

CHIEF WARDEN REPORTS DEER AS PLENTIFUL

MANY MOOSE SEEN ABOUT HOLMES LAKE

Three Men at Minto Were Fined Yesterday for Killing Deer on Sunday Last.

Chief Game Warden L. A. Gagnon went to Minto by motor yesterday in connection with the prosecution of three men for the illegal killing of deer. The three were reported by Game Warden Bart Stackable who learned that the offense had been committed on Sunday last two deer having been killed. The case was tried before Police Magistrate James H. Halfax who made a conviction and imposed a penalty of forty dollars fine and costs upon each. The men were named Muzerall, LeBlanc and Leger. They are miners and originally came from Kent County.

Game violations in the vicinity of Minto have been quite numerous the foreign population in that vicinity being difficult to watch but the Department of Lands and Mines is doing all possible to enforce the act.

Deer are Plentiful

The Chief Game Warden states that reports from various parts of the province indicate that deer are very plentiful in all sections. They also are in excellent condition at this season of the year food having been plentiful and permitted them to fatten earlier than usual. This makes the temptation all the greater for the poacher.

Other Game Abundant

Other game also is reported to be abundant. Survey parties working in the vicinity of Holmes Lake on the Miramichi state that it is an ordinary thing to see twenty of twenty-five moose in the lake at the same time. Reports of caribou also are received although the animals do not seem to be as numerous as they were some years ago. Game experts now are inclined to put little faith in the theory that caribou migrate but believe that scarcity is due to the animals being killed off or being stricken by epidemics.

Entertained at Bridge

Mrs. R. H. McGrath entertained at bridge yesterday afternoon. Miss Alice Sterling was the prize winner.

Registered in London

Included among recent callers at the office of the Agent-General for New Brunswick in London have been Lt. J. Stanley Scott, Fredericton.

Sentenced for Vagrancy

A girl who was arrested for vagrancy made her appearance yesterday afternoon before Magistrate Limerick and was given a three months sentence in the county jail.

Children's Aid Case

A Children's Aid case came before Police Magistrate Limerick yesterday and the little girl in question was handed to her guardian for proper treatment.

Given Twenty Days Sentence

A drunk from Devon who was arrested last week and who has made several appearances in the police court was given a twenty days' sentence in the county jail by the Police Magistrate yesterday.

Two Drunks Up

Two young men were before Police Magistrate Limerick this morning one charged with being drunk and using profane language and the second one charged with being drunk. Both were convicted and given penalties.

Held Motor-Boat Party

The Misses Everett entertained a large number of their friends at a motor-boat party on the river last evening. After an enjoyable trip the party retired to the Palms where refreshments were served.

Beaverbrook Goes to England. Lord Beaverbrook is among the passengers who sailed for Southampton on board the Mauretania from New York on Friday. He was suddenly called home because of an accident to his daughter, but may return again to Canada soon.

Commandant of R. M. C. Local interest attaches to the appointment of Major General Sir. A. C. Macdonnell, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., as commandant of the military college at Kingston because of his being a cousin of Brigadier General A. H. Macdonnell, C.M.G., D.S.O., G.O.C. No. 7 district.

To Present Medal

The military medal won by the late F. Roy of the 2nd Canadian Pioneer Battalion, will be presented to the mother of the former soldier, Mrs. Joseph Roy of East Bathurst this afternoon. The presentation will be made by Lieutenant-Governor Pugsley in the Mayor's office, St. John.

To Break Up the Hero.

The tug Hero, belonging to the St. John River Log Driving Company, was sold on the Market Square, St. John, on Saturday. She was purchased by the Union Foundry & Machine Co. for \$110. The Hero had been a sight on the St. John river for almost forty years. Last summer she sank at St. John.

PROGRAM FOR SATURDAY IS ARRANGED

MORNING, AFTERNOON & NIGHT WILL BE TAKEN UP

Committees in Session This Morning—Prizes will be Offered for the Best Floats, etc.

