

Events of a Day

THE WEATHER

Maritime—East and northeast winds with snow or sleet. Thursday winds shifting to northwest and becoming much colder.

A MONCTON PURCHASE.

Transcript.—Messrs. John H. Lee, of Woodstock, R. G. Lee of Fredericton, and F. J. Lee, of Woodstock, are at the Minto. The above parties have purchased the Variety Store of Mr. G. H. Haskins, Main street.

THE STRENUOUS LIFE.

Engagements are so numerous these days that the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's Church wish to announce thus early their monopoly of March 1st. Particulars later.—d.

ST. ANDREWS COMING.

Six rinks representing the St. Andrew's curling club of St. John, will arrive here tomorrow morning to play a return match with Fredericton.

DON'T FORGET

that we are going to have a mighty big sale. Our entire stock is for sale—cost not considered. Come in and see what "Fickler" has to offer you. No imitation sale here. Tell your friends of it.—d.

ST. PAUL'S PULPIT.

On account of the death of his sister at Windsor, Rev. Willard McDonald will be absent on Sunday and he occupied at both services that the pulpit of St. Paul's Church will day by Rev. Frank Baird of Sussex.

SCOTT ACT.

A Scott Act case against a resident of St. Mary's, the complaint in which was lodged by Rev. J. J. Colter, is to come before Col. Marsh at the police court tomorrow morning.

POSITIVELY THE BIGGEST.

fight we have ever put up in selling good goods cheap. See our prices and styles of making sale of sales. Don't come by the hundreds as have not enough clerks to wait on all at once. M. Fickler & Co.

SAD NEWS!

Rev. Willard McDonald, pastor of St. Paul's church and Miss Macdonald, were called to Windsor, N. S., on Monday by a telegram announcing the death of their sister, Mrs. Uhlman of that place. They had no previous intimation of her illness, and the sad news was a great surprise and a shock to them.

CLEVER ENTERTAINER.

Mr. Edward P. Elliott of Boston, entertained a large and representative audience at the opera house last evening, with selections from Prescott's great novel, David Harum. Mr. Elliott proved himself a remarkably clever and versatile entertainer, and kept the audience in the best of humor throughout. The entertainment was the last but one in the Spencer Star Course.

VALENTINE WHIST PARTY.

The A. O. H. of St. Mary's are to hold one of their bi-weekly Whist parties this evening at their hall St. Mary's. As it is St. Valentine's Eve several other games and amusements will be indulged in, and one of the most enjoyable evenings yet held may be expected. There will be only one more evening of these parties.

AFTER A NEW ORDER.

Chairman MacNeill has called a meeting of the County Board of Health for Saturday next to consider the advisability of applying to a judge of the Supreme Court for a new order to compel the municipal council to pay the board's account. The last order was set aside by the Supreme Court, and the Board of Health's account is still unpaid.

DIED IN LOUISIANA.

The death of Mrs. Jennie McFarlane, aged thirty-eight years, occurred at Alexandria, Louisiana, on Sunday, Jan. 28. Her death is attributed to pneumonia. She was the wife of C. W. McFarlane, formerly of Sunbury County, N. B., but now connected with the Enterprise Iron Works at Alexandria. Beside her husband nine children survive, the youngest being a babe ten days old.

THE BARONY.

Feb. 12.—The recent snowstorm was welcomed by all who have any hauling to do.

Miss Bell Porter is visiting friends at Nackawick.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ebbett were entertained on Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Huestis.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Scott of Dumfries, are to be congratulated on the arrival of a son at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanford Burden of Pokiok, have also been made happy by the arrival of a baby girl.

DEATH AT OROMOCTO.

The death took place at Oromocto yesterday afternoon of Mr. Robert

Johnson, an aged and respected resident of that place after an attack of gangrene. The deceased gentleman who was 87 years of age is survived by three sons, one residing at home and two in the States. He is also survived by three daughters, Mrs. Boyd of Waasis, Mrs. John Rush of St. Mary's and one daughter residing at home.

