

## DAYLIGHT SAVING NOT A LIVE ISSUE

### RAILWAYS NOT LIKELY TO ADOPT THAT TIME

No Local Movement for Daylight Saving Time in This City—A Nuisance Avoided.

It is not known definitely yet whether or not New Brunswick as a whole will escape the nuisance which arises from dual times but the indications now are that it will. Both the C.P.R. and the C. N. R. offices here stated today that as far as was known neither railway would attempt to introduce Daylight Saving. Last year the chief difficulty arose from the fact that the railways operated upon Daylight Saving Time and the majority of the people transacted their business by Atlantic Standard time.

Mayor Reid stated today that he had heard of no local movement for the introduction of Daylight Saving in Fredericton. Last year there was such a movement which was decided at a general vote of the citizens. The vote was against Daylight Saving, returned soldiers largely controlling the result of the balloting. After the election it was said that the general body of citizens favored Daylight Saving but were not sufficiently interested to turn out at the polls.

#### For Sale at Bebbington's.

Nice cut tulips, hyacinths, snapdragons, salvia, geraniums, verbenas, lilies, also hardy perennial plants, and shrubs. We never had such a good stock of the above at Bebbington's garden.

#### On Vacation Trip.

Mayor J. A. Reid and wife will leave on a vacation trip to the West on the 26th. They expect to be gone a month and will go as far as the Pacific Coast.

#### Exchanged Pulpits.

Rev. A. D. McLeod pastor of the Gibson Methodist Church, Devon and Rev. G. M. Young, pastor of the Fredericton Methodist Church exchanged pulpits Sunday night.

#### Nice Lot of Furs.

It is understood that at the sale of seized furs to be held at the Crown Land Office on Saturday, May 22nd, at noon, twenty-one beavers, seven or eight sable and probably between fifty and sixty mink pelts will be offered at auction.

#### Retiring From Business.

James P. Hayes the well known grocer of North Devon is retiring from business on account of ill health. Mr. Hayes has the distinction of being longer in business than any merchant in Devon. He has sold his business to A. A. Grant of East Florenceville.

#### Grand Chancellor K. of P.

R. B. Wallace, Grand Chancellor, Knights of Pythias, for the Maritime Provinces Domain, returned this morning after an official visit to Halifax, Amherst, Truro, New Glasgow, Springhill, Moncton and St. John. He reports all lodges flourishing, with membership increasing.

#### Train Chased a Moose.

The C. P. R. train from St. John chased a moose for about half a mile Saturday night. The animal was on the right of way not far from Waasis. Like most animals in the glare of a headlight he became confused and stayed in the light until he reached a road which crossed the track. The moose was very thin as these animals usually are at this season of the year.

#### 105th Anniversary.

On Sunday next the Fredericton Methodist Church will celebrate the 105th anniversary of the founding of its Sunday School. It has been expected that Dr. King of Mt. Allison University, superintendent of Sunday school work for the Methodist Church in the Maritime Provinces, would be present at the observation. Dr. King however is in The Old Country. A suitable program will be arranged.

#### Endorses Campaign.

Dr. Walter C. Murray, President of the University of Saskatchewan, has wired that he esteems it a privilege to become an endorser of the proposed effort to raise a million dollars to meet the urgent needs of Dalhousie University. (Dr. Murray is a U. N. B. graduate and a former member of the faculties of both U. N. B. and Dalhousie. He married Miss Cameron of this city.)

#### The Chipman Band.

The village of Chipman, Queen's county, now has a brass band of twenty-two pieces which has attained a degree of excellence which is not surpassed by similar organizations in places of much greater population. The people of Chipman are taking great interest in the band and it is being well supported. James White of this city is instructor. New instruments recently were secured through a Toronto firm.

#### Died Sunday Night.

Mrs. Louise McCain died late Sunday night after a lingering illness at her home Charlotte street, this city. She was aged sixty-eight years. Three daughters and two brothers survive. The daughters are Mrs. Archie Claybourne of Fredericton and the Misses Gladys and Freda of Montreal. The brothers are Charles V. Johnson and William H. Johnson of Elm Hill, Queen's County. The funeral will take place Wednesday, Rev. G. M. Young will conduct the service.

## ARSON CHARGE TO BE TRIED IN SUNBURY

### GILBERT HOWLAND, OF WAASIS, ACCUSED

An Attempt Made on Thursday Night Last to Burn House of John Little at Waasis Station.

Gilbert Howland, a well known resident of Waasis Sunbury County, will come before Magistrate DeMille at that place Tuesday, on a charge of attempted arson. It sent up for trial he will go before the Court of King's Bench at Burton, on Tuesday of next week, Judge Crockett presiding. The accused was arrested at his home last week and was taken to jail at Burton, but it is understood that bail was given later.

