

LOCAL NEWS

FOOD SALE

The Ladies Aid of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church will hold a food and fancy apron sale on the Coulthard building, Carleton Street, on Saturday, Mar. 16th.—d.

BACCALAUREATE SERMON.

The Baccalaureate Sermon, which will be part of the exercises of Baccalaureate Week at the University of New Brunswick, will be preached this year from a Methodist pulpit.

TRANSFERRED TO CALGARY.

Mr. P. Z. Caverhill, who was graduated in forestry by the University of New Brunswick in 1910 and has since been engaged in survey work for the Dominion Forestry Department, was recently transferred to Calgary.

TO TEACH IN MANITOBA.

Miss Clara M. Robinson, who has been at her home at Cambridge, Queens County, for some time, has accepted a position as teacher in the High School at Birtle, Manitoba. Miss Robinson was graduated by the University of New Brunswick in 1907.

LOCAL HORSES AT ST. JOHN.

Bilanda, Pauline Barry, Shadeland Fausetta and Al Baron, local horses, are racing at Moospath Park, St. John, this afternoon. Messrs. H. J. Morgan, C. G. Burke and Thomas Raymond are attending the races. Mr. Raymond will drive.

ON LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

Mr. J. King Kelly secretary treasurer of the Municipality of the City and County of St. John was in the city last night in connection with bills before the Municipalities Committee. He left for St. John today to attend the organization meeting of the Fairville Board of Trade.

CHISHOLM TRANSMITTER.

The New York Tribune of Sunday, March 3rd, contains an interesting article on the sanitary, individual, vest-pocket telephone transmitter invented by Mr. Charles L. Chisholm of Marysville, now experimenting in his laboratory in Brooklyn, N.Y. The article contains a description of the transmitter and a cut of a watch with the transmitter in the back of the case.

INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATE.

The Intercollegiate Debate between teams representing King's College, Windsor, N.S., and the University of New Brunswick will take place at Windsor on March 22nd. The judges are to be Mr. Justice Russell of Halifax, Rev. H. MacPherson, president of St. Francis Xavier College, and Dr. Magill, professor of economics at Dalhousie University.

WILL INSPECT HOTELS

Factory Inspector John Kenney will start on a trip through the Province shortly for the purpose of finding out how many hotels have complied with the act requiring them to install fire escapes and descending ropes. Legal proceedings will be taken against the proprietors of all hotels which have not complied with the law. All were furnished copies of the act many months ago.

LINE BLOCKED

A broken wheel on a freight car caused the car to leave the track about a mile below Scott's Siding on the Woodstock-McAdam branch of the C. P. R. yesterday afternoon about half past four. The mishaps to the car caused the line to be blocked for about four or five hours and made it impossible for connections to be made between the branch trains and those on the main line. Owing to the accident there were no connections between the Woodstock and incoming Boston train last night at McAdam Junction.

DEATH AT OROMOCTO.

The death of Mrs. Margaret Currie widow of the late William H. Currie, occurred at her home, Oromocto, last night suddenly, from heart failure. The deceased was eighty-six years of age and is survived by three daughters and two sons, Miss Jane at home, Mrs. Hubble, Mrs. William Poor and Messrs. Edward Currie and George Currie of Oromocto. The funeral will take place on Saturday at 2 p.m. The service will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Motherall at the Methodist church. Interment will be made at Oromocto.

PARLOR CONCERT.

The parlor concert at the residence of Mrs. H. H. Gunter last evening, held under the auspices of the Senior Mission Band of the Brunswick street Baptist Church, attracted a large number and proved most enjoyable. The program included vocal solos by Miss May Dolan, Miss Marial Masters, Mrs. F. A. Good, Miss Williams, Miss Daley, Sussex; Mr. Redpath and Master Leo Dolan. There was also a piano duet by Misses Kitchen and selections by the Bible Class orchestra. Mrs. J. H. Calder and Miss Mercereau played the accompaniments. At the conclusion of the program light refreshments were served.

1831—Eleven Italians accused of the murder of Chief of Police Kennedy lynched in New Orleans.

