

Events of a Day.

A New Member.

Dr. E. O. Steeves, of Moncton, has been gazetted a member of the provincial board of health.

Going to Woodstock.

The Very Rev. Dean Partridge will conduct the services at the Woodstock Anglican churches on Sunday next.

Mrs. Bailey's Funeral.

The funeral of the late James Bailey will take place tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock, from his late home Magerville.

County Accounts.

The administration of justice committee of the city council will meet with a committee from the municipal board at the city hall on Tuesday afternoon next at four o'clock to pass the accounts for the past year.

The Carnival.

The fancy dress carnival at the Arctic rink on Friday night promises to be the most successful ever held here. The large sum offered in prizes is inducing many skaters to prepare costumes, and the turn out promises to be a large one. Make no engagement for Friday evening.

Death at Nashwaaksis.

Mrs. Emma Staples, widow of the late John Staples, died at her home at Nashwaaksis last evening, aged 68 years. She is mourned by one son, Frank Staples, and one daughter, Miss Mary Staples. The funeral will take place at 2.30 p. m. tomorrow with services by Rev. J. DeW. Cowie. Undertaker Robert B. Adams has charge of the arrangements.

Two More Have Skipped.

Privates Endall and Coates of the R. C. R. absented themselves without leave from the barracks today and it is believed have deserted the corps. They are reported to have left the city by the six o'clock train last evening en route to Uncle Sam's domain. Endall is well known in athletic circles and played goal for the Marysville hockey team.

Municipal Council.

The York municipal council will meet in semi-annual session at the county court house, on Tuesday next at ten o'clock. It seems now to be the general opinion that the wardenship will go to either McAdam or Southampton. The new members of the board are Hinchey of Stanley, Pond and Forbes of St. Marys, McNally of Queensbury, McGirr of Prince William, and Clarke of North Lake.

Still at Large.

There is no word yet concerning Private Vancine, the soldier who deserted from the R. C. R. yesterday after robbing Capt. Kemmis-Betty. The police authorities at St. John and Woodstock have been notified and if he shows up at either of those places, he stands a good chance of being captured. The general impression here is that he boarded the Woodstock train with the intention of making his way to Houlton.

Bold Robbery.

The store of Herbert Lawrence of Lower Prince William was burglarized one night last week and a quantity of groceries carried away. The tracks on the snow the following morning showed that the thieves had travelled by horse and sleigh. They stopped their rig in front of the store, and after smashing the door in helped themselves to what goods they wanted and drove away. The store of W. E. Scott of Damfries was burglarized in the same manner a few nights previous.

Football Captain Elected.

At a meeting of the debating society of the University this morning in compliance with a resolution of the bye-law of the society, in regard to the election of the football captain for next year, the election was held. The choice of the student body for this much coveted honor was Mr. J. D. McCarthy, '05, of this city. McCarthy has played for two years on the U. N. B. team, is a splendid

football player, an all round athlete and takes a deep interest in the game. His election met with the general approbation of the student body, and it is generally conceded that he will make an ideal captain. It was also decided to elect a vice-captain to assist the captain in his responsible position. There was some discussion as to whether this office should go to a member of this year's junior or sophomore class. Barker '05 was unanimously elected to the position, and he is undoubtedly a good man for the office and a good athlete.

THE ANNUAL MEETING.

York County Agricultural Society Transacted the Usual Business.

The annual meeting of the York County Agricultural Society, of which the veteran showman, Mr. John H. Reid, is the leading spirit, was held in the city council chamber this afternoon. Those present were President Reid in the chair, and life members, Messrs. John E. McCarthy and Alonzo Staples. Mr. Alonzo Staples was appointed secretary pro tem.

The president submitted an exhaustive report, covering last year's operations of the society, which at his suggestion was adopted amidst great enthusiasm, and the president was given a hearty vote of thanks.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:

President—J. H. Reid.

Vice President—I. R. Golding.

Secretary Treasurer—J. Hugh Calder.

Executive—J. E. McCarthy, Dougald McCatherin, with the officers.

The president told the usual story in regard to the alleged claims of the society against the Canadian Pacific and St. John Valley Railway companies and was appointed a committee to continue the fight.

The president and Mr. J. T. Sharkey were appointed a committee to draw up a resolution of condolence on the death of their late member, Nelson Campbell.

After several weighty matters had been discussed the meeting adjourned until the second Thursday after the second Tuesday in January next.

College Notes.

The committee of students who have in charge the drawing up of bye-laws and regulations to govern the Mock Parliament to be held next month at the University, are making good progress with their work. It is confidently expected as a result of their labor that no more deadlocks will occur in the future such as delayed the business of the House last year. It is thought that the Liberal party will be in power. Among other changes there will be two sergeants-at-arms as well as two ushers. The students are already looking forward to the opening.

At this morning's meeting of the student body, there was some discussion as to the advisability of changing the style of football used by the team at present to the English football, which is held to be superior in many ways and is used by the Halifax and other Nova Scotia teams. No action was taken however in this regard.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of People in Whom Our Readers are Interested.

Fred E. Jordan, of the University, is still confined to his room from the result of the accident in the basket ball game Tuesday. His knee is very painful.

Mr. J. E. Fraser, of Sydney a student at the University, who was taken to the hospital a few days ago suffering from typhoid fever, is doing as well as can be expected.

Miss May Rowley, of Marysville, is to leave early next month for Kingston, Jamaica, to spend a few months with her brother, Mr. Fred Rowley, manager of the Bank of N. S. at that place.

Political Debate.

The debate at the University on Saturday evening will be on the following subject: Resolved that party allegiance in politics is preferable to independent action. Havilade, '04, will lead for the affirmative and Trueman for the negative.

ONTARIO HOUSE

Formally Opened by
Lieut.-Governor
Clark.

NO IMPORTANT LEGISLATION
FORESHADOWED.

Hon. H. R. Emmerson Arrives at Ottawa.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Toronto, Jan. 14.—Lienenant Governor Clark, formally opened the Ontario legislature this afternoon. The speech from the throne does not foreshadow any very important legislation. The speech promises that the report of the select committee appointed to study the subject of municipal trade or municipal ownership of public utilities would be laid before the assembly.

It also promises that measures will be submitted for the improvement of license laws, the amendment of the assessment act, the conservation of the timber resources and measures in amendment of the election act.

On account of the slender majority of the government the session promises to be more than usually interesting.

A High Approval.

The London Times, has said, in referring to a volume of poems lately published from the pen of Charles G. D. Roberts, formerly of Fredericton, that opening his book is much like entering a wood, which lures you farther than you mean to go.

Mr. William J. Scott, president of the Scott Lumber Company, returned to Quebec this afternoon.

Water Works Dept.

Notice is hereby given, that the law forbidding the continuous running of water will hereafter be strictly enforced, and any person found breaking the same will be proceeded against. The penalty for a breach of this law is a fine not exceeding fifty dollars. An inspector, duly appointed, will visit the several premises, and on his report, suits against the parties found infringing the law will be proceeded with at once.

Dated this 9th January, A. D., 1904.

By order,

ALEX. BURCHILL,

Supt. Water Works.

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ESTATE NOTICE

All persons having any claims against the estate of Joanna Estabrooks, late of the City of Fredericton, in the County of York, widow, deceased, are requested to present the same, duly attested, to Havelock Coy of the said City of Fredericton, Barrister at Law, within three months from this date, and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the said Havelock Coy.

Dated this 7th day of January, A. D., 1904.

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