

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, Jan. 6.—Probabilities for the maritime provinces: Light to moderate, winds fine, Tuesday, still fair, little milder.

Police Court.

One drunk, arrested by the police on Saturday evening, forfeited a deposit of five dollars at the police court this morning.

City Council.

The city council will meet in committee this evening to pass accounts and prepare for the regular monthly meeting tomorrow evening.

A Pretty Calendar.

George T. Whelpley, the enterprising and up-to-date grocer, has the Herald's thanks for a very handsome calendar which now adorns the walls of our new office.

For the Curlers.

The regular monthly meeting of the Fredericton Curling Club will be held at the rink tomorrow evening. A full attendance of the members is urgently requested.

Runaway and Smashup.

A horse attached to Hatt & Morrison's delivery team ran away on York street, this morning. Before being captured the sled was badly broken up but no further damage was done.

Only a Chimney.

The alarm of fire at nine o'clock on Saturday evening was for a burning chimney on Smythe street. There was no damage done, and no occasion for calling out the fire department.

Bank Branch Closed.

The Bank of Nova Scotia branch, which has for many years done business on Main street, Calais, has closed its doors and all business in future will be transacted at the St. Stephen branch.

Week of Prayer.

The first service in the week of prayer series will be held in the Free Baptist church this evening. Rev. F. C. Hartley will occupy the chair and Rev. Dr. Chapman will be the principal speaker.

Ball at The Queen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Edwards are to give a dance at the Queen Hotel this evening, in honor of their daughter, Miss Kitty Edwards. A large number of invitations have been issued. Hanlon's orchestra will furnish the music.

Fell Down Stairs.

Mrs. H. S. Miles, of Ormocto, who has been in Portland, Oregon, for several months recently had the misfortune to fall down a flight of stairs, sustaining injuries which have since confined her to the house. She is expected to return home in the near future.

A Bagle Band.

The men of the Royal Canadian regiment were played to and from church yesterday by their recently organized bagle band. It is made up of seven buglers and three drummers, under the leadership of Sergt Little. The boys have already mastered a number of inspiring marches, and their work at yesterday's parade elicited much favorable comment.

Better Remove It.

The health authorities of Sunbury are looking for the party who recently deposited the carcass of a horse on the ice near the mouth of Carman's Creek. Several persons living in the neighborhood are in a position to enlighten the authorities on the subject, and will probably do so if the carcass is not immediately removed by the person who put it there.

The New Steamboat Company.

Messrs Jas S Neill, John Palmer, J H Barry, K C, and M Pickler, are leaving for Southampton this afternoon to attend the annual meeting of the Fredericton and Woodstock Steamboat Company, which takes place tomorrow. The company was organized last year with the object of improving the steamship service between Fredericton. They have secured an option on the steamer Aberdeen, and the question of making the purchase will no doubt come before the meeting. An

improved river service to Woodstock, is a matter in which the Fredericton business men have a deep interest, and they should lend every encouragement to the project.

HALE AND MURCHIE.

A Milling and Lumbering Firm Going Into the Courts.

(Sun.)

The firm of Hale and Murchie has about ceased to exist. That is its component parts, F. H. Hale, M. P., and George A. Murchie of Calais, Maine, are about as far apart as the north and south poles. They operated among other things the Victoria mills below Fredericton, which cut largely and in fact almost entirely for the American market. This mill was recently transferred to one J G Murchie of Calais.

Mr Hale, who spent several days recently in St. John, has engaged Hon. Dr. Pugsley to conduct a suit for winding up the affairs of the partnership, and the necessary papers will probably be received today through Mr. Hale's attorney at Woodstock. It may be that the matter will only figure in the equity court.

A Queensbury Wedding.

A correspondent at Queensbury sends the following account of the Slipp-Gunter wedding, already noted in these columns: "The marriage of Miss Lena Slipp and Mr. Everett Gunter took place at the residence of George L. Slipp, the bride's father, on New Year's day at five o'clock. The young couple, who are popular in and about Queensbury, were made one by Rev. Dr. McLeod in the presence of nearly a hundred guests. The bride looked very pretty and was unattended. She was the recipient of many valuable presents. The following day Mr. and Mrs. Gunter drove to the home of the latter's father, Judson Gunter, where about forty guests celebrated their home coming. They appeared out in the Episcopal church at Bear Island on Sunday. Their future home will be with Mr. George L. Slipp.

Struck a Snag.

Dr Keith, the popular Harvey physician who has been in the city for a few days with his speedy pacer has returned home. On Saturday afternoon he had a few brushes on King street with a little flyer from the Queen hotel stables, and the general impression is that he struck a surprise party and came out second best. Mr. McCoy was driving the doctor's pacer, and D. J. Stockford held the ribbons over the other.

