

LOCAL EVENTS.

The News of the City
and Vicinity

SINCE YESTERDAY.

General, Social, Personal and
Political Items of Interest.

Weather Probs.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Toronto, May 2—Maritime—Fresh strong south to south-westerly winds, showers or local thunder storms to-night, and partly Friday, threatening winds fresh north westerly.

College Sports.

The annual sports of the University students will be held as usual May 24. The boys are in active training and expect to put up a good programme.

Wedding Bells.

Harry Brewer and Maggie Pollock, a daughter of the late Robert Pollock, were united in marriage at St Paul's manse last evening by Rev. Willard Macdonald.

Getting to Work.

The farmers in many parts of the country have commenced their spring work, and some already have seed in the ground. The season is at least a fortnight earlier than last year.

St. John Suicide.

Geo. E. Wilson, a tin worker aged 25 and married, committed suicide at St. John, Wednesday, by putting two bullets into his brain. He was dying of consumption and became despondent.

Recruits Scarce.

Sergt. Brewer, of the R. C. R. I., who has been in St. John seeking to enlist recruits for the garrison battalion at Halifax, went to Sussex this morning. He was not particularly successful in St. John.

Smelt Plentiful.

Smelt have struck in quite plentifully in the river, and several of our local nimrods have succeeded in making good hauls. William Walker and H. R. Babbitt caught twelve dozen near the mouth of Gamble's Creek yesterday afternoon, which is the record so far.

Triplets at St. Stephen.

Tuesday morning Benj. Rannell, employed in the C. P. R. round house at St. Stephen, was head of a family of eight children, and at night his family had been increased to eleven by the arrival of two girls and a boy. The mother and children are all doing well.

Going on a Trip.

A R. Tibbitts has leased his dwelling house on York Street to J. D. Reid, accountant of the Hartt Boot & Shoe company, and will leave tomorrow in company with Mrs. Tibbitts and child for a three week's trip to New York. Upon their return they will take rooms at the Queen.

New Law Clerk.

R. Borpee Hanson, who took the B. A. degree at Mount Allison in 97 and graduated this week from the Dalhousie University Law School will arrive here on Saturday to take the position in the law office of A. R. Slipp vacated by W. P. Taylor. Mr. Hanson will apply for admission this year to the bar of this Province.

Military Matters.

The stone work supporting the verandah in front of the officer's barracks has been brightened by a coat of white-wash.

Lieute. Lawson, of the 67th, McIntosh, of the 93rd and Crilly of the 71st regiments, joined the military school today for a special course of instruction.

Why This Delay?

Roadmaster McKay should lose no time concluding an arrangement with somebody to operate the watering cart during the coming summer. The cart has been out for several days working for the street scrapers, but citizens generally have not felt the benefit as yet. The dust has been blowing around at a great rate during the last day or two, and no doubt people will appreciate the watering cart when it does go on the route, providing it is hauled by a horse that can be made to move at a smart clip.

The Rig Recovered.

The stolen horse and buggy for which the owners and officers of the law have been scouring the county for several days, was recovered yesterday by Mr. McCluskey of Houlton, at Zionville Station, on the line of the Canada Eastern Railway. The thief visited that place on Tuesday, and disposed of the whole

rig to Moses Stewart for \$5. He then boarded the Canada Eastern train and went north and his present whereabouts are unknown. The horse belonged to George Burden of Prince William and the wagon and harness to C. H. McCluskey.

THE GREAT WEST.

A Pleasant Chat With a Late Arrival
From Rossland

Rev. J. G. A. Colquhoun, a former Presbyterian catechist of New Maryland and Morrison's Mills, and who has spent the past year in the missions around Rossland, B. C., is in the city, and delivered a very interesting address on his work in the West at the regular weekly prayer service at St Paul's church last night. Mr. Colquhoun who is a native of Pictou, N. S., and a graduate of Dalhousie University and Pine Hill Theological College, Halifax, is to labor for the next year at Nashwaak, and Stanley in place of Rev. J. S. Robertson, who is going abroad to study. Mr. Colquhoun is receiving a warm welcome from his many friends in this city.

Mr. Colquhoun seems to be quite enamored with the great West, and thinks that before many years British Columbia will be the banner province of Canada. The town of Rossland, he says, is less than six years old, but the population is now slightly in excess of 7000. It is one of the great mining centres of the province, and undoubtedly has a great future before it. The place is now settling down to a steady substantial growth, and many of its buildings would do credit to large cities. Of course copper mining is the chief industry and furnishes steady employment for a large number of men. No less than five banks including the bank of Montreal, Royal Bank of Canada, and Bank of B. N. A., have agencies in Rossland, and do a large business. The Bank of Montreal recently erected a building at a cost of \$55,000, and it is claimed that this bank's Rossland agency is one of the most profitable in Canada.

Rossland is part of the constituency of Yale-Caribou and is represented in the Dominion Parliament by a Liberal, Mr. Galliber of Nelson.

Mr. Colquhoun claims that the climate of the Kootenay district is not so severe during the winter season as the climate of New Brunswick, although snow falls to a greater depth than here, the average being about six feet. The air is quite dry, however, and there is practically no wind. The rush to Cape Nome, he says, is still going on, but not to such a great extent as last spring. Most of the fitting out for this alleged Eldorado is done at Seattle in Washington State.

Mr. Colquhoun took his departure from Rossland about the middle of March and journeyed to California where he spent several weeks visiting friends. He returned to the East by way of the Santa Fe route to Chicago, and in passing through the state of Kansas on April 13th noticed wheat four inches high. He took the Michigan Central Railway on leaving Chicago, and came home by way of Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Albany and Boston.

