

## LOCAL NEWS

## A SON AND HEIR

The stork paid a visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. VanDine yesterday and left a son and heir.

## TO LEAVE SATURDAY

Lieut. A. S. McFarlane of this city who has been selected as one of the New Brunswick rifle team to shoot at Ottawa in the Dominion Rifle Association meet next week will leave for the Dominion capital Saturday evening.

## ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Rev. Thomas Pierce and Mrs. Pierce wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Hattie Duncan Pierce, to Fred C. Squires, B. A., of Bath, Carleton Co., N. B., the marriage to take place in September. The prospective groom is well known in this city having been graduated by both the Provincial Normal School and the University of New Brunswick.

## GONE INTO BUSINESS.

Mr. Roy Feeney, who for several years was employed at Stanger & Harrison's tailor shop, has opened a cleaning, pressing and repairing shop on Regent street, near Lindsay's restaurant. Mr. Feeney's adv. appears in today's issue. Goods will be called for and delivered and special terms will be given to weekly customers.

## PREMIER GOING WEST.

Hon. J. K. Flemming, premier of the province, who was a guest on the Victoria during the sail up river yesterday with the royal party, will start on a tour of Western Canada Monday evening. He intends going through to Victoria, where he will represent New Brunswick at the fore conservation convention. Hon. Mr. Flemming expects to return to New Brunswick in about a month.

## EXCITING SCRAP.

The peaceable residents of St. Mary's were rudely startled yesterday evening by an exciting game of fistfights put on by local artists. The scrap, which was a lively one, had its origin in old sores. One of the participants was a city man while the other was a St. Mary's resident. Report has it that the latter took the knock-out route "a la James Jeffries." It is likely that report will be had to the courts for a solution of further difficulties.

## INFORMATION WANTED

Mrs. Elizabeth Johnstone McDonald of Sydney, New South Wales, is making inquiries concerning the affairs of her brother John Hendry, who was born in 1824 and in 1863 came from Scotland and "settled in the district of St. John New Brunswick." Mrs. McDonald has heard that her brother who was unmarried died ten or fifteen years ago. Mr. H. B. Rainsford has received letters from Mrs. McDonald regarding the matter.

## THE BLUEBERRY CROP

Ald. Edward Moore who owns an extensive blueberry plantation in Sunbury County does not think that the output this season will be quite up to that last year. There has been so much wet weather of late that the berries have not had a chance to mature. Ald. Moore now has a large force of expert pickers at work, and is hopeful of being able to fill all his orders for home consumption. Shipments to the American market however will probably be curtailed somewhat.

## THE CALL OF THE WEST

Miss Lillian Corbett B. A. has accepted a position on the teaching staff of New Norway, Alberta; and will leave for the west tomorrow evening to take up her new duties. Miss Corbett graduated from U.N.B. with the Class of 1911 and was later on the school staff at Upper Gagetown. She made an exceptionally good course at the University and was granted several honor certificates. She was also very successful as a teacher and her many friends while regretting her departure will wish her success in the west. Her new school is in the inspectorial district of Mr. G. F. McNally who is also a U.E.B. graduate and well known here.

## NEW BRUNSWICK TEAM

The New Brunswick team for the P. R. A. matches at Ottawa so far is composed of: N. J. Morrison, St. John; Rifle Association; A. R. Ross, Moncton Rifle Association; A. H. English, Restigouche Rifle Association; F. W. Colpitts, Moncton Rifle Association; S. W. Hamilton, Restigouche R. A.; Pte. O. S. Wilcox, 74th Moncton; Major J. S. Frost, 62nd, St. John; Pte. P. W. Ashton, 62nd, St. John; Sergt. J. G. Sullivan, C.A. 9, St. John; Major O. W. Wetmore, 74th, Clifton, Kings Co.; Lieut. O.D. Carter, 74th, Point de Bute; Lieut. J. B. Powers, 67th, Grand Falls; Lieut. A. S. McFarlane, 71st, Fredericton; Lieut. C. A. Estey, 67th, Grand Falls; Sergt. E. B. Haggerty, Sergt. H. M. Smith, Gr. A. Brown, Gr. O. R. Jardine, Gr. W. R. Campbell, A. V. Burns, 19th F. B. Moncton; Sergt. I. F. Archibald, 3rd R. J. A., St. John; Major W. C. Magee, R. C., St. John.

## ROUTE TO BE TAKEN IN CITY BY VIC-REGAL PARTY

Congregation of St. Dunstan's Will Salute His Royal Highness in Front of Church--Lieut. Gov. Arrives This Evening

## PREPARATIONS GOING ON AT PARLIAMENT BUILDING

Preparations for the reception of H. R. H., the Duke of Connaught, on Saturday next are proceeding rapidly. Under the direction of Mr. Geo. Y. Dibblee assistant clerk of the House of Assembly, the assembly chamber at the Parliament Building is being recarpeted and three of its ante-rooms prepared for the reception of the vice-regal party. The dais of the throne upon which the Governor general will stand during the reading of the address from the provincial government is to be carpeted in red and red carpet will also be laid to the dais from the door of the ante-room on the northern side of the chamber by which His Royal Highness and suite will enter. Appropriate decorations are being placed about the interior.

Mr. Dibblee announces that entrance to the Parliament Building on the occasion of the visit of the vice-regal party will be by the eastern entrance only, the main doors being kept closed. The list of invited guests to whom cards of admission are to be issued is now being prepared.