The Bankers Won.

The hockey match on Saturday afternoon between the Bankers' team and a team representing the R. C. R. I., resulted in a defeat for the latter. It was a smart game all through, though the military men were somewhat handicapped by the absence of two of their best players, Capt. Lister and Lieut. Hill. The score at the close of the game stood 4 to 0 in favor of the Bankers. J. J. F. Winslow officiated as referee.

Circuit Court.

The nisi prius sitting of the York circuit court opens at the county court house at eleven o'clock tomorrow morning. The docket will include one criminal case, that of King vs. Patterson, who is charged with indecent assault. Among the civil cases to be tried is one brought by Charles Burns, of Maugeville, against Dr. Atherton, of this city, for alleged malpractice.

Boston Moose Hunters.

A party made up of Dr. Heber Bishop, Judge Wiggins and George Curtin, of Boston who have been hunting big game on the Canaan River, with Jim Paul, of St. Mary's as guide, returned home on Saturday. They were out just seven days, and shot one moose, and as luck would have it the animal only had one horn, having shed the other a few hours before being shot.

Off For Ontario.

W S Tompkins who has been lecturing at farmers meetings throughout the province, will leave for Ontario in a short time to do similar work. It is gratifying to know that the crack farming province of the Dominion can find use for New Brunswick talent, and it is most flattering to Mr Tompkins to be selected.

The many friends of 'Than' Dougherty are pleased to see him around again, after being confined to his home for several weeks suffering from a mild attack of typhoid fever.

Miss Josephine Sewell, of Lincoln, who has been engaged in hospital work in New York for some time, returned home on Saturday, suffering from an attack of malarial fever.

Mr and Mrs Charles W Whelpley returned on Saturday from a week's visit to friends in King's county.

THE NORMAL SCHOOL

List of New Students Seeking Advance of Class.

THE TOTAL ENROLMENT EXCEEDS TWO HUNDRED.

Eight New Pupils Have Entered the French Department.

The provincial Normal School, which has been closed for the Christmas vacation, re-opened this morning with upwards of two hundred students in attendance. About forty applicants for third class license went out at the close of the term, but it is thought that the loss will be fully made up by student teachers, who will enter this week for an advance of license.

The following student teachers have already been enrolled:

Class I.

James S Lord, St. Stephen
Abram Cronkhite, Woodstock
Percy S Bailey, St. Stephen
Arthur E Eastman, Petitcodiac
Holland R McGill, Sanbury Co
J Fraser McCain, Florenceville
Mabel K Borchill, Fredericton
Ada Irene Wright, St. John
Walter M Donahoe, Harvey Station
Marguerite Legere, St. John
Murray H Manuel, Woodstock

Class II.

Lorenzo Wadlin, Beaver Harbor, Charlotte Co.
C Frank Rideout, Middle Simonds, Carleton Co.
Sadie B Hogan, Newcastle.
Emma McCormack, Restigouche.
Ella M Gartley, Watson Sett., Car. Co.
Janie S Cameron, Nashwaak Bridge.
Ethel Maud Graham, Prince William.
Emily I McFee, Petitcodiac.
Florence Mahood, Petersville Church, Queens Co.

The French department had four students last term, and eight have entered for the term just commenced. The total enrolment is about 220.

AMONG THE CURLERS.

Fowler and Loggie Found Easy Victims in the Committee Series.

Four games in the managing committee series were got off at the curling rink Saturday afternoon and evening. One Mr. Campbell, a curler of great renown, and one Capt. Hawthorn, whose prowess with the stones nobody denies, having been floating around, promiscuously declaring what they would do when they got at the other fellows in A series. They got at them Saturday evening and retired from the conflict bruised and battered in this wise.

Simmons, Charlie	Clarke
March	Norton-Taylor
Massie	Allen, C H
Hawthorn, Skip, 8	Fowler, Skip, 16
Winslow, J A	Winslow, F E
Bridges, H H	Shute
Simmons, S D	Macnutt
Campbell, Skip 7	Loggie, Skip 15

In the afternoon the B series men struggled for supremacy with the following result:

Fowler	Carter
Murray	Foster R P
Limerick	Mullin
Foster B C, skip 9	Bridges Dr, skip 13
Bridges, H H	Mills
Slipp	Hall
Dibblee	Harrison
Hodge, Skip 11	Randolph, A, Skip 14

The players and positions were as follows:

R. C. R. I.	goal	Bankers.
Burns	point	H Murray
Slade	cover point	Dever
King		M S L Richey
Billedean		Bout
Babbitt	forwards	K O H n
Trenholm		B h
Knox		D W

Change in Business.

John J. Weddall contemplates making a change in his business, and requests all persons whose accounts are overdue to make immediate settlement.

JOHN J. WEDDALL.

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