The funeral took place at two o'clock this afternoon with services at Oromocto by Rev. Father Hannigan.

MADE BIG PROFITS.

Lumber Rafting Pays Better on the Restigouche Than on the St. John.

The following extract from the report submitted to the Legislature by the commission appointed to investigate charges against the Restigouche Boom Company, will be read with interest by lumbermen and others:

"Stated shortly the financial history of the company is this: During a period of 23 years, from 1881, when its operations commenced, down to the close of the season of 1904, it has added improvements in its plant valued at \$40,000, or twice the amount of its capital; it has paid during the last eleven years dividends to its shareholders and in profits made by its lessees in operation, \$111,739.88, or over 5 1/2 times its capital and it has no indebtedness. In this computation is not included the difference between the net profits received by Mr. Richards for the years previous to 1903, and which, after making all deductions claimed by him, amount according to his own figures to \$2,537.64. These results your commissioners think somewhat unusual for a business involving no exceptional risk, occupying only four or five months of the year and carried on under the management of but two salaried officials—one Mr. Smith, whose salary is \$1,500 a year, and the other Mr. Sheals, who is boom master.

"Your commissioners are of opinion that after making liberal allowance for an annual dividend to shareholders and ample provision for an expenditure likely to become necessary in making repairs and additions to the company's work, a substantial reduction to the tolls exacted from the operators might be made without in any way injuring the financial strength of the company or decreasing the efficiency of its work.

"From sworn statements submitted to your commissioners and compiled from Messrs. Richards' books, it appears that from 1883 to 1905, inclusive, the total amount of lumber rafted at the boom was 623,141,041 superficial feet, besides 2,643 tons of timber. While there has not been an increase every year during that period, there was an increase from 9,352,233 feet as returned for the season of 1887 to 64,495,233 superficial feet as returned for the season of 1904. Of this latter quantity the Shives Lumber Company, one of the complainants, contributed 20,020,000 feet; the Dalhousie Lumber Company, another complainant, 13,900,000 feet; the Chaleur Bay Mills, 7,568,350 and B. A. Mowatt, another complainant, 1,462,500 feet. The remainder was put in by the William Richards Co. whose quantity was 11,354,250 feet. W. S. Montgomery, 4,504,316 and some small operators.

THE NEW P. M.

Ald. Edwards Says He Will Strive Faithfully to Serve the Public.

Ald. Edwards is receiving the congratulations of his numerous friends all over the province on his appointment as postmaster of Fredericton. The new appointee expects his commission in the course of a few days, and when it arrives he will take charge of the office. He says that he will enter upon his duties with a determination to faithfully serve the public. "You can rest assured," said Mr. Edwards "that anything I can do to make the postal service in Fredericton more popular with the public, will be done. The office now closes at sharp ten o'clock at night but on occasions when there is something going on, such as an entertainment, that attracts a large crowd of people, it might be possible to keep the doors open a few minutes longer without causing serious inconvenience to the employees. At any rate I am not going to follow any cast iron rules in the matter."

THE LATE MRS. TAYLOR

The funeral of the late Mrs. Geo. T. Taylor, took place from her late residence on Northumberland street at four o'clock this afternoon and was attended by a large number of sorrowing relatives and friends. An impressive service was conducted at the house by Rev. J. R. DeWolfe Cowie, and interment was made in the rural cemetery. A number of beautiful floral offerings testified the esteem in which the deceased was held. The pall bearers were Messrs A. R. Slipp, John Oldham, J. Hugh Calder, W. C. Buttrick, R. T. Mack, and T. H. Colter. Undertaker George W. Adams had charge of the arrangements.

Some lady curlers in the big bonspiel in Montreal, got into a fight. Of course, a man, as usual, was the bone of contention. A decision of the referee, Mr. Hodgeson, was disputed, and two clubs, with their brooms, walked off the ice; and then another man had to be called to settle the dispute.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of People in Whom Our Readers are Interested.

