

LIGHTNING BURNED BARN AT SYMPHER'S COVE

**FREEMAN LAWSON MET
WITH LOSS SATURDAY**

**Storm Intense in That Section
—Three Inches of Rain Re-
corded Here Till Noon.**

Residents of Fredericton and vicinity who have summer homes at Princess Park and other places on Grand Lake state that the electric storm Saturday was of great violence in that section evidently being heavier than nearer Fredericton. Freeman Lawson of Symphe's Cove lost a barn with its contents which consisted largely of hay, by lightning about noon Saturday. The building was totally destroyed. A number of summer residences were not far away.

Three Inches of Rain

Up to noon today, the record of rainfall at the Dominion Meteorological Station in this city for Saturday, Sunday and Monday was about three inches. That fall though heavy is not a record for that length of time here. It also is considerably less than the fall recorded at St. John where up to an early hour this morning there had been a record of little short of six inches. Sunday night an inch and a half of rain fell. The total for August was brought above average by the fall.

No Damage to Bridges

The Provincial Department of Public Works reported at noon today that there had been no reports of damages to bridges or roads. It is probable that such reports will come in later.

River Not Influenced

The river has not risen at this point and the reason is that the rain have all been in the south. A message from Van Buren, Me., was that there had been no rain for a week. Unless rain falls on the upper river the water will not rise.

A report from Campbellton this morning was that rain fell there this morning but that it had stopped at noon. Fires in Restigouche County will be put out by the rain.

CITY AFFAIRS

Services Concluded

The Union Services of the Methodist and Presbyterian Churches were concluded yesterday. That three summer services are very popular with the people of both congregations is shown by the large attendance.

Had Arm Amputated

Dr. D. R. Moore of Stanley on Saturday amputated the left arm of the five year old son of William J. Pringle of that place. The operation was made necessary by a growth and the arm was amputated below the elbow. The child is resting as comfortably as can be expected.

Estate of Late Mrs. N. B. Shepperd

Letters of administration have been granted to Elwood Burt of this city in the estate of the late Mrs. Melia B. Shepperd, Parish of Douglas. The estate is valued at \$1,250 all personal property and her grand daughter Miss Isabel Boyd of Tabut, Saskatchewan, is the sole beneficiary.

Demand Falls Off

A dealer in fly paper and fly swatters says that the demand for the above articles has dropped fifty per cent in the last five years. The housewife of today understands that if she has her windows and doors properly screened she is not troubled with flies.

Eternal Triangle

Considerable excitement was caused at the lower end of Queen street Saturday night when a man found his wife walking with another man. The husband forbid the man going around with his wife. His loud talking gathered a large crowd. In the end the three walked off together and the crowd dispersed.

Visiting Motorists

Four parties of motorists arrived in the city yesterday and registered at Windsor Hall. One party was composed of C. T. Barker, James McFougla, Jr., and C. Houle of Troy, New York. Another was from Greenville Junction and was made up of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ward, Delmon Ward and Mrs. C. E. Shesong. The third party was from St. Stephen and consisted of A. E. Hayman, Bertha Hayman, Mrs. Percy Hayman and Ralph Manzer. The fourth party was composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jeans and family of Halifax.

Schools Re-Opened Today With Attendance Increased Adjustments Being Made

Large Number Entering High School—Numerous Pupils Coming from Outside Points —Miss Emily Thompson Incapacitated by Wrenched Ankle—Policy of One Grade to One Department Followed as Closely as Possible in Two Schools—Vaccination Insisted Upon.

The public schools of Fredericton reopened this morning after the summer vacation. It will be impossible to make a statement of the total enrolment for some time but there is every indication of a great increase in the attendance. R. D. Hanson, Superintendent of Schools, was busy this morning adjusting the attendance to the accommodation. It will be necessary for him to continue adjustment for some time before the pupils are settled. Supt. Hanson states that there have been a number of removals from the city and also an influx from outside places. Both cause numerous changes in the schools.

Vaccination Necessary

The regulation requiring the presentation of a certificate of successful vaccination in the case of a new pupil entering school is being enforced. There were some cases this morning of pupils being refused admission because the certificates were not forthcoming. In one case the application was for admission to High School.

At the High School

Dr. B. C. Foster principal of the High School stated at noon today that he was unable to make any statement with regard to attendance but would later, after receiving returns from the various departments. Dr. Foster said there was no doubt that there would be a heavy increase in the total attendance at the school.

Miss Escher Clark has been added to the staff of the school making seven teachers in the academic department and a total of nine in the school. If there is a great increase it may be urged that a tenth teacher be added. There has been a rearrangement of departments in the High School Mr. McFee's department in the commercial course will be accommodated in the Assembly Hall new commercial furniture having been ordered. Mr. Chapman's department will be located on the first floor. Miss McIntosh's department will be in the room vacated by Mr. McFee.

In the Graded Schools

The total attendance in the schools last year was 1,697 at Christmas decreasing later. Roughly it may be said to be 1,700. A considerable increase is expected this year. The proposal to transfer the primary department from the York street school to Smythe street school has not been carried out the small children attending it living in the central portion of the city and the walk being thought too long if the transfer were made. For a similar reason a department has been left in the assembly hall of the Charlotte street school.

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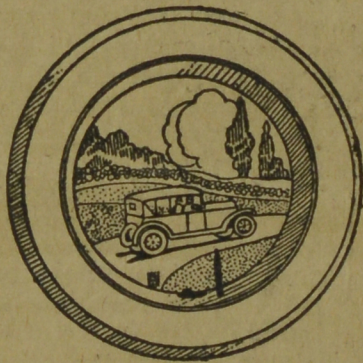
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