

## TOTALS OF BIG GAME ANIMALS KILLED IN 1919

SEASON MUCH BETTER THAN FORMER ONE

Well Up to Four Thousand Moose and Deer Killed in Province by Licensed Hunters.

Chief Game Warden L. A. Gagnon announced this morning the results from the hunting season of 1919. In all 465 non-resident hunters purchased licenses while fourteen hundred moose and twenty-three hundred and eighty deer were killed by non-resident and resident hunters.

Of these non-resident hunters killed 1200 moose and 1950 deer. The season was one of the most successful in the history of the Province and non-resident hunters who went after game in the majority of cases succeeded in obtaining the full quota. More non-resident hunters were in the province than last year and these were even more successful than the resident hunters as they secured some very fine heads.

Compared with last year's hunting season the results are very favorable as that season was interrupted by the epidemic of influenza which was prevalent at that time.

### At Bebbington's

Beautiful roses, carnations just arrived. Cape asters in pots, all colors, will just make your mouth water. Xmas prices reduced at Bebbington's garden.

### Undergoing Operation

Mrs. William Brewer of Keswick was brought to the Victoria Public Hospital last evening and is undergoing an operation for internal trouble today.

### Wee Nelly Today

The "Wee Nelly" match is being played this afternoon and evening between the Juniors and Seniors. The matches are called at 3.30 o'clock, 7 o'clock and 9 o'clock with nine rinks of each side playing.

### Week of Prayer

The service of the Week of Prayer will be held this evening at the George Street Baptist Church. The subject will be "The Call of the World Task" and the speakers are Rev. G. M. Young and Dr. K. A. Baird.

### New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton G. Kitchen are rejoicing over the arrival of a ten pound baby girl at their home at Lower Kingsclear this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Luke Morrison are also being congratulated on the arrival of a baby girl at their home on Wednesday.

### Has Sold His Farm

Mr. Isaac W. Stewart of Nontondale has sold his farm and is retiring from business. It is his intention to take things easily for the rest of his life. Mr. Stewart passed through the city recently en route to Chatham to visit his brother Commodore Stewart of the Chatham World. He looks hale and hearty for a man of his years.

### Enquiry Closed

The enquiry into the charges against the sub inspectors under the intoxicating liquor act was resumed at Chatham on Monday and completed. The officers took the stand and flatly contradicted the stories told by previous witnesses. Mr. P. J. Hughes appeared for the chief inspector and Mr. Ernest Dorton for the G. W. V. A.

### Water Supply Cut Off

Chatham World: The Dominion Pulp Co's mill ceased operations Monday night because of the insufficient supply of fresh water for feeding the boilers and washing the pulp. The lake from which the supply is drawn is practically dry in consequence of the continued cold weather and absence of rain or a thaw for many weeks. Nearly 200 men are out of work in consequence of the shut-down. People who depend on wells for water supply for domestic purposes are complaining of its scarcity.

May Bring Liquor in Luggage  
Some of the police in this province interpret the federal liquor laws as permitting travelers from Quebec province to bring liquor into New Brunswick in suit cases or trunks for private use. Hitherto liquor so carried has been seized when found by officers or inspectors. Chief George Ridout, of Moncton, has informed this men that persons coming from Montreal can legally bring liquor in grips if intended for private use. He also has told his officers that this interpretation does not prevent them arresting people found with liquor on their persons.

## TRIED TO COAX 9-YEAR-OLD CHILD INTO WOODS

CHIEF FINLEY ARRESTED MAN AT NOON TODAY

Prisoner Not Responsible for Actions, it is Thought—Geese Stolen in the West End.

About noon today Chief of Police Finley received a message over the telephone which caused him to make haste toward the rear of the city at Maryland Hill, whence the call came. About one o'clock he arrived at the Police Station with a prisoner in tow handcuffed to him.

Chief Finley stated that he had received a call from a resident of Maryland Hill who said that a man presumed not exactly right in his mental faculties made an indecent exposure of his personage and trying to coax a nine year old girl into the woods with him. The child went home and told her parents of it.

When the Chief arrived the man took to flight and after a chase of about two hours he was caught and arrested. He will appear before the Police Magistrate tomorrow morning to answer the charge. The same man has been heard of before in similar experiences.

### Geese Were Stolen

A Jewish resident of Upper King Street complained recently to Chief of Police Finley that only the first of the week she had eleven fine geese among her property and that this morning when she counted them there were only eight in number. She was greatly perplexed and asked the chief again and again where he thought they had gone. As several other places in the uptown section have reported similar thefts some investigation is necessary.

### Officers' Appreciation

Officers from all overseas dominions who were in the expeditionary forces are raising a fund to make a presentation to the Automobile Club of London in appreciation of the club's kindness to officers in London. The club whose apartments are among the finest in London, during the war threw its doors open to all officers from overseas and gave lodging and meals in their sumptuous club house at a minimum cost. The subscription from each officer is limited to \$1 and the remittance should be made by money order to Brigadier General Macdonnell. Circulars are being sent from headquarters to as many officers as can be reached.

## COLONY OF BEAVER NEAR HERON LAKE

ANIMALS NEAR HUMAN HABITATION ELSEWHERE

Becoming Much More Plentiful—Poaching Cases Have Been Reported—Price of Pelts High.

It is reported that a very fine example of beaver-colony may be seen near the outlet of Heron Lake on the Old Miramichi Road some three miles from Fredericton. Those who have observed the colony say there are at least eighteen animals in it and the beaver-house is as large as a fair-sized hay stack.

The close season on the trapping of these animals still is on but they may be taken on permit with restrictions on the number which may be killed by any one person. The high price paid for the pelts of these animals has been a great temptation to many and there has been poaching. In some cases prosecution and convictions have followed with heavy fines.

Reports from all sections are to the effect that the beaver are increasing in number. In some instances they have dammed streams with resulting damage to highways and private property. Near Apohaqui, King's County a large colony has been located. The existence of these colonies in close proximity to human habitation is an excellent indication that their numbers have greatly increased. In Northumberland County and in the State of Maine beaver are reported numerous.

### Late R. D. Wilmut

The funeral of the late R. D. Wilmut took place this afternoon from the late home of the deceased on Regent Street. A short service was held at the late home at 2.30 o'clock by Rev. Dean Neales. Service was also held at Christchurch Cathedral and interment was made at the Rural Cemetery. The pall bearers were, Sir Douglas Hazen, Judge Crockett, Col. Barker, and R. H. Simonds. The mourners were A. B. Wilmut, Henry Wilmut, Gerald Parker, W. W. Hubbard, R. D. W. Hubbard, T. C. Wilmut, H. McMillan and R. T. McMillan.

### Still Alarm Yesterday

The motor truck responded to a still alarm yesterday afternoon about 2.30 o'clock to the home of Mr. C. A. MacVey on George Street. The attic was full of smoke caused by the furnace but no fire was in evidence.

## A BIG ROW

TOOK PLACE at the Well Known Jewellery Store of SHUTE & CO., Queen Street, the other day. The storm broke out when all the clocks threatened to go "on strike" if the large Watch sign was allowed inside the store. "Little Ben" commenced to chatter away at the thought of having everybody take notice of the big Watch, and quit when they were in the thickest of the fight. "Little Ben's" brother, "Big Ben," stepped up and took a hand in and the result was that the big Watch was "put out." You can see him hanging right over the door at all times from now on, intimating the place to buy everything in the jewelry line. Established fifty-eight years ago.

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