Take Over Business of The White Garage.

Arrangements have been made for the formation of The White Garage and Motor Company capitalized at \$10,000, which will take over the business conducted for some time past by The White Garage. The new company will extend its business and will erect a modern garage as early in the spring as possible. Mr. O. E. White, who has conducted The White Garage will be manager for the new company.

The company has secured control of the land at the corner of Campbell Street and Court House Square, comprising a portion of the Torrens property. On this land a building 60 by 60 feet will be erected, occupying practically the entire lot. This will be a garage of the most modern type built entirely of brick and concrete. Building operations will be begun as soon as the frost is out of the ground. The building will front on Court House Square.

SEVEN APPLICANTS FOR
RHODES SCHOLARSHIP

The time for receiving applications for the Rhodes Scholarship for New Brunswick, closed yesterday. Chancellor Jones announces that the applicants for the scholarship are as follows:

E. Stanley Bridges, B. A., '08; J. B. McNair, '11; C. J. Jones, B. A., '10; Alfred J. Brooks, B. A., '10; Isaac C. Spicer, B. A., '10; J. Thaddeus Hebert, '12; William H. Teed, '12.

The committee which will consider the merits of the applicants and appoint the scholar, is as follows:

Dr. C. C. Jones, chairman; Prof. W. T. Raymond, Dr. Philip Cox, Dr. C. M. Carson and Prof. F. P. Day.

The award of the scholarship is to be made before January 1st and will very likely be made early in the present month.

GOVERNMENT MEETING.

A meeting of the provincial government will be held here this evening. His Honor Lieutenant Governor Tweedie arrived here this afternoon to attend.

LATE MRS EDWARD KING

The funeral of the late Mrs. Edward King took place this afternoon, from her late residence, George St. Service was conducted at Christ Church Parish Church by Rev Canon Jowle. Interment was made at the Rural Cemetery.

WARM TONIGHT

The Selig feature "Settled out of court" at the Unique last night made a decided hit. The rest of the program is above the ordinary.

Tonight the new heating system will be turned on for the first time.

CONTRACT FINISHED.

Messrs. Powers and Brewer have completed the construction of the concrete piers for the international bridge at St. Leonards. The work was done well and rapidly. Contract or Powers is a son of Mr. Thomas Powers of Hanwell.

RETAINING WALLS COMPLETED

Messrs. D. C. Burpee & Son, who had the contract for the construction of a concrete retaining wall at the Fredericton end of the highway bridge have completed that portion of their work. They are now engaged in grading and filling and expect to have the entire contract completed within a few days.

PERSONAL

Messrs. J. B. Gilliat, H. F. McLean and H. M. Downing and Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Hall, arrived from McGivney this afternoon to attend the National Transcontinental Engineers' ball to be given this evening.

Mr. F. T. Harrison, of Houlton, Me., is at the Barker House.

Mr. F. A. Greaney, of St. John, is registered at the Barker House.

His Honor Lieutenant Governor Tweedie arrived in the city this afternoon. He is at the Queen.

Hon. W. C. H. Grimmer, surveyor general, is in the city for the first time since his return from Great Britain.

BIG GAME SEASON OVER

The big game season closed yesterday but hunters are allowed ten days to get their game out of the woods. A number of sportsmen are still in the big game country but will come out in the course of a few days. Several moose heads arrived at Emack Bros today.

FREDERICTON SCHOOL BOARD
HELD REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

Bronze Medals Won By Pupils at Dominion Exhibition—American Song Books Not Wanted—Sunbury Pupils Must Pay Tuition Fees.

Dr. Atherton presided yesterday at the regular meeting of the School Board. The other members present were Mrs. Clark, Mr. Sterling, Mr. Sharkey, Dr. Vanwart, Mr. Weddall, Mr. Spurden and the Secretary. Several recommendations in the report of the Secretary were ordered and considerable business was transacted. Some necessary repairs will be undertaken and several articles of apparatus will be provided. A letter was read from the secretary of the Dominion Exhibition accompanying which were five medals won by the Sloyd department which is conducted by Miss Jennie W. McFarlane. Four of these were awarded for class work and one for Master Walter R. Flett, recognizing the excellent workmanship of his in the manufacture of a handsome piece of furniture. It is understood that this work and the several medals will be on exhibition in one of the windows of the store of J. J. Weddall & Son.

Upon request of the Daughters of the Empire permission was granted to offer a prize in the High School for an essay on some patriotic subject. This is in line with the custom of this excellent organization for several years past.

Attention was called to the fact that the pupils of Prof. Harrison have purchased an unauthorized text book for musical instruction. The Trustees had no intimation of the fact until inquiry was made by the Chief Superintendent. The publication is understood to be an excellent one but is of American origin and there are people in Fredericton who prefer not to have their children taught the songs of our stars and stripes neighbors.

