

SEVOGLE FIRE NOT YET LOCATED BY RANGERS

FEARED THAT BLAZE
WILL SPRING UP AGAIN

Chief Forester Prince is Now
at Newcastle—Fire con-
ditions now are satis-
factory.

Chief Forester G. H. Prince who is in Newcastle today, reported at noon to Col. T. G. Loggie, Deputy Minister of Lands and Mines, that there were no forest fires in the section of the province adjacent to Newcastle.

The fire reported last week on the SevoGLE the first in the eastern part of the province and the most serious has died down but it is feared that it will spring up again under favorable weather conditions.

Location Not Known.

The exact location of this fire still is unknown. Crews were sent out to fight it but rains beat it down to such an extent that the fire-fighters never reached it. A watch is being kept as it is expected that the blaze still has a hold on the timber and will break out when the moisture dries out.

Montreal Butter Prices.

Saturday's Montreal Gazette quotes sales of butter at 26c. to 28c. a pound on Friday and the market weak.

Gardeners Busy.

The fine weather this week has given an impetus to local gardeners and they are now busy putting in their season's crop.

Early Sea Bathing.

Salt water bathing this year in Shediac and vicinity began as early as April 27. The Moncton Times yesterday said that Monctonians had joined the early swimmers.

Roads are Good.

Autoists who have had occasion to visit the county during the past week unhesitatingly declare that they never saw the roads in such excellent condition at this season of the year.

A Good Year.

Canadian Cottons Ltd., of which the Marysville Mill is a part, showed earnings for last year of \$867,805.53 according to annual report just issued.

Potatoes Being Dumped.

Woodstock Sentinel: Buyers are offering fifty cents a barrel for potatoes and are not anxious for them at that price. Very few are coming in and many farmers are dumping their stock.

Trout-Fishing Reserved.

The property owners of Portage Vale, King's county, a well known trout-fishing point on the Kennebecasis, have decided to protect the fish for their own use this year and fishing by outsiders is prohibited.

The Shad Season.

Several local fishermen were out on the river last night drifting for shad but it is understood that the catch was rather light. Some fish caught in St. John market arrived here today consigned to dealers and are selling at from 50 to 75 cents each.

Permission Refused.

Permission to establish bonded warehouses at St. John for the exportation of liquor has been refused by the Minister of Customs, according to word received by temperance workers. The decision was appealed to the cabinet, who sustained Hon. Mr. Wigmore's decision.

Fairville's Postmaster.

Charles A. McMaster, a returned man, with an excellent record overseas who was recently appointed Postmaster of Fairville, was installed in office on Saturday evening by Alex. Thompson, assistant inspector. Mr. McMaster is well known in Fredericton.

Transferred to St. John.

The staff of the Public Works Department of Canada, which was ordered moved to St. John through the amalgamation of the Chatham and St. John offices, has arrived in St. John. The personnel consists of Geoffrey Stead, resident engineer, who is now in charge of the office for the province; G. E. Martin, A. W. Wilbur, H. R. Logie and C. H. Thurber, engineers, and Miss C. M. McLean, stenographer. (Mr. Stead and Mr. Logie both disposed of their houses in Chatham before coming to St. John. The transfer is said to have been brought about by Hon. R. W. Wigmore and the people of the North Shore are very sore.

RECORD FOR EARLY SEEDING IN RESTIGOUCHE

PLANTING IN THAT
COUNTY LAST WEEK

Whole Province is More Than
a fortnight in Advance of
Season—Encouraging
Conditions.

O. C. Hicks of the Department of Agriculture, who has returned from the North Shore after an official visit reports that in Restigouche County planting was general last week making a record for the extreme northern county of New Brunswick. The unusual condition was observed of potatoes being planted within a few feet of a bank of snow which was sheltered by trees. Grass in the Northern Counties is farther advanced than ever before at this season of the year. Young cattle have been on it for so time. Conditions in Gloucester are similar.

General Conditions.

General seeding and grass conditions all over the province are at least a fortnight in advance of any recorded season. The acreage is expected to be up to the average. Potatoes will be an exception as the acreage in particularly all sections will be decreased on account of the low price which has prevailed during the past year.

The Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Harvey Mitchell who has been in Ottawa for some days on departmental business did not return Monday as was expected. He will arrive on Wednesday.

Matajawa in the Cells

John Matajawa the Austrian who secured a degree of prominence some weeks ago by attempting suicide at the York Hotel by cutting his throat spent the week-end in the police cells. Since discharge from Victoria Hospital Matajawa has been at the City Hotel. His conduct there alarmed others who suspected the man's mental condition and he was asked to leave. The man will be sent to join a party of Austrians who are on construction work.

Seriously Ill.

Mr. Israel Burt, a well known resident of Burt's Corner and father of Mr. Elwood Burt of this city is seriously ill. His son Rev. Mr. Burt arrived from Boston yesterday in response to a message informing him of his father's illness.

FIRECRACKERS LANDED BOYS IN THE CELLS

TWO REMANDED THIS
MORNING TILL THE 20TH

Lorette and Dyer Created Dis-
turbance and Failed to
Give Account of
themselves.

Two boys, one aged fifteen years and one aged seventeen years, were arrested by the police between eleven and twelve o'clock Monday night, for creating a disturbance and failing to give a satisfactory account of themselves. They appeared in the police court this morning and were remanded until the 20th. One is named Dyer and the other Lorette.

The boys first were observed near the Officers' Quarters, Queen street, setting off fire-crackers. That in itself is an offence under a city by-law. On being warned by the police they promised to go home. Later they were seen in Campbell street still setting off fire-crackers. The police gave chase and the boys ran along Campbell street finally hiding behind VanWart's warehouse. The police searched and located them. Their arrest followed.

Sale of Crackers Allowed.

The sale of fire-crackers is allowed although there is a city bylaw forbidding setting them off. That bylaw was passed a good many years ago because they were found to have caused several serious fires. The city however has no control over the sale of the noise-makers that being a matter of trade and commerce. It is a curious situation in which a merchant can sell fire-crackers and anyone who sets them off within the city limits can be prosecuted for so doing.

Big Circus Coming.

The Sells Floto Circus Company will visit Fredericton with its circus for two performances. Saturday, June 18th. The tents will be pitched at the Racecourse. The Sells Floto shows are the biggest travelling the continent at the present time. Sells Brothers circus which at one time was an independent show was in Fredericton about twenty-four years ago. E. P. Wiley who is the advance man for the Sells Floto circus, was in Fredericton in 1908 with a circus which showed at Scully's Grove. Before his present visit Mr. Wiley learned that Scully's Grove as a field was no more. He speaks of it as an ideal circus lot.



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