CITY COUNCIL

WILL ORGANIZE
FRIDAY NIGHT

Ald. Wilkinson Mentioned for Chairmanship of Fire Committee which will Transact Important Business This Year

COUNCIL SWORN IN
WITH IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY

The City Council will meet Friday evening for the purpose of organizing committees for the ensuing year. The aldermen say that there has been little discussion concerning the matter of chairmanships, but several new chairmen must necessarily be appointed. The Fire Committee will be an important one this year on account of the intention to erect a modern fire-station and also to increase the pay of the firemen. Ald. Wilkinson, who last year was chairman of Appeals and Contingencies Committee, has been spoken of as the probable chairman of the Fire Committee and it is well known will have the refusal of that chairmanship at any rate. The name of Ald. Burchill is mentioned in connection with the chairmanship of the Water and Sewerage Board, made vacant by the retirement of Ald. W. E. Farrell. Ald. Jewett it is thought, will become chairman of the Roads and Streets Committee, of which he has been acting chairman for some time. Ald. Moore, who was chairman of that committee, will probably take a chairmanship in which less labor is involved. Concerning the other chairmanships, little is said, but it is probable that Ald. Calder will continue as head of the Finance Committee and Ald. Guthrie of that on Administration of Justice.

SWEARING-IN CEREMONY.

Yesterday the new mayor and aldermen were sworn in with impressive ceremony. Mayor-elect Hooper, accompanied by Ald. Ryan, Ald. Calder and City Clerk McCready, waited upon His Honor the Lieutenant Governor at the office of the latter at 3.30, where the oath of office was administered by His Honor to the Mayor. The latter and his party then returned to the City Hall, where His Worship swore in the ten aldermen. The Bible upon which His Worship took the oath, according to custom, were presented to him by the City Clerk. At the conclusion of the ceremony of swearing in Mayor Hooper, Ald. Calder, Ald. Ryan and the City Clerk attended the reception of the Lieutenant Governor at the Barker House.

U.N.B. LADIES' HOCKEY
TEAM WON YESTERDAY

High School Girls Lost 2 to 0 in Interesting Game at the Arctic Rink

Teams of young ladies representing the University of New Brunswick and Fredericton High School met in a hockey game at the Arctic Rink yesterday afternoon. The game resulted in a victory for the young ladies from the college by a score of 2 to 0. Miss Fish scored in both the first and second halves. The game in the beginning was rather slow. The puck was around the F. H. S. goal several times. Miss Crockett for the F. H. S. team did good work and made several good rushes. Miss Fish who played centre also turned out a good brand of hockey. The second half of the game was much faster than the first and there was some good combination playing throughout the game. A delay of five minutes was caused by the breaking of one of the players' skates.

The following was the line-up:
U. N. B. Goal F. H. S.
Miss Corbett.....Miss Phair
Point
Miss Lingley.....Miss Helen Bliss
Cover point
Miss O'Neill.....Miss Hodgson
Centre
Miss Fish.....Miss Crockett
Right Wing
Miss Russell.....Miss E. Bliss
Left Wing
Miss Crockett.....Miss Thompson
Mr. J. L. Feeney, city engineer, refereed in a very satisfactory manner.

FROZEN HYDRANT

There have been complaints concerning frozen hydrants which have been opened by persons other than those connected with the Water Department and allowed to remain filled with water. The hydrant near the Trotting Park was seriously damaged early in the winter in this manner.

INQUIRY RE PULP
WOOD CUT ON CROWN
LANDS FOR EXPERT

Hon. C. W. Robinson asks for Statistics Showing Amount—Public Accounts Committee Organized This Morning

ST. JOHN BILLS PASSED
MUNICIPALITIES COMMITTEE

Hon. C. W. Robinson, M. P. P., for Westmorland and former leader of the opposition this morning before the Public Accounts Committee of the provincial legislature brought up the matter of pulp-wood cut upon Crown Lands and at his suggestion the committee recommended that the officials of the Crown Land Department be requested to prepare statistics to show the quantity of pulp-wood cut upon Crown Lands and exported from the province.

The Public Accounts Committee met this morning for the first time during the session and organized. Mr. J. K. Pinder, M. P. P., was re-elected chairman and Mr. E. J. Payson was appointed secretary in place of Mr. George Y. Dibblee who this session is performing the duties of clerk of the House. After Mr. Robinson had called for accounts and some business had been done the committee adjourned to meet tomorrow morning.