Meeting were held this morning of the various committees appointed to act for the Peace Celebration on Saturday, July 19th. Arrangements were discussed and the program committee drew up a tentative program for the day which may be subject to change. The soliciting committee will start its work immediately. The Retail Merchants Association have decided to observe the day and market day will fall on Friday. There is some doubt as to whether the butchers and downtown grocers will observe the holiday.

Program for Day

The meeting of the general committee was held this morning and the following program was drawn up.

Morning

9 a. m.—Blowing of whistles and ringing of church bells; Parade, including decorated cars and bicycles, trades and labor and industries as well as polymorphians and bands.

Afternoon

Matinee races at trotting park; base ball, Returned Soldiers of St. John vs. Returned Soldiers of Fredericton; Athletic sports.

Evening

Water sports; Band Concerts; Dance at A. & B. Club House; Motor boat and Canoe Races; Fireworks.

Proposed Prizes

Prizes will be awarded for the following: Best decorated store float, best decorated automobile, funniest float, best decorated float representing Peace, best decorated float or car by Returned Soldiers, best Industrial float, best hobo band, best boat decorated by any society or organization and best decorated bicycle.

Soliciting Committee

The following were appointed a soliciting committee to solicit funds to defray expenses for fireworks, etc and for the Returned Soldiers baseball game which has been arranged between the Military Hospital and a St. John team: A. Murray, H. S. Campbell, H. B. Colwell, W. T. Chestnut, John Neill, Harry Smith, Luke Morrison, G. H. Clark, C. H. Weddall, F. B. Edgecombe, W. R. Fraser, E. R. Blackmer, A. A. Shute, J. J. McCaffrey, C. D. Holder and R. L. Black. Several other names were on the list but these will not be in town for the day.

Mr. John Henderson of Minto is at the Barker House.

FREDERICTON CANOES USED IN ARCTIC REGIONS

R.N.W. MOUNTED POLICE TALK OF CHESTNUT MAKE

Inspector La Nauze Says "Bill" Doak, Formerly of Fredericton, One of the Best Dog-Drivers.

Inspector C. D. La Nauze of the R. N. W. M. P. announced today that some five or six recruits had been accepted for that force and would be given medical examination this afternoon. Three young men of St. John named W. T. Scribner, R. I. Corkum, and J. S. Mellday were accepted and will probably leave for the West this evening. They passed the medical examination in St. John.

Remembers "Bill" Doak

When asked if he remembered any men from this part of the country who had joined the force he stated that he knew William Doak who left here about fourteen years ago and became a member of the R. N. W. M. P. The Inspector remembered him as a big, cheery, good natured man who was one of the best dog-drivers of the force. He has been in the Northern Service around the Arctic Ocean for a long time and has had numerous near escapes from death. Last year while he and his comrades were out in the Arctic in a whale boat they had their boat crushed by the ice and they were stranded on the main flow for some twenty hours. They finally reached land after swimming between sections of the ice for a long time. Percy Doak who passed through the city recently having just returned from overseas service with the Canadian Cameron Highlanders is a brother, James Doak who also served overseas is another brother.

Chestnut Canoes in Arctic

The Inspector stated that he continually used a Chestnut Cruiser canoe and found that for service it was the best that could be had. He had carried a Chestnut canoe for some 200 miles across the Barren Lands on his dog sled in 1915 and had cached it near the Copper Mine River. A year later the canoe was recovered by another party and was found to be in perfect condition. The praise given by the Inspector and Sergeant Trundle speaks well for one of Fredericton's leading industries—canoe building.

Expected to Recover

Harold Branscombe of Chipman, who had a hip dislocated and suffered other injuries Saturday, July 5th, when the motor car driven by his father the late William A. Branscombe went through a bridge with fatal results to the elder Branscombe is reported to be recovering. He will be crippled for life however.

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An officer will be at the Dominion Provincial Employment Service Office, 68 York Street, Fredericton, N.B., from July 14th to July 18th, for the purpose of engaging recruits.

Applicants must be between the ages of eighteen and forty, and unmarried. Minimum height, 5 feet 8 inches; minimum chest measurement, 38 inches. Maximum weight 175 pounds. Term of engagement, 3 years. A. A. McLEAM, Comptroller.

Ottawa, 8th July, 1919.