The motive alleged by those who gave the information resulting in Howland's arrest, is revenge, and they state that he made threats on previous occasions.

The house which was set afire is that of John Little and is located immediately adjacent to the C. P. R. station at Waasis. This property was purchased by the present owner through the Soldiers Settlement Board, from Fred Austin, who purchased it from Mrs. Fred Boyle some time ago. It is alleged that Howland attempted to dispose of his property through the Soldiers Settlement Board, but failed on account of inability to show a clear title, and that he held ill feeling against Little on that account. A woman named Alice Virtue, who had made her home at Howland's had furniture stored in the house, and that is assigned as a further reason for Howland attempting to burn the dwelling, as he had ill will toward the woman, and had made threats.

On Thursday night last, John Little and the others in the house went to the home of his father, David Little, formerly a sergeant in the Royal Canadian Regiment in Fredericton, where a birthday celebration was being held. They returned late and on arrival were amazed to find the house afire. The blaze was on one side near the front and far removed from the only stove in the building. By a hard fight the fire was extinguished. Examination showed that a large auger had been used to bore a hole through the wooden wall of the house and that the sawdust deafening had been saturated with kerosene. Evidence of incendiaryism was absolute. The fact that Howland had made threats previously connected him with the act.

The act has caused considerable excitement in Waasis and vicinity as the impression has gone abroad that similar attempts may be made on other dwellings. The fact that the people concerned in the matter all are well known has added to the public interest displayed.

Howland will defend the case and has retained P. J. Hughes of McLellan & Hughes, this city as counsel.

## INDIANS AND MARSHAL HAYES IN A MIX-UP

### HEAVY SENTENCES IMPOSED ON "BRAVES"

Ben Brooks Arrested Robert Brooks and Another Brother Effected Rescue—Arrested Later.

Two Indians of the St. Mary's Reserve, were heavily penalized before Police Magistrate William Jaffrey of Devon this morning as the result of interfering with Town Marshal Leo Hayes early Sunday morning. A third Indian is at large but it will be merely a matter of time before he is captured.

Shortly before midnight Marshal Hayes visited the Reserve and arrested Ben Brooks on a charge of drunkenness and creating a disturbance. He handcuffed the prisoner and got him as far as the Devon end of the bridge, on his way to the Fredericton Police Station, where he intended to keep him over Sunday.

At this point however two brothers of the prisoner, Robert and another arrived on the scene and attacked the officer. The prisoner himself did not offer much resistance, but his two would-be rescuers put up quite a battle. Marshal Hayes does not know whether or not they were using clubs, but one of the cuts he received on the wrist seems to have been caused by something harder than a fist. It was a single handed battle, in the true sense of the word as the officer was obliged to hang onto his prisoner, with one hand and fight with the other.

The prisoner was released by his brothers and the three went to the Reserve. There an attempt was made to file off the handcuffs. This was not entirely successful and the Indian had a badly swollen wrist as the result. In the meantime Marshal Hayes went after the three calling upon Frank Hughes and Fred McLean for assistance. Both of his assistants are well known as baseball and hockey players. McLean playing with Quebec in the N. H. L., last winter. The Indians were found at the Reserve, preparing to make a getaway. Two were captured but the third disappeared.

This morning Magistrate Jaffrey convicted both prisoners. Ben Brooks was sentenced to a fine of thirty dollars or one month in jail for being drunk on a Reserve and a fine of \$20 or one month in jail for resisting arrest. Robert Brooks was sentenced to a fine of \$100 for assaulting a policeman and a fine of \$50 for having liquor in his possession or five months in jail for the two offences.

B. Hanson, K. C., of Slipp & Hanson, is clerk of the peace for Sunbury County. The Soldier's Settlement Board is acting on behalf of the informant John Little.

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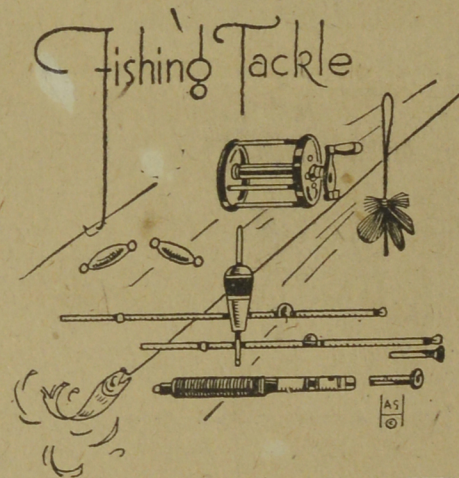
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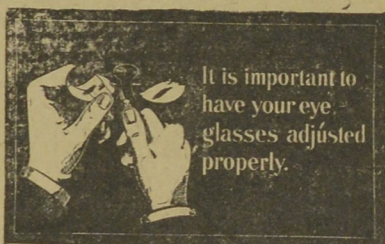
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