MUNICIPALITIES COMMITTEE

The Municipalities Committee met this morning, Mr. Munro in the chair with Mr. C. H. Flewelling secretary, and agreed to the Bills to amend the Lunenburg Sewerage Act, an Act to fix the valuation of the property of T. S. Simms & Co., Ltd., as to rates and taxes, and an act to fix a valuation of the Wilson Box Company property. All were St. John bills.

CONTINGENCIES COMMITTEE

The Contingencies Committee also met this morning and fixed the same amounts as were decided upon last year.

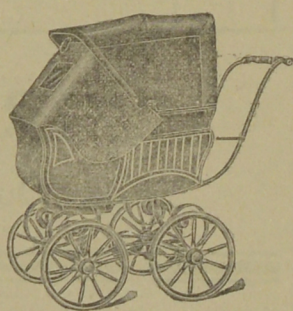
THE UNIQUE TODAY

The Diamonds in a clever singing and talking act begin a three days engagement at the Unique today. Biograph, Pathe and Selig are the picture features. All of more than ordinary interest. The Unique is doing record business this week.



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STATE DINNER BY
HIS HONOR TO BE
GIVEN TONIGHT

Covers to be Laid for Twenty-eight Including Customary Guests—First to be Given at Barker House in Some Years

LIEUT. GOVERNOR
RECEIVED YESTERDAY

The first state dinner to be given by His Honor Lieutenant Governor Wood will take place at the Barker House at nine o'clock tonight. Covers will be laid for twenty-eight. His Honor will have on his right Mr. Justice Landry and on his left Mr. Justice McLeod. Premier Flemming will be seated opposite His Honor. The function will be the first state dinner which has been held at the Barker House in some years. Elaborate preparations for the dinner have been made under the directions of Mr. R. S. Barker, private secretary to the Lieutenant Governor. O'Brien's Orchestra will furnish music.

TO BE PRESENT

Those who will be present at the state dinner tonight will be the following:

Mr. J. Howe Dickson, Private Secretary Barker, Capt. J. T. McGowan, 3rd Artillery, Dr. B. M. Mullin, Sheriff Howe, Hon. Robert Maxwell, Hon. H. F. McLeod, Mr. Justice Landry, the Lieutenant Governor, Mr. Justice McLeod, Hon. D. V. Landry, His Worship Mayor Hooper, Mr. A. B. Copp, M. P. P., Lieut. Col. J. B. M. Baxter, M. P. P., Lieut. Col. Murray MacLaren, Major Doull, A. D. C., Dr. W. S. Carter, Rev. Neil MacLauchlan, Chancellor C. C. Jones, Hon. John Morrissey, Hon. Speaker Clark, Mr. Justice Barry, Hon. J. K. Flemming, Hon. W. C. H. Grimmer, Hon. J. A. Murray, Mr. Scott D. Guptill, M. P. P., Auditor General Loudoun, Assistant Clerk Geo. Y. Dibblee.

YESTERDAY'S RECEPTION

His Honor Lieutenant Governor Wood and Mrs. F. B. Black received at the Barker House yesterday afternoon from four to six. Owing to the inclemency of the weather the attendance at the reception was not so large as it is usually at the Wednesday afternoon receptions. Mrs. Doull poured and Mrs. F. E. Winslow, Miss Stopford and Miss Powell assisted.

THE POPULAR
EYE GLASS

is the new Universal or Fits-U finger-piece, mount fitted with rimless lenses. These eye-glasses can be adjusted to fit almost any nose; they are very becoming and fit without discomfort. The lenses are always in the correct

EDGECOMBE'S
Carpet Room Sale

will be continued a short time longer.

It was the intention to close the sale on Saturday night March 9th; but it has been impossible with the staff of salesmen to serve all who wanted

CARPETS and CURTAINS

For their Homes this Spring

So have thought it only fair to these intending purchasers that the Sale be continued for a short time, with the same Bargain prices as last week.

There will be Tapestry Carpet 33c 37c, 47c, 49c, and 53c. Brussels Carpets, 59c, 68c, 74c, and 83c. Velvet Carpets, 87c. Also Wilton, Axminster, Wools and Unions at away down prices. Also remnants of Carpets, Matting and Oilcloths, Lace Curtains Swiss Curtains and Fancy Scrims, Portiers, Coverings, etc.

Such prices as have been given during the Fire Sale have never been quoted in Fredericton before and may never be offered again so it is well for Housekeepers to be on hand early.

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C. H. BURTT