

LOCAL EVENTS.

The News of the City and Vicinity

SINCE YESTERDAY.

General, Social, Personal and Political Items of Interest.

Police Court.

One drunk was let off with a caution by Col Marsh at the police court this morning.

Committee Meeting.

The fire committee of the city council are meeting this afternoon to deal with the question of purchasing extension ladders.

Death at the Junction.

Mrs Luke Bailey died at her home at Fredericton Junction last evening after a lingering illness, aged 65 years. A husband and three children survive her.

Died at Washington.

Dr William A Balloch, formerly practising dentistry at Woodstock, and an uncle of A. Rainsford Balloch of this city, died at Washington, D C, July 7, aged 74.

Citizens' Meeting.

The citizens' meeting to make arrangements for the reception and entertainment of the Governor General and Lady Minto will be held at the City Hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

May Arrive Tonight.

The Royal Kennebecasis yacht squadron, now enjoying their annual cruise on the St John river, are expected to arrive in Fredericton this evening. The will anchor just below the B and B club house.

Met With an Accident.

Mr Frank Finnamore, of Fredericton, bricklayer, while at work on the Peter McSweeney Co. new building recently had the misfortune to break one of the small bones in his left arm.—Moncton Transcript.

Again at his Post.

Hon A F Randolph was at his office this morning for the first time since Dec 24th, 1899. He remained there for a couple of hours and met a number of acquaintances, who expressed pleasure at seeing him around again after his long and serious illness.

Miss Edwards Will Wed.

This fall will witness the celebration of the marriage of Miss Edwards, daughter of Mr Edwards of Leaman & Co, and Mr Cerdes of the steamer Mackay-Bennett.—Halifax Herald. [Miss Edwards is the only daughter of Robt H Edwards, a former Frederictonian and a niece of John A Edwards of the Queen hotel.]

Destroyed by Lightning.

During the storm last night, lightning struck the spire of St John's Presbyterian church at Dalhousie, N. B., and within an hour the last timber of the fine building and its magnificent stained glass windows were completely destroyed. The heavy rain and the strenuous efforts of a large body of men alone saved the town.

Gone to South Africa.

Col Vince of Woodstock, has received word that his son, Neville, who has held a commission as first lieutenant with his regiment in Ireland, has been given a commission with a special mounted corps bound for South Africa. Lieut Vince is well known in Fredericton, having graduated at the University, and his military career will be watched with interest by his many friends in this city.

Visiting Their Old Home.

Thomas Miller, an old time Fredericton printer, who has been residing at Phoenix, Arizona, for the last nine years, arrived here last evening, accompanied by Mrs Miller, and are receiving a hearty welcome from many old friends. They took in the Pan-American Exposition on the way east. They are the guests of Miss Russell, George street, and expect to remain in the city about a week.

GODSOE-CLARKE.

Happy Nuptial Event at the Residence of Jacob Hazleton.

The beautiful residence of Mr and Mrs Jacob Hazleton, Regent street, was the scene of an interesting event at 7.30 o'clock this morning, when their adopted daughter, Miss Minnie Clarke, was united in marriage to Joseph Godsoe of Boston, Mass. Rev Dr McLeod tied the nuptial knot in the presence of only immediate friends and relatives of the contracting parties.

The bride, who was given in marriage by Mr. Hazleton, was charmingly attired in a costume of pale pink silk, with white panne velvet trimmings, and carried a shower bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Lizzie Ebbett, of Boston, who wore rose pink silk fagotted with white lace, and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Frank Saddler, of the Crown Land Department, was best man.

The bride was the recipient of many valuable presents, including a check from the bridegroom and another from Mr Hazleton. The groom's present to the bridesmaid was a gold ring.

After partaking of a sumptuous wedding breakfast the happy couple took their departure by the steamer David Weston for "the Cedars," where they will remain a few days, before proceeding to their future home at Boston.

The bride's travelling costume was of blue broadcloth, tailor made, with hat to correspond.

ESTEEMED LADY'S DEATH.

rs. John T. Clarke Passed Away After a Long Illness.

The death occurred at her home on Charlotte street, at three o'clock this morning, of Mrs. Henrietta Clarke, beloved wife of John T. Clarke, head of the firm of J. Clarke & Sons, agricultural implement dealers. She had been suffering for some time from an internal trouble, and her death was not unexpected. She was 67 years of age, and leaves in addition to a husband, a family of one son, Ald W. G. Clarke, and one daughter, Miss Ella Clark, both of whom reside here. The deceased was a daughter of the late George Clarke of Upper Queensbury and leaves a large circle of friends and relatives who will learn of her demise with deep regret. Mrs Albert Lounsbury, of Newcastle, and Mrs Benjamin Atherton, of this city, are sisters and another sister and two brothers reside in the Eastern states. The deceased lady was an active and most useful member of the Baptist church and took a warm interest in all departments of church work.

