

LOCAL NEWS

HERE FROM BOSTON.

Charles Damery of Boston, is revisiting Fredericton after an absence of nine years. He is being warmly welcomed by old friends.

LEFT FOR THE WEST.

Miss Ethel Lottimer, who has been accountant for Howard Rogers for some time, left Monday night for the west, where she will make her home with relatives.

DEATH OF CHILD.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Mitchell have the sympathy of a large circle of friends on account of the death of their little son, Moses. The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon.

TO AUDIT ACCOUNTS

Mr. P. F. Blanchet chartered accountant of St. John is a guest at the Queen. He is here to audit accounts of the Valley Railway for the provincial government.

TO BE OR DAINED.

The ordination of Hector Belliveau son of Prof. Belliveau of the Provincial Normal School staff, took place this morning at the Cathedral, St. John. His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc will officiate. Mr. Belliveau will be ordained sub-deacon.

AT THE CURLING RINK

Two matches were played in the Management Committee Series last night at the Curling Rink. The results were as follows:—

Hagerman, 14, R. F. Randolph 11.
Macnutt 16, McLellan 9.

TALK ABOUT BARGAINS.

There is a lot of talk about bargains these days but you strike up against the real thing when you call at R. L. Black's, York street. He is just cutting the prices to one-half, \$5.00 skirts now \$2.50, \$15.00 suits now \$7.50.

GOING TO MONTREAL.

Rev. M. F. McCutcheon, for three years pastor of the Brussels Street Baptist Church, St. John, and well known in Fredericton and vicinity, has accepted a call to the First Baptist Church, Montreal. He will leave early in March.

HAD A STRIKING PRESENCE.

Referring to the opening of parliament and the new members an Ottawa correspondent of The Montreal Mail says:—"Of the new members who were introduced the one that impressed me most was H. F. McLeod, representative of York, N.B. He is a man of striking presence and as he strode down to his seat, he was the cynosure of many eyes."

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

A young man was advanced to the second rank last night at the regular meeting of Fredericton Lodge No. 6 Knights of Pythias. A large number of the members were present as well as a delegation from Marysville Lodge No. 18, including Messrs. W. H. Gray, deputy Grand Chancellor, Fred Collins V. C., Howard Dunbar and Wm. McPherson.

DEATH AT LAKEVILLE

Fred Martin Briggs died Monday at his home at Lakeville Corner, aged twenty-six years. The deceased is survived by his parents and also his wife, formerly Miss Taylor. Two children also survive. Brothers are Hazen of St. John and Ray at home. One sister Dora also survives. The funeral took place this afternoon at 2.30. Rev. Mr. Holmes conducting the service.

NEW BRUNSWICK DEALS.

Duncan, Ewing & Co.'s monthly timber circular, dated January 1st, says with regard to New Brunswick and Nova Scotia spruce deals:—"The import during December were 1,360 standards to Liverpool and 1,600 standards to Manchester. The consumption at the former port was 2,770 standards and at the latter 4,080 standards. The stocks amount to 25,570 standards, against 11,370 standards a year ago. Values are easier."

JEWISH WEDDING AT ST. JOHN

Mr. Meyer Cohen was united in marriage to Miss Bessie Lavine, daughter of the late Louis Lavine, and a former resident of Fredericton at the Carleton Street Synagogue, St. John, last night. The ceremony was performed by the rabbi, Rev. A. Saltzman. Following the ceremony was a reception and a dance in Keith's Assembly Rooms. The bride was attended by her sister Miss Dora Lavine and Miss Bessie Budovitch. Miss Rose Budovitch was flower-girl. After a wedding tour through Nova Scotia Mr. and Mrs. Cohen will reside at 110 Pond Street, St. John. A number of Fredericton's Hebrew citizens attended the wedding.

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JUDGE DELIVERS
CHARGE TO JURY
THIS AFTERNOON

Pinder Handled Roughly by F. B. Carvell in Address to Jury—Suit of J. E. Stewart vs Southampton Railway Co. Nears Close

F. B. Carvell K.C., counsel for plaintiff in suit of J. E. Stewart vs. The Southampton Railway Company completed his address to the jury in the circuit court this morning. This afternoon the judge will charge the jury and the case will be completed.

Mr. Carvell said that a profit of \$59,965 had been made in the construction of the line and claimed that for his client.

"Gentlemen," said Mr. Carvell, "the Bear Island Bar matter was a fairy tale compared with the gigantic steal now going on. The other side has claimed that Pinder has been defrauded in this transaction. You might as well try to stop water from going over Niagara Falls with a pitchfork as try to defraud Jim Pinder. An effort has been made to cause the impression that a Dominion government engineer made incorrect statements with regard to this line. Gentlemen that engineer made his report on false documents and false statements furnished by Pinder and Brown."

Mr. Carvell also charged that an effort was being made to defraud J. E. Stewart of the fruits of years of labor in regard to stock of the Tobique and Southampton Railway stock put up by Stewart with Dr. H. H. McNally for \$1,000.

Mr. Teed addressed the jury yesterday afternoon, speaking over two hours.

SOLUTION OF
HOUSING PROBLEM
MUCH DESIRED

Demand for Dwellings in Fredericton Now Exceeds Supply—Board of Trade May Consider Matter—Building Boom Expected

Fredericton is confronted by a housing problem which is expected to become more acute in the near future. Rentable houses are much in demand and the number of superior dwelling-houses desired to rent by people now in this city is much smaller than it should be. A solution of the problem is earnestly desired.

This question is one which probably will receive attention from the Board of Trade at one of its meetings in the near future. It is recognized that if expansion is to take place in Fredericton the number of dwellings available for newcomers must increase. The question is an important one and involves many other questions.

The demand for houses is the result of a considerable influx of population which has followed railway and industrial development in this section of the province. For some years past there has been a steady growth of the residential section of the city, but in 1913 at the time when the demand for houses to rent reached its highest point, the expansion of the residential section was at the lowest point. This was due in a great measure to unsettled labor conditions in the city and to a greater extent to the condition of the money market, which in almost every section has had a bad effect.

Many believe that the housing problem in Fredericton will solve itself and predict that the quiet period in (Continued on page five.)

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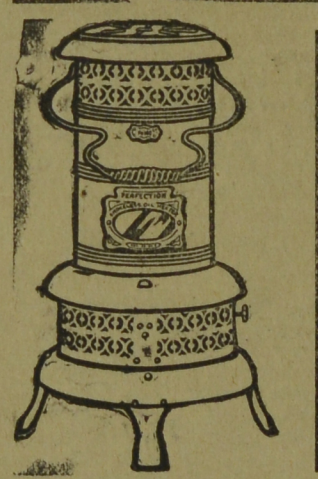
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