## PROGRAM AND ROUTE

The program for the entertainment of the Duke of Connaught and members of his party while in the city and the route to be followed by the vice regal procession from the C. P. R. station will be as follows:

10.30 a. m.—Arrival at C. P. R. station by special train. Reading and presentation of civic address by His Worship Mayor Hooper. Departure for Christchurch Cathedral via York and Queen Streets.

11 a. m.—Rededication service at Christchurch Cathedral. Departure for Parliament Buildings via Queen Street.

12.30 p. m.—Reading and presentation of provincial government's address at Parliament Buildings. Departure for Government House ("Frogmore") via St. John, Brunswick and Regent Streets.

1.30 p. m.—Luncheon at Government House.

3 p. m.—Tour of city and vicinity by motor car.

5 to 6.30 p. m.—Garden party at Government House.

8 p. m.—Departure for Montreal.

## LIEUT. GOVERNOR COMING

Advices received today by Mr. R.S. Barker, private secretary to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor were to the effect that the gubernatorial party left the Royal Hotel, St. John, at 1.30 p. m. today by motor cars and will arrive in this city this evening proceeding "at once" to "Frogmore" where His Honor will reside during his stay in Fredericton.

The military preparation in connection with the visit of the Duke and his suite are well advanced, the guard-of-honor to be furnished by the 71st York Regt. and the escort by the 28th New Brunswick Dragoons. Brunswick Street has been included in the route of the vice-regal party in order to give the congregation of St. Dunstan's Church an opportunity to greet His Royal Highness. The vice regal party will be saluted in front of the church.

## FIRE COMMITTEE

## RECEIVED REPORT

City Clerk Against Using Alleyway next Central Fire Station as portion of Site for new Building

The Fire Committee met last night and received a report from the City Clerk on the matter of the title to the alleyway on the eastern side of the present Central Fire Station on King Street. It is understood that the report was against rising that alleyway as a portion of the proposed new fire station.

Ald. Cruikshank, chairman of the Fire Committee stated today that another meeting of the committee would be held probably on Monday next. He stated further that the site of the present fire station would be used for the new building but that the detailed plans had yet to be submitted to the committee. It is understood that a two-door station is now favored.

Mr. T. U. Maxon of Woodstock, is in the city for a few days.

## MAY EXTEND SERVICE TO EASTERN SIDE OF RIVER

Fredericton Gaslight Company Considering Gibson, St. Mary's and Marysville as Field for Electrical Lighting and Power--I. C. R. Bridge Spoken of as Means of Establishing Transmission Line--No Definite Decision Yet--Power-lines in City Improved

It is understood that the Fredericton Gaslight Company has in contemplation the extension of its electrical service to the eastern side of the St. John River for the purpose of supplying light and power to Gibson, St. Mary's and Marysville. Nothing definite has been decided concerning this matter but the plan is said to be perfectly feasible. It is said that the company will take steps to ascertain what possibilities are contained in the field mentioned and if it should be found that the extension is justified by the probable return will set about making it.

## TO USE I.C.R. BRIDGE

It is understood that the I. C. R. bridge is favored as the means of carrying transmission lines by the most direct route from the plant of the company on University Avenue to the places named. Permission to use the bridge would have to be secured but it is thought that such could be obtained. If the bridge should be used for the purpose named the transmission lines would be carried at a considerable height above the surface of the water.

## MAY OPERATE DRAW-BRIDGE

In connection with the purpose to

extend the electrical service in the direction named it is said that an attempt may be made to operate the I.C.R. draw-bridge by electricity. It is claimed that electric power could be used for the purpose with greater economy and efficiency than are secured under the present system.

## NOTHING DEFINITE.

Mr. Luke S. Morrison, secretary-treasurer of the Gaslight Company, when asked today concerning the rumored extension, stated that no definite decision had been reached and that a large amount of information would have to be secured before action would be taken.

## POWER LINE IMPROVEMENT.

During the past summer the Gaslight Company has made a large extension of its power lines in this city and by the end of the present week will have the extension practically completed. The improvement in the equipment is comprised chiefly in the construction of a new power line through the southern part of the city to the neighborhood of the C. P. R. station. Branch lines are to be built and it is expected that a considerable demand for power will spring up. At the power house the plant is now practically duplicated.

## HAD PHOTO TAKEN

The players and officials of the Fredericton Baseball Club had their photographs taken at McLean's Studio this morning.

## LAYING TARTARIA COATING

Road Commissioner Jewett today has a crew of men employed laying a coating of tartaria over the Hassam pavement at the intersection of Carleton and Queen Streets.

## MAKING GOOD PROGRESS

It is reported that good progress is being made with the Corporation Drive on the upper river but the water is falling rapidly.

## TO PLAY POSTPONED GAMES

Arrangements have been made to have the Woodstock team play a postponed game here Friday afternoon beginning at 2 p. m. On Saturday the same teams will play a postponed game in St. Stephen. Tomorrow's game with Houlton will begin at 3 p. m.

## REMANDED UNTIL TOMORROW

Benjamin Block the young Russian arrested for intimidating C.P.R. laborers at McAdam was tried in the police court yesterday afternoon and remanded until this morning for judgment when he was again remanded until tomorrow.

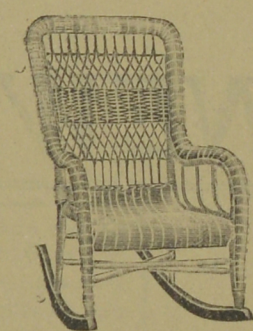
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2 Hammocks regular \$6.00, now \$4.25  
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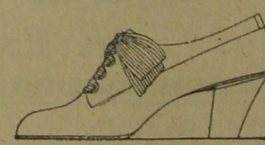
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