Among the New Brunswickers whom Mr. Colquhoun met while in Rossland, was Mr. Charles Mills, a native of Lincoln, Sanbury County. He says Mr. Mills is foreman of carpenter work in connection with the mines and is in receipt of a large income. He has been in the west about fifteen years.

The River and Drives.

The water in the river is receding quite rapidly, having gone down fully a foot during the last twenty-four hours. The Star Line steamers have been able to land at the company's wharf for several days. A great many logs are running, up river, and the booms at Douglas and Sugar Island are filling up quite rapidly. Donald Fraser & Sons drive on Queen River, reached safe water on Thursday of last week. Nothing definite has yet been heard from the drives on the upper St. John.

Valuable Property Sold.

The brick building on Queen street belonging to the Machum estate was sold at public auction at noon today by Auctioneer Stockford. It is a leasehold property, and is occupied by Dever Bros and W. H. Lottimer. After a sharp competition it was knocked down to Fred B. Edgecombe and F. I. Morrison for \$8,600. The property was started at \$8,000, and raised \$5 at each bid. Sheriff Sterling bid it up to \$8,595.

Finest on the Road.

A clergyman recommends the Canadian Jubilee Singers in the following word: "I have no hesitancy in saying that this is the finest concert company to-day on the road. Their entertainment is chaste and in every way a delight." Secure your seats at once at McMurray's for the Jubilee concert on Friday, May 10th.—May 2&4.

GLASGOW EXHIBITION OPENED.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Glasgow, May 2—The Duke and Duchess of Fife opened the big exhibition this morning, expressing the King's wishes for its success.

To Cure a Cold in one Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box.—d&w.

Prepare For the Big.

Cheap sale, that will start this Saturday at 10 a. m. in M. Fickler & Co's 4 big stores, read solid facts, to-morrow's paper, don't be too late, tell your friends.—d.

MARRIED.

At St. Marys, April 20th, by Rev. W. B. Belliss, Abraham Thompson to Mrs. Harry Wheeler, both of this city.

MEAT AND PRODUCE.

The subscriber will open a Meat and Produce Store on Saturday, May 4, at his old stand on King street, opposite the N. B. Foundry.

JOHN E. MCCARTHY.

May 2—d21

Star Laundry.

York Street, Fredericton, N. B.

JOHN B. HAWTHORN, Proprietor.

Having lately removed my Laundry Business to new quarters on York street, and installed new and up-to-date machinery, I am now in a better position than ever to meet the wants of the public in my line. Special attention given to Family Washing. All orders receive prompt attention. I make a specialty of doing up Lace Curtains and invite a trial order.

JOHN B. HAWTHORN.

List of Agencies—Rivestown, W. A. Campbell; Stanley, Jerry Rogers; Hawkeshaw, B. Colpitts; Bear Island, M. A. Hagerman.
May 2—d&w

NOTICE TO

Water Consumers.

The consumers of City Water are hereby notified that the

WATER RENT

for the term ending October 31st, 1901, is due and payable at the

Water Office,

on

WEDNESDAY NEXT,

the first day of May.

You are respectfully invited to attend and take out your permits.

ALEX. BURCHILL,
Superintendent.

Fredericton, April 29, 1901.—3d.61.

WANTED.

A Good, Experienced Housekeeper to take charge of a large family. Write Box 310, city. April 23—d61-w11

TO LET.

From May 1st next, that desirable residence on Waterloo Row occupied by the subscriber. Good bath room and furnace.

March 11—dtf A. R. SLIPP.

Nurse Wanted.

Wanted, a Nurse Girl. Apply to Mrs. R. P. Foster, St. John street. Apr 26—d21

TO LET.

A Suite of Offices in the Howard & Crangle building, corner of Carleton and Queen streets, lately occupied by Black, Bliss & Nealis. Apply on the premises to

JAMES CRANGLE.



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Breakwater at Chance Harbour, N. B." will be received at this office until Saturday, 25th May next, inclusively, for the construction of a Breakwater at Chance Harbour, St. John County, New Brunswick, according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of E. T. P. Shewen, Esq., Resident Engineer, St. John, N. B., on application to the Postmaster of Chance Harbour, N. B., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for three thousand dollars (\$3,000), must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the party declines the contract or fails to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. By order,

JOS. R. ROY,
Acting Secretary.

Department of Public Works,

Ottawa, 26th April, 1901.
Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it.
April 30—d31

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Agent Butterick Patterns.

Cork and Inlaid Linoleums
for dining room and office
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Silention and English Oil-
cloths in all widths, 3, 4-4,
5-4, 6-4, 8-4, 12-4, 16-4 wide.

Stair and Table Oil Cloths.

All this season's patterns.

Latest in
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lowest prices.

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all in stock and opened up ready for
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our vegetable seeds in bulk only, and
packet them ourselves, thus ensuring you good, clean seed
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We again direct your attention to our

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Which is unsurpassed for producing an even and velvety lawn.

Hunt & MacDonald

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My Wheel runs since I had it cleaned
and repaired at

Burt's Bicycle Machine Shop

This is a common expression heard among
bicyclists at the present time. Special attention
given to Ladies' Wheels.

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Fredericton, N. B., Opp. J. S. NEILL'S.

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H. C. JEWETT'S,

Telephone 338

Corner Regent and King Street

Removal Notice.

The Law Offices of R. W. McLellan, Bar-
rister, have been removed to the Burchill
premises, the second building on the lower
side of Carleton street from Queen.
April 11—dtf-w31

Watch Lost.

Lost, this afternoon on Regent street, be-
tween John O'Neill's and William Lemont's
corner, a Ladies' Gold Watch, with hunting
case. Finder will please leave at Herald
Office.
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