

Local News

IT'S A GIRL

Mr. P. W. S. Dawson, accountant of the Bank of B. N. A. is being congratulated by his friends over a domestic event—a girl.

SUGAR DECLINED.

A welcome decline of thirty cents per hundred pounds is announced in the price of sugar. Ontario patent flour has advanced ten cents per barrel.

UNION OF MUNICIPALITIES

Arrangements are being made for the holding of the annual convention of the Union of New Brunswick Municipalities in St. John on November 18 and 19. It is expected that delegates will be present from all parts of the province. Business as usual will be one of the aims of the convention.

THE WHOLESALE MARKET

Local wholesalers announced this morning that Ontario flour went up ten cents yesterday, and sugar took a surprising drop of thirty cents. Advice was that Manitoba flour may go up at any moment. The change in flour prices was not unexpected, but the drop in sugar came as a surprise and with no explanation to the dealers.

A DORCHESTER CASE

At Dorchester yesterday before Judge Barry the case of James Friel against Messrs. Melanson, Black, Mahoney and Chapin was commenced and J. Howe Dixon, clerk of the executive council at Fredericton, was called as the first witness for the plaintiff. The case will be continued today. A. J. Gregory appears for the plaintiff and M. G. Teed, A. W. Bennett and C. L. Hanington for the defence.—Moncton Times.

GAVE BEER TO SQUAW.

Gabe Sacobie, a Mallicete Indian, was arraigned before Magistrate Limerick in the police court this morning on the charge of giving California beer, an intoxicating beverage, to Mollie Sacobie, a squaw who resides on the St. Marys reserve. Two witnesses for the prosecution gave evidence and the case was adjourned until tomorrow morning. Indian Commissioner N. J. Smith appeared for the Crown and Mr. C. D. Richards for the defendant.

DIED AT ST. JOHN

The death of Charles Miller, a prominent lumber operator, occurred early yesterday morning at his home at St. John, following a stroke of paralysis which he sustained on Tuesday. The deceased was fifty-five years old and is survived by his wife and three sons. His mother, Mrs. H. U. Miller of St. John and one brother Harry, engaged in the lumber business at St. John, also survive. The late Mr. Miller was a director of the St. John Log Driving Company and a frequent visitor to Fredericton.

TOO FRESH

Some people are too fresh and get themselves disliked, but it is not so with Crispettes, the fresher they are the better you will like them. They are delicious being made from the finest pop-corn. They have become very popular as a confection. Crispettes are not only delicious but are wholesome. Our factory makes them fresh daily. We supply the trade which has greatly increased since we started business. Everybody likes them. Notwithstanding the horrors of the present war our prices remain the same.

VISITING SPORTSMEN.

Messrs. John Bentley and George F. Bressinger of Jersey City, arrived in the city by the late train last evening and are guests at the Queen. They are on their way to little Southwest Miramichi to hunt big game, and have engaged Uncle Henry Braithwaite as guide. Mr. Bentley is a lawyer by profession and is city attorney of Jersey City. Mr. Bressinger is director of revenue and finance, which is a post somewhat on a par with city treasurer here. Both gentlemen are deeply interested in the problems of civic government and while here paid a visit to the city hall. They also visited the law courts in the parliament building. This is their first hunting trip to New Brunswick.

WELL KNOWN HERE

The friends in this city will learn with regret of the death of Duncan Buchanan which occurred on Tuesday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. Morton, Mars Hill, Me. He was taken ill on Sunday last, but was better on Monday. On Tuesday morning, however he was found dead in bed. One of the finest things Mr. Buchanan did in his life time was to advance money to a large number of young men and women to enable them to attend the Normal school or colleges. The deceased was eight-five years of age and is survived by two daughters in Maine, one at Norton, N.B., one at Upper Keswick, York county, and one son in Lowell, Mass., and another in Bangor.

House Slipper Sale

Women's Brown Juliet	\$1.25
" Grey Velvet Juliet	\$1.45
" Felt House Boots	\$1.60
" So - Cozy - Swede	\$1.00
" Kozy (all colors)	95c
" Cloth Plaid Slipper	65c

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PATRIOTIC BALL
WAS A MOST ENJOY-
ABLE AFFAIR

The Legislative Building was the Scene of a Pleasant Function--Many Fair Debutantes--Proceeds Will go to Patriotic Fund

Upwards of two hundred people attended the patriotic ball which was given in the Parliament buildings in aid of the local branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund. The affair was under the patronage of His Honor Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Wood who were unable to attend, however, on account of the family being in mourning for their son-in-law, Lieut. Commander Harvey, who was lost when the British cruiser Cressy was sunk.

The main assembly room was prettily decorated for the occasion and an excellent programme for dancing was rendered by McKnight's orchestra. At midnight a dainty luncheon was served in the Library.

Among the debutantes of the evening were Miss Marion Hawthorn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hawthorn, Miss Jean VanBuskirk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. VanBuskirk, Miss Marion Crochet, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Crochet, Miss Lucy Morrison, daughter of Mrs. F. I. Morrison and Miss Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Taylor. The Countess of Ashburnham, Mrs. (Dr.) W. C. Crockett, Mrs. H. F. McLeod, Mrs. H. G. Deedes and Mrs. J. J. McCaffery were also present.

RETURNED FROM HALIFAX.

Mr. Charles Everett, son of Mrs. Frank Everett has been granted an honorable discharge from the special company from 71st Regiment on garrison duty at Halifax, and returned to his home in this city a few days ago.

NO ARGUMENT

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22 High Power Savage	25.60	45-70, 45-90 Marline	-	16.85
22 Repeater Savage	6.00	44 40 Marline	-	11.75
22 Savage	3.56	38-40 Marline	-	13.75
		25 Repeater	-	14.35
		22 Repeater	-	9.00

A Snap for Somebody

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