

LOCAL NEWS

ENTERTAINED SATURDAY

Miss Kathleen Gibson daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Gibson entertained about forty of her young friends at a juvenile dance at her home on Saturday night.

If you want to save money go to the store of G. R. Thompsons, St. Mary's—Special sale of Dry Goods Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Floor Oilcloth, Lace Curtains, Window Blinds. All goods we carry at reduced price.—m.t.d.

MARSHIONESS WAS PRESENT

The Marchioness of Donegall and Mrs. Twining were among those present at a concert under the patronage of the Duchess of Teck, given on March 29 at Grosvenor House, London, in aid of Dr. Barnardo's Homes.

DEATH OF INFANT

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Goodine of French Village passed away at their home at an early hour this morning aged twelve days. The parents and three brothers survive. The funeral will take place Tuesday morning with interment at French Village.

MARYSVILLE SERVICES

Rev. E. H. Hood, conducted the Methodist services at Marysville yesterday morning and evening and in the afternoon preached at Penniac. Rev. Mr. Williams preached at Penniac in the morning and in the main Street Baptist Church at Marysville in the afternoon.

REV. DR. CAMPBELL PREACHED

Rev. G. M. Campbell, D. D., of Mt. Allison University, Sackville, preached at both morning and evening services at the Methodist Church yesterday. Large congregations heard eloquent sermons. Rev. Dr. Campbell was pastor of the local Methodist Church some years ago. While in the city he was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whitehead.

SOPHOMORES WON.

The baseball season opened at the College Field on Saturday when teams from the Senior and Sophomore classes meet. The Sophomores won by the score of 18 to 4. The batters were, Sophomores, Melrose and Morrison; Seniors, Willis and Harmon. It is possible that a U.N.B. interclass baseball league will be organized.

DIED IN HOSPITAL

The death of Mrs. Mabel Agatha Weston wife of Mr. John Weston of this city took place at Victoria Public Hospital yesterday after a lingering illness. The deceased was twenty-one years of age and was a native of New Horton, Albert County. The remains will be taken by I. C. E. tonight to Albert County. The bereaved husband has the sympathy of a large number of friends.

DIED AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

The death took place at Victoria Public Hospital after a brief illness of Mrs. Medley Fletcher, at the age of forty-two years, leaving to mourn their loss husband, father, mother and two sisters, Mrs. Thos. Charters and Mrs. James Coyle of this city. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon with service at the house at 130. Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith will conduct the service and interment will be made at New Maryland.

LECTURE ON IRELAND

An eloquent lecture was given on Friday evening at Oddfellows Hall at Marysville by Rev. Howard Hood entitled "Two and a half years travel in Ireland". The lecture was enjoyed by a large audience and a substantial sum was realized. The lecturer kept his crowd in roars of laughter and all went home having enjoyed themselves. Music was rendered by the orchestra of the Baptist Church and solos were sung by Miss Elith Staples, Miss C. Gilbert and Mr. J. Stafford. The chair taken by Rev. W. Williams.

DIED AT MARYSVILLE

William White an aged and highly respected resident of Marysville, passed away at his home in Morrison Street in that town at an early hour Sunday morning. The deceased was eighty-two years of age and is survived by a widow, two daughters, Elwood and Samuel of California and Mrs. James Waterman and Mrs. Hugh Harrison of Marysville. The funeral will be held from his late home Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. W. Williams will conduct the service. Interment will be made at the Baptist Burying Ground, Marysville.

THE HOLY CITY

A large audience attended the sacred concert in the Methodist church Sunday afternoon when the Holy City was sung by the combined choirs of the city under direction of E. W. Harrison choirmaster of the Methodist Church. Miss Bessie Everett, organist of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, played the organ accompaniment. The soloists were Mrs. F. A. Good, Miss M. Kelley, Miss Mariel Masters, Dr. H. V. B. Bridges, C. D. Halder and Wm. Redpath. The rendering of the music was much appreciated.

GOLDEN WEDDING
CELEBRATION AT
MARYSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Elias White to Observe Fiftieth Anniversary of Wedding—Members of Family Home to Take Part

MR. WHITE FORMERLY
PROMINENT LUMBERMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Elias White of Marysville are today celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding day at their home in Marysville. The bridegroom of half a century ago was born in Marysville and has resided there all his life, being the oldest native born resident of the town. For many years he carried on building operations on the Nashwaak for the Gibson concern, but is now living in retirement. His business dealings were ever characterized by the strictest honesty and integrity, and he enjoys the esteem of all his acquaintances.

Mrs. White, formerly Miss Peterson of Oromocto, is a lady of many estimable qualities and enjoys the esteem of a large number of friends.

All the members of the family, including several who reside in the United States, are here for the celebration.

This evening Mr. and Mrs. White will be at home to their friends, and it is likely that quite a number will go up from this city to pay their respects.

MRS. JAS. G. THORBURN
LAID TO REST SUNDAY

One of Largest Funerals ever seen in Kingsclear—Deceased Beloved by Large Circle of Friends

(Contributed)

Death has again visited the home of Mr. Chas. Kilburn, Kingsclear and this time taken away his daughter, Annie the beloved wife of James G. Thorburn of Stanley. About ten months ago, Mrs. Thorburn being in delicate health, came from her home in Stanley to visit her father, thinking the change might prove beneficial. Everything possible was done by skilled physicians and nurses to stay the progress of the disease and save this young and useful life. But each day she grew weaker and after weeks of suffering, which she bore without a murmur, she passed away. Mrs. Thorburn was one of the choicest spirits on earth. To know her was to love her. She was possessed of a cheerful and hopeful disposition with a vein of quiet humor which rendered her always a pleasant companion. She will be very much missed and deeply mourned by all who knew her especially in Stanley where she lived since her marriage, and also in Kingsclear.

