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The Scotchmen of Fredericton, who are exploiting the erection of a Burns statue in this city, are much encouraged by the assistance promised from their brethren in St. John.

County Court Judge Hughes, of St. Thomas, Ontario, retired by the superannuation act of last season, has spent fifty years on the bench, a record breaker in Canadian judicial annals.

The Tories are putting up a mean kind of campaign in St. John against Mr. McKeown, and their organs are surpassing their record in the number and character of their misrepresentations.

After one of the coldest summers on record, New Brunswick is now experiencing the coldest winter within the recollection of the oldest inhabitant. Last night's record of 40 below breaks all previous registering for thirty years.

That there will be war, and that speedily between Russia and Japan, seems to be generally accepted. The two powers are only sparring for wind, and the outbreak can only be a few days distant. Will England be drawn into the quarrel, is the question uppermost in diplomatic circles?

Dr. Stockton, who has taken to the stamp in St. John, is prolific in issuing challenges, but nobody seems to be paying much attention to them. The doctor is a political back number, having been disastrously beaten in elections in both local and federal arenas. He has been Liberal and Tory, and his political instability is as notorious as his public speeches are full of bombast.

The St. John Board of Trade, common council and press, for months have been begging the Dominion Government to dredge the harbour so that the city can build more wharves to rent to the C. P. R. for increased winter port facilities, and now that the Government has acceded to the request, the Tories turn around and accuse the administration of seeking to bribe the electorate. What an ungrateful people.

Mr. Geo. Robertson, M. P. P., in a speech at St. John last night, said that Mr. Wainwright of the Grand Trunk declared to him that the Grand Trunk Pacific will certainly come to St. John. Officials of the company had already made an inspection of the port and the chief export business of the road would be done through St. John. How absurd then the Tory canvas that Portland, Me., will capture the business of the new line.

Dr. Stockton declares that the federal contest in St. John is a struggle for the labor classes and the Tories are their champions. St. John Tories tried to work that canvas in the last local election, running Mr. Macinerney and Mr. Hetheway as labor candidates with the hope of splitting the Liberal vote, but the scheme did not work and it will fail now. The laboring men know that the Liberals are their best friends in Parliament and out of it. It is the Liberal policy that is giving the laboring men work in the St. John winter port business. The Tories are the kid glove party and have no use for laboring men except at election time.

Lakeville Corner.

(Special correspondence to the Herald.)
Feb. 4.—The roads in this section are again completely blocked with snow.
Several young men of this place came home from the woods Saturday.
Fred McGowan, Government lumber-

surveyor, passed through here yesterday. Mrs. Frank Vandine has gone to Fredericton to spend a few days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Winslow Chase returned from Fredericton yesterday.

A number of young people of this place spent a very enjoyable evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Day last week.

Mrs. John Felton and Mrs. Warren Day spent Saturday at Little River.

Little Lord Fauntleroy.

Thursday evening, Feb. 11th, the opera house should be crowded to the doors, to witness the Dailey Stock Company's performance of Little Lord Fauntleroy. Every mother, father, and their children too, should not fail to see the wonderful child actress Little Edwina Paul, in the title role. This wonderful child, she is only ten years of age, is one of the cleverest child actresses in America, and the St. John papers and public went simply wild over her performance of Little Lord Fauntleroy in that city last week. This little lady earns a salary large enough to support many a family in luxury, and she already has a bank account that many men and women who have striven for years would be delighted to own. She was asked one day recently why she was saving all her money, and her reply was an astonishing one. "Well," she said, some day a nice man will want to marry me, and he may be poor, if he is why I can marry him and keep him too." That is a very good determination, but she will probably change her mind in a few years. Many Fredericton people who were in St. John during the performance of Little Lord Fauntleroy, saw her and several of them approached the manager of the Dailey Stock Company, and asked him when he came to Fredericton, if he ever did, to produce Little Lord Fauntleroy first. Seats will be on sale at Wilkes' on Tuesday morning, Feb. 9th, and intending patrons should apply at once, in order to secure their favorite seats.—d.

ST. STEPHEN SOCIETY.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Todd Entertained at the Windsor.

The ball given by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Todd and Miss Fannie Todd, at the Windsor, on Friday evening, was one of the most enjoyable social affairs of last week, and highly successful in each particular. The only thing lacking was men, and the preponderance of pretty young debutantes, all good dancers, and other fair women, who had to wait their turn, was the only regrettable feature. Bridge pit, and straight waist were excellent substitutions for the non-dancers, and thus each guest was amply provided with means of entertainment.

Mrs. Todd looked exceedingly handsome in a black lace gown and diamond ornaments.

Miss Fannie Todd wore a beautiful gown of white point d'esprit.

Miss Bridges, of St. John, who is Mrs. Todd's guest, wore a white dotted orandie, with black velvet applique.

The ladies were at their best and many beautiful gowns were worn.

Woodbury's orchestra furnished music and dancing continued until long after midnight. At intermission, salad, coffee, ices, etc., were served.—Cour. er.

At the U. N. B.

The following are the marks which were posted at the U. N. B. today:

Senior, Geology. Honors, 1st Class.—McAdam.
Distinction, 1st Class—Massie, Richards, Sherwood, Murphy, DeLong, Howe.
Junior, engineers, geology. 1st Division—Crockshank; 2nd, Bedell, Steeves, Ludwick, McLeod, Dibblee.
Sophomores, anatomy. 1st distinction—Allingham, Manzer.

The Glee Club will meet this evening at 7 o'clock.

The mock trial will take place at the College building this evening at 8 o'clock. The public are invited to attend.

SUPREME COURT JUDGMENTS.

Decision in Two Important St. John Cases.

The supreme court yesterday delivered the following judgments in addition to those already published in the Herald:

King vs. Ritchie ex parte McInnes—Appeal dismissed; Judges Barker and Gregory no part.

Seely vs. Dalton—Judgment of Police Magistrate Ritchie sustained.

Connolly vs. City of St. John—Court unanimously ordered a new trial on application of the defendant.

Lewin vs. Lewin—This was a special case involving the right to property to the value of about \$10,000 let by the late Mary Louise Clarke Lewin, who died intestate. Plaintiff Richard S. C. Lewin contended that the whole of the property should go to him as next of kin, while on behalf of the defendant, Margaret Lewin, it was contended that the property should be divided equally between the father and mother. Judgment of court was delivered by Judge Barker in favor of the plaintiff, the chief justice dissenting and Judge McLeod took no part.

Johnson vs. Flewelling—Application to set aside the verdict for defendant and for a judgment for the plaintiff refused.

James Kay vs. City of Moncton—Judgment for defendant.

VanBaskirk vs. Vanwart—Appeal allowed and non-suit entered in the court below with costs.

As will be seen in another column, Mr. F. B. Edgcombe has several places to let. They include brick and wooden dwellings, stores, offices, warehouses and tenements. There is quite a variety to choose from, and it seems to be a case of pay your money and take your choice.—d

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