It is thought probable that the school structure on Regent street will be ready for occupancy the first of the year. Mr. Weddall and the Secretary were appointed to look over the building and arrange plans to invite tenders for the necessary supply of window shades, etc. Dr. Vanwart and Mrs. Lynch will examine the furniture and ascertain whether any new furniture will be necessary. The present Regent and Brunswick Street schools have a much smaller number of pupils per teacher than the other city schools and Supt. Foster is to be asked to look into the situation and see whether the pupils could not be successfully instructed in the new building with four instead of five teachers. This

scheme by some was not thought to be in keeping with the elaborate arrangements provided in the new building.

Several other matters engaged the attention of the Board, and the chairman Dr. Atherton, was appointed to present Master Flett with the exhibition medal at the time this Lieut. Governor's medal is presented to Miss Bliss.

The following correspondence between Premier Hazen and the School Board in regard to the admission of Sunbury County pupils at the Fredericton Grammar School was read at the meeting.

MR. HAZEN'S FIRST LETTER.

St. John, N. B., Sept 27, 1910

Chas. A. Sampson, Esq., Secretary School Trustees, Fredericton, N. B.,

Dear Sir— I am in receipt of a letter from A. R. Miles of Margerville, Sunbury Co., in which he informed me that his youngest boy is now at the High School and that he had been requested to pay a tuition fee of \$10.00. I think the Fredericton School Board have overlooked the arrangement that was entered into some years ago by which it was provided that pupils in a county in which no Grammar School grant was paid by the province should have the privilege of attending the Grammar School in an adjoining county without paying tuition fee. No Grammar School grant, I believe, is paid in the county of Sunbury, while a number of teachers in the Fredericton School receive grants of this nature from the province.

The matter was discussed on the floors of the House of Assembly, being brought up by myself at the time, and it was announced by the government of the day that arrangement such as I have mentioned was entered into, and while I have not time at the moment to look the matter up I have the idea that that arrangement was embodied in legislation.

I think if you will look into the matter the members of your Board will come to the conclusion that pupils from Sunbury County have a right to attend the Fredericton High School without paying tuition fees for the privilege.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) J. D. HAZEN.

(Continued on page four.)

LADIES' HANDBAGS
AND UMBRELLAS

make most appropriate Xmas gifts. Our range of Hand Bags consists of one of the best lines of the newest English leathers, large size, beautifully mounted with dull silver and gold, plain and jewelled mountings. Price from \$3.50 to \$15.00. Sterling Silver Chain Mesh Bags are very much admired.

The new Alpine Stick Umbrella Handles, finished in dull silver, gold and pearl, will appeal to the ladies.

566 Queen Street **SHUTE & CO.** A Reliable Place To Buy.

Christmas Buyers

Will find our Stock of Novelties very Complete and Attractive.

Fancy Case Goods, Jewel Cases, Lamps &c., Brass and Copper Goods in all the New Designs, Fancy China, Dinner and Tea Ware

Our Great Christmas Special

6 Cut Glass Tumblers for - - - \$3.00.

COLWELL & JENNINGS
-THE HOME FURNISHERS-

EDGECOMBE'S HOLIDAY SALE
OF
FASHIONABLE
DRESS GOODS

We have decided to begin a Mark Down Sale of these Seasonable Fabrics

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2nd.

This last chance in the year to secure real BARGAINS in such materials as Venetians, Serges, Suitings, Cheviots, Chevrons, Broadcloths, &c., &c. in all fashionable colors should crowd the BIG STORE with careful buyers.

JUST NOTICE A FEW OF THE PRICES

22c, 27c, 33c, 49c, 63c, 98c, &c. All desirable Goods, Not Old Shelf Stuff as we DO NOT HAVE ANY.

Also a line of Wool Challie Waistings will be sold at - - - 35c per yd.



The Seasons Accumulation of Remnants in Dress Department will also be placed on the counters at wonderfully low prices. A great opportunity to secure Skirt Lengths and Enas for Girls Dresses &c.

Don't miss this Sale

The class of Goods we carry and the Low Prices that will prevail should guarantee Bargains to every Purchaser.

Sale will begin at 9 o'clock and the mark down prices will be for CASH. No Samples can be cut during the sale.

FRED. B. EDGECOMBE CO. Ltd.

Fredericton's Up-to-date Dress Goods House.

SOME REASONS WHY

FROST KING

FELT WEATHER STRIPS

IS THE BEST ON THE MARKET

IT WILL SAVE 25 PER CENT OF
YOUR FUEL BILL.

No Waste, Easily Applied, and can be used in a
variety of ways to suit all Requirements.

JAS. S. NEILL & SONS LTD.

Fredericton's Big Hardware Store

Why Not Make Some Useful
Christmas Gifts This Year?

FELT SLIPPERS

IN ALL STYLES AND COLORS

For Father, Mother, Sister, Brother

Our Stock of Moosehide Mocassins Just In
Look Early While the Assortment is Large

R. B. VanDine

INCHES BLOCK

Remember Our
Stock Is Always
High Class

QUEEN ST.

FROU FROU

C. H. BURTT

The Cream of all Wafers 50 cts. per pound.
Special Price for a 5 Pound Tin.

Queen Street