The funeral will take place from her late home on Charlotte street at four o'clock tomorrow afternoon, with George W Adams in charge of the arrangements.

DR. GUNTER'S DEATH.

Former Resident of York Passes Away at Charleston, Mass.

A Duncan Gunter, salesman for J. Clark & Son, received a telegram last evening from Charleston, Mass., announcing the death at that place of his brother, Dr. A. B. Gunter, a former resident of Queensbury, York county. The deceased had been a sufferer for some time from valvular disease of the heart, and news of his demise was not a surprise to his relatives here. He leaves a widow, formerly a Miss Mosher of Boston, and family of three children, to mourn their loss. His aged parents, Mr and Mrs Geo. T. Gunter, reside at Bear Island, and he has a brother living in Boston.

Dr Gunter was a graduate of Harvard University and has been practising his profession at Harvard for twenty years with great success.

GRADUATED AT HARVARD.

J. A. George. Formerly of this City. Takes His M. A. Degree.

Among the Canadians who received the degree of A. M. this year from Harvard University, is Mr. J A George, now visiting his sister, Mrs J G Bauld, Halifax.

Mr George has been doing graduate work in history and political science, at Harvard, for several years, and while studying for the degree of Ph. D., holds the Goodwin Fellowship for Constitutional and International Law. Mr George is the son of the late D. F. George of this city, and a graduate of the U. N. B.

Hickman's Good Work.

Three more Englishmen induced to come to this country through the efforts of Mr W A Hickman, have arrived in Sussex and through the efforts of Dairy Supt Mitchell, have secured places on farms in this vicinity. They are a very desirable class of settlers.—Sussex Record.

Delegates' Attention.

All delegates intending to be present at the County Sunday School Convention to be held at the Baptist church, Prince William, July 24th and 15th, will please forward their names to Miss H. W. Esterbrooke, Lower Prince William.—dw.

Won \$10,000 Stakes.

Detroit, Mich, July 17—Ten thousand people saw Elata, a four-year-old black mare, bred on the Palo Alto farm in California, and owned by ex-Congressman Frank Jones, of New Hampshire, win the \$10,000 merchants' and manufacturers' stake for 2.24 class trotters at the Grosjean track yesterday afternoon, and lower the record for the race from 2 10/16 to 2.08 1/2.

LIGHTNING'S WORK.

Morrison's Mill School House Destroyed by Fire.

ONLY A SMALL PORTION OF FURNITURE SAVED.

Building and Contents Insured For \$1000.

CYRUS BARTON'S HOUSE AT GIBSON SLIGHTLY DAMAGED.

Another electrical storm of considerable violence passed over the city last evening. It started to rain shortly after nine o'clock and for a time came down in sheets, and hailstones also fell. The electrical display lasted for nearly three hours and was certainly a magnificent sight.

The school house at Morrison's Mills was set on fire by a bolt of lightning and burned to the ground, with the greater part of its contents. The fire broke out between ten and eleven o'clock and the reflection could be seen miles away. The residents of the locality turned out and succeeded in saving a portion of the furniture. The loss will be in the neighborhood of \$1700, against which there is an insurance of \$750 on the building and \$250 on the furniture in companies represented by F. I. Morrison. A new building will probably be erected at once. The burned building which was the property of the city, was 70 x 30 feet in size and had lately been repaired at a cost of \$450.

During the progress of the storm the dwelling house of Cyrus Barton at Gibson was struck by lightning and one of his corner boards converted into splinters. The storm was very severe along the Keewick and Nackawick rivers but there is no information to hand regarding the damage done.

FREE HORSE.

A young, docile, stylish and good roading horse with carriage and harness; owner would let a month for his keep. Apply at Long's Hotel.—July 17, d31.

Property, Wanted to Lease.

A suitable business stand on Queen Street, Fredericton, or street leading therefrom. Reply describing premises and stating amount of rent, to "MERCHANT," P. O. Box 369, Fredericton.—July 8 d41

Citizens' Meeting!

A Public Meeting of the citizens is requested at the

CITY HALL,

—ON—

Wednesday

Next, the 17th inst., at the hour of eight o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of arranging for a suitable and proper reception of His Excellency the Governor General on the occasion of his visit to this city on the 30th inst. A full attendance is requested.

Mayor's Office, Fredericton, July 15th, 1901.

July 16, d21

W. C. CROCKET, Mayor.

Goods Saved From the Fire.

Great Bargains

Lucy & Co's.

Thousands of dollars worth of goods slightly damaged by water to be sacrificed at one third their value. Hundreds of suits of clothes for men, boys and children, at prices hitherto unknown in Fredericton. Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Gent's Furnishings, Waterproof Clothing, etc.

The above Sale will commence on Saturday next and continue for two weeks. Terms positively cash on delivery.

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