Mr. David Morrill, of Manchester Robertson & Allis in, St. John, was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. Urban Johnson, the veteran M. P. P. for Kent, arrived here last evening for the session, and has taken up his abode at the Lorne Hotel.

Factory Inspector John McMulkin, of St. John, is among the guests at the Queen.

Mr. John Robinson of Newcastle, chief game warden, is a guest at the Queen.

Mr. James Lowell, M. P. P., for St. John county, arrived last evening for the session, and is a guest at the Queen.

Martin Albert, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Butler, is seriously ill and not expected to recover.

Mr. F. R. Perry, district passenger agent of the C. P. R., came in from Montreal on the noon train and is a guest at the Queen.

Dr. Ruddick, M. P. P., for St. John County, arrived here this morning and has taken a room at Windsor Hall for the session.

Mr. Alex Watson of St. John is among the visitors to the city today.

Mr. George Blizzard of St. John, who is to referee tonight's hockey game, is a guest at the Queen.

Messrs. E. Lantallum and D. J. Purdy, M. P. P.'s, arrived this morning for the session and are guests at the Queen.

Rev. Archdeacon Forsythe of Chatham, was a guest at the Queen yesterday.

Mr. Bill C. Rayworth, of Sackville, is at the Queen today.

Mr. F. S. Chambers, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., is stopping at the Queen.

Mr. John E. Wilson, of St. John, is among the guests at the Queen.

For Sale

Desirable city residence, comparatively new and well located. Client is moving from the city and will sell at moderate terms.

Money to loan on real estate. Apply to SLIPP & HANSON, Feb. 13, dtf.

POPULAR CONCERT COMPANY.

H. Price Webber's Boston Comedy Company will appear in Fredericton City Hall, February 16 and 17. Reserved seats at Wilkes'.—Feb. 10d—dtf.

To Let

TO RENT

Several self contained houses with furnace and bathroom, and several houses, all in good state of repair.

THOMAS A. NILES, Steam Laundry.

TO LET.

Two stores and offices in the Edgecombe block, York Street. Will be fitted up to suit tenants. Also houses on King Street. Apply to

F. B. EDGECOMBE.

Jan 30—dtw.

TO LET.

From the first of May next, the store in the Wilmot block, Queen Street, Fredericton, at present occupied by Samuel Owen, Esq. For terms, etc., apply to

J. H. BARRY, Solicitor.

For Sale.

The brick building situated on the corner of Queen and St. John streets at present occupied by the undersigned. House contains modern improvements. It can be inspected afternoons by intending purchasers.

MRS. F. S. HILYARD, Feb. 13—dtf.

Notice

The business heretofore carried on by the undersigned under the firm name of Tennant, Davies & Clarke is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated Fredericton, Feb. 8th, 1906. TENNANT, DAVIES & CLARKE

NOTICE.

The business heretofore carried on by T. D. & C. will be continued by the undersigned.

Dated Fredericton, Feb. 8th, 1906. TENNANT & CLARKE, Agents.

The last day of the Big 6 SHOE SALE

Thursday, Feb. 15th

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THE SHOE PEOPLE.



Properly Fitted Eye Glasses

Mean comfort to the wearer. They reinforce the function of the eyes without any undue strain, and this is one tax that cannot be levied without peril, the tax on the eyesight. In eight years of practical experience the Optician in charge of our Optical Department has fitted over 12,000 cases of defective eyesight. If your eyes cause you any trouble call in and have them examined.

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Four doors above Barker House.



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Special purchase of over 2,000 yards, goods worth 8 to 30c. Sale price 4, 6, 8, 12, 15 and 22c.

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The place to get value for your dollar.

50,000 BOUQUET CIGARETTES wholesale at Factory Prices at JAS. H. HAWTHORN'S