

Events of a Day.

Handsome Sum Realized.

The gross receipts of the tea held at the Methodist church last week by the L. A. Willmot Mission band amounted to nearly \$83.

Wedding Bells.

At St. Paul's manse last evening Rev. Willard Macdonald performed the ceremony uniting in marriage Mr. Alonzo Crawford and Miss Effie Jones, both of this city.

Going to England.

Ald. John S. Scott, the energetic secretary-treasurer of the Scott Lumber Company expects to leave early in the new year on a business trip to the old country.

Matrimonial Rumor.

It is rumored that the Christmas holidays will witness the marriage of an up town insurance man and a young lady residing in the southern part of the parish of St. Marys.

Heating Apparatus.

The municipal authorities are installing a new heating apparatus in the county jail and expect to have the work completed in the course of a few days. Mr. J. Shea has the contract.

Order for Snowshoes.

Mr. Frank S. West, purchasing agent for the G. T. P. surveying parties in New Brunswick has orders to secure 150 pairs of snowshoes here for the use of the engineers and their assistants.

Lost His Cash.

A well known resident of Kingsclear, who came to the city yesterday and spent the evening celebrating with the boys, claims to have been robbed of \$60, which he had about his person. The police are now working upon the case.

Funeral on Saturday.

The funeral of the late Mr. James Higgins will take place from his late home at Marysville at eight o'clock on Saturday morning. Services will be held at St. Anthony's church, St. Mary's, by Rev. Father Ryan, commencing at nine o'clock.

The River Crossing.

Mr. Hugh Balkam, C. E. who has charge of the Grand Trunk surveying party between Chipman and Gibson, is at work with his men today surveying for a river crossing. It is understood that the party will make soundings in the river at different points opposite the city.

New Brick Block.

It is understood that Messrs. John Gibson & Sons will early in the spring, tear down the wooden building on Queen street, owned and occupied by them and erect in its stead a substantial three story brick block. It is likely that next season will witness the erection of other brick buildings on Queen street.

Bands Will Turn Out.

Representatives of the Fredericton Brass and 71st bands held a meeting last evening and decided to play at the funeral of the late Frank Bryson, which takes place at two o'clock p. m. tomorrow. It is understood the R. C. R. band will also take part. The late Mr. Bryson rendered good service to the bands of the city in days gone by, and it is most fitting that some recognition should be made of his worth as a musician.

LUGGED IN POLITICS.

An Unpleasant Incident at the St. Andrew's Society Dinner.

The Herald was not honored with an invitation to send a representative to the St. Andrew's Society dinner, but a member of the society who was present, sends us the following:

"Saint Andrew's society celebrated their anniversary last evening in royal style.

"The spacious dining hall of the Windsor Hall was filled to overflowing by the members of the society and their guests. The menu provided was about the best that the society has in recent years put before their guests and the evening passed

off most enjoyably with some exceptions.

To a casual observer it would appear that the dinner and celebration was held to glorify Scotchmen—and the Conservative party.

Unfortunate references by the president of the society to party politics caused considerable unfavorable comment even from his political supporters, among a company comprised of all shades of political opinion and received the strongest condemnation.

To cap the climax however, and to cause indignation to overflow among a large number of those present at the dinner, including both guests and members of the society—reference and a criticism was made by an Episcopal clergyman, and only a new member of the society, to the action of the government over the Dunsdon affair.

What the reverend gentleman sought to cloak his allusions to the action of the government in this respect, yet his subsequent remarks simply accentuated the fact that his aim was not to promote good feeling among the members of the society but rather to stir up political feeling over a dead issue of party politics and to endeavor to get an underhand crack at the government.

Needless to say the most prominent and intelligent members of the society in this city are Liberals who have temporarily allowed the control of the society's affairs to be manipulated by second rate politicians, but who now recognize that in order to save the society from becoming a Conservative club and thereby leading to disruption, some drastic measures must be taken to discipline those responsible for last night's fiasco.

MONTHLY STATISTICS.

Gratifying Increase in Imports for the Month of November.

The customs returns for the month of November show a very gratifying increase in the value of imports. The value of free goods for the month was \$31,611, and of dutiable goods \$13,557, making a total of \$45,168. The amount collected in duties was \$3,144.12. The value of goods entered for consumption for the month of November, 1903, was \$28,348, of which \$18,844 represented free goods and \$10,504 dutiable goods. The amount collected in duty was \$2,375.65.

The amount deposited in the government savings bank here during November was \$12,592, and the withdrawals for the same period amounted to \$15,241.55. The balance due depositors on November 30th was \$1,060,871.10.

The amount collected in fines at the Fredericton police court last month was \$191. This included penalties in three Scott Act cases.

Hockey Notes.

A number of local hockey enthusiasts held a meeting at the Arctic rink last evening to plan for the approaching season, but on account of the absence of several well known players an adjournment was made without any action being taken.

The Trjans who carried off the championship here last season are confident of having a strong combination ready to take the warpath in a short time.

A member of the Grand Trunk surveying party, from Sydney, working near this city, is one of the crack hockey players of Nova Scotia, and an effort will likely be made to induce him to take a hand in some of the games here this winter.

Monster Moose Head.

The head of the moose shot at Little River by S. Dow Simmons and C. H. Allen was brought out of the woods today, and is now on exhibition at Enack Bros. establishment. The antlers are large, well formed, and have wide blades. The spread from tip to tip is 56 1/2 inches and there are twenty-three points. It took twenty shots to give the animal its quietus. Messrs. Simmons and Allen are being warmly congratulated on their success as hunters. They speak in the highest terms of Mr. Lorenzo Savage who was their guide.

Miss Gretchen Phair, daughter of Edward Phair, of Nelson, B. C., is here visiting Mrs. David Hart, who is quite ill at her home on King street.

THE SCHOOL BOARD

Monthly Meeting of the Trustees Wednesday Afternoon.

PETITION OF TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION REFERRED TO A COMMITTEE.

The regular monthly meeting of the city school board was held yesterday afternoon with all the members present except Mrs. Dever. The accounts for the month were passed for payment and a lot of business, principally of a routine nature, was disposed of.

As a means of preventing an outbreak of epidemic disease in the schools, it was decided to arrange with the Board of Health to make provision for a medical inspection of the pupils at such times as may be deemed necessary. Dr. Vanwart was appointed a committee to confer with the health authorities in regard to the matter. The closing of Miss Burt's department of the York street school for a week last month because of illness among the pupils, led to this action being taken by the Board. It is felt that greater precautions should be taken in future to prevent a recurrence of the trouble.

Miss Reed of Chatham, who has most acceptably filled a position on the staff of the Regent Street school for the past month, tendered her resignation on account of ill health and with great regret the Board accepted it. No appointment was made to the vacancy which is at present being supplied by Miss Hughes.

Following the usual custom an increase of \$50 was made to the salary of Mr. F. A. Good, the efficient instructor in science at the Normal school.

It was decided to pay the rental of a piano to be used by the pupils of Miss McAdam's department of the Charlotte street school during the Christmas closing exercises.

The petition of the city teachers' association for an increased salary was taken up and referred to a committee composed of Sheriff Sterling and Secretary Sampson, with instructions to interview the association and obtain further information.

The more a man gets the more he wants—unless a police judge is dealing it out.

LOST.

On Tuesday evening, between Fredericton and Marysville, a Lady's Short Blue Cloth Coat, Velvet Belt and Steel Buckle attached. The Coat will not be of any use to anyone but owner as it belongs to suit. Finder will please leave same at Herald Office, Fredericton.
Dec. 1—d21

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