Mrs. Thorburn was a valued member of the Methodist Church and an earnest worker in the Sabbath School. She was a great friend of the poor always ready to say a kind word and help any that she might find in trouble even though it taxed her failing strength to do so. Her motto was "Make the world brighter with a smile" and when the shadows came she would keep her face towards the sunshine and the shadows fell behind her.

Forgetful of herself, she always wanted to bear the burdens of others by some kind word or deed. As wife, mother, friend and neighbor, she was a true woman and those who knew her best esteemed her most. Speaking with her loved ones a few hours before her death she said if it was God's will she would like to live. But she was ready to go at any time and as the sun came up and peered through her window, she said: "O what a beautiful morning to go home," and shortly after her spirit returned to God who gave it—"Silently one by one in the infinite meadows of Heaven blossomed the lovely stars. The Forget-me-nots of the angels."

She leaves a sorrowing husband and one young daughter, her father, Mr. Chas. Kilburn, two brothers, Messrs. Hedley and Isaac Kilburn and five sisters, Miss Minnie Kilburn of Kingsclear, Miss Mantha Kilburn and Mrs. John Webster of Fairbanks, Alaska; Mrs. S. J. Gregg of Grand Lake and Mrs. W. S. Campbell of Boiestown.

To these the sympathy of the community goes out especially to Mrs. John Webster and Miss Mantha Kilburn who did not have the privilege of being near her bedside. The funeral took place from her father's residence Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. Services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Stebbings. It was one of the largest funerals ever seen in Kingsclear. The hymns sung were: "Nearer My God to Thee," "Abide with Me," "Asleep in Jesus," and "Good Night."

IMMIGRATION
AGENT TO SPEAK
BEFORE HOUSE

A. Bowder Arrived here Saturday—Several Parties of Settlers Expected in Near Future—Australian Competition Keen

NEW BRUNSWICK'S AGENT
FINDS WORK DIFFICULT

Mr. A. Bowder, formerly of St. Mary's who for the past two years has been New Brunswick's immigration representative in Great Britain arrived here Saturday night and this afternoon will speak before the House of Assembly on immigration matters and conditions as they confront him in England.

SETTLERS COMING

Mr. Bowder landed at St. John from the Empress of Britain Saturday morning. A party of sixteen settlers accompanied him. Other parties are to follow by the steamers Montrose, Lake Manitoba, Lake Erie and Saturnia. In all some hundred and thirty are to come. Mr. Bowder anticipates little difficulty in locating the settlers or in keeping them in the province. His aim is to bring out married people with families who will induce their relatives to follow them.

AUSTRALIAN COMPETITION

Australia is competing hard with Canada in the matter of attracting immigrants in the British Isles and already the competition has been felt within the months of January and February last, immigration to the Australian Commonwealth increased by 12,000 while that to Canada has fallen off 10,000. The Australian agents play up the supposed severity of the Canadian winter as much as possible and also offer assisted passages. Mr. Bowder believes that the Canadian immigration departments, both provincial and federal, must adopt similar methods to compete with Australia.

The other provinces of Canada are competing hard with one another in the matter of attracting settlers and New Brunswick's sole representative has a difficult task.

Mr. Ralph B. White of St. John, is at the Queen.

NASHWAAK
ICE RAN OUT
SUNDAY NIGHT

Ice in Main River Moved Considerably at Oromocto Yesterday—Now Reported Clear There—No Further Movement

UP-RIVER POINTS REPORT
ICE WEAKENING RAPIDLY

The ice in the Nashwaak River now clear from Marysville to the ran out last night and that river is mouth. The running out of the Nashwaak ice usually precedes the ice-run in the St. John River by a few days and it is expected that the ice opposite the city will move this week. April 19th was the date on which the ice in the main river moved last year and it is likely that the ice-run this spring will take place about that date.

RIVER CLEAR AT OROMOCTO

Yesterday the ice in the main river at Oromocto moved a considerable distance and clear water is reported from the mouth of the Oromocto River to a point a short distance above Burton Court House. At Wilmet's the ice also moved a short distance on Sunday. Reports from Oromocto today are to the effect that their has been no further movement in the ice.

WEAKENING UP RIVER

Reports from points up river are to the effect that the ice is weakening fast and that crossing is dangerous at all places and impossible at some. At Hawshaw early this afternoon it was raining and the ice had broken along the shores. Yesterday the ice weakened considerably everywhere and today's rain will weaken it further.

On Saturday the crossing at McGinley's Ferry and McNally's Ferry was good.

The ice in the main river at the mouth of the Nashwaak has been considerably broken up.

SCOTT ACT CASE.

A Scott Act case in which a fifth offense is charged against a local man is to come before the police court on Wednesday.

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:: MERE MAN ::

He comes into the world without his consent and he goes out against his will.

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If he is poor he's a bad manager.

If he is rich he is dishonest.

If he needs credit he can't get it.

If he is prosperous everybody wants to do him a favor.

If he's politics it's for pie. If he's out of politics, you can't place him, and he's no good for his country.

If he does not give to charity, he's a stingy cuss.

If he does, it's for show.

If he is actively religious, he is a hypocrite.

If he takes no interest in religion, he's a hardened sinner.

If he shows affection, he's a soft specimen.

If he seems to care for no one, he is cold blooded.

If he dies young, there was a great future ahead of him.

If he lives to old age, he has missed his calling.

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