

HALLOWE'EN
CELEBRATED IN
APPROVED STYLE

High School Combined
Celebration of Foot-
ball Victory — Fire
Alarm Too Attractive.

With the last day of October falling on Sunday the time-honored celebration of Hallowe'en or the Eve of All Saints' Day, had to take place on Saturday. Fredericton observed it well and the observation as far as the ringing in of false alarms of fire was carried well into Sunday morning.

Four False Alarms.
The firemen turned out for four false alarms which evidently were part of the celebration. Boxes 52, 56, 53 and 14 were rung in at various times Saturday night and early Sunday morning. They are located in the extreme eastern and western parts of the city.

High School Celebration.
The students of Fredericton High School celebrated the winning of the New Brunswick Interscholastic Rugby Football title in noisy and hearty fashion combining the celebration and the observation of Hallowe'en. The members of Saint John High School team and the supporters who accompanied the team were the guests of the local school. Appropriate decorations were used in the parts of the school building used for the entertainment and a most enjoyable time was spent.

Masks and Costumes.
Saturday night there was a general celebration of the day about the streets. The usual knots of urchins masked and in more or less effective makeup scurried about from door to door demanding the usual Hallowe'en tribute in refreshments or tips. Their elders in many cases promenaded the streets in costume. Quite a number of female impersonators were observed who were able to "put it over" with a greater or less degree of success. The other sex appeared in large numbers in male costume, makeup and masks being outstanding features.

No very serious destruction of property took place Saturday night. There was the usual removing of fences, walks and doorsteps but damage was minor in nature.

CITY AFFAIRS

Entertained at Tea.
Miss Violet Knapp was hostess at a delightful tea on Saturday at the Palms in honor of Miss Margaret Lynds who is visiting in the city.

Broadcasting From Moncton
William A. Walsh, Fredericton's well known and popular entertainer left by the Valley train today for Moncton where he is to broadcast one of his popular recitations, by radio tomorrow night. Mr. Walsh was accompanied by his wife. They will be guests at the Brunswick Hotel while in Moncton.

Sir Arthur to Speak
The Garrison Sergeant's Mess, of Saint John, in their banquet at the Royal hotel on Armistice Day, will be addressed by Sir Arthur Currie, K. C. M. G., K. C. B., who, accompanied by staff officers and officers commanding local units, will pay a visit to the Sergeant's banquet. It is anticipated that there will be one hundred and thirty guests present.

Want Outside Auditor.
Saint John Globe: A rumor was current today that the Board of Trade is endeavoring to bring pressure to bear upon the City Council to appoint an outside firm of auditors to collaborate with the auditors to Dr. Horace Brittain. A. P. Paterson, when asked about the story, said that "he had nothing to say," and he advised his questioner to get in touch with Commissioner Scanders. The latter, however, could not be located this afternoon. (Dr. Brittain was in charge of the civic survey made here some years ago.)

Death at New Maryland.
William A. Shaw died Sunday night at nine o'clock at his home at New Maryland aged sixty-four years. Surviv are his widow, four sons and three daughters. The sons are Roy, Hazen, Irvine and Lloyd and the daughters are Bessie and Almira at home and Vera of Springfield, Mass. Other relatives are a brother Robert Shaw and two sisters Miss Ella Shaw and Miss Ida Shaw of Marysville. The funeral will take place Tuesday with service by Rev. A. F. Bate at the home at two o'clock and at the Anglican Church, New Maryland at three o'clock.

N. B. ALLIANCE
FIELD SECRETARY
IN PULPIT HERE

Rev. Archibald Sutherland Says Law is Not the End — Only One Step to Prohibition.

A large congregation heard Rev. Archibald Sutherland, Field Secretary of the New Brunswick Temperance Alliance at the Wilnot United Church Sunday night. The pastor Rev. F. H. Holmes, spoke strongly in favor of the aims of the Alliance and welcomed the Field Secretary to his pulpit.

Rev. Mr. Sutherland stated in the course of his remarks that the Prohibition Law was not an end in itself but a means toward an end. He believed that a crisis in the history of the temperance movement in New Brunswick was approaching and he hoped that booze forever would be driven from the borders of the Province.

Statistical Evidence
The speaker devoted much of the first of his address to quotation of statistics to show that Prohibition had met with the approval of the commercial community. Seven years ago a questionnaire had been sent to hundreds of employers of labor who had been asked their opinion of Prohibition. Even then the number supporting Prohibition was about 95.5 of the whole. In the present year a similar questionnaire had been sent to the same class of people and every answer but one had been in favor of Prohibition. The increase in sentiment in favor of Prohibition had been marked.

Personal Liberty
Rev. Mr. Sutherland dealt with the claim that personal liberty was in fringed upon. He said that it might as well be claimed that the locomotive driver's personal liberty was infringed upon because he was required to go into his engine-cab not under the influence of liquor.

Law Not the End
He said that he might be expected to say something about the Prohibition Act. The latter he said was a perfectly splendid and satisfactory law but it was only one step toward Prohibition. The law not an end in itself. It was the duty of Christian citizenship to satisfy themselves as to the Prohibition Act.

Facing Crisis
Rev. Mr. Sutherland said that he believed that New Brunswick was facing a crisis in regard to the liquor business. He had his own views as to what that crisis was but considered that it was neither the time nor place to mention them. Little by little ground was being gained. He considered the report that a reduction in the number of vendors had been made, very encouraging.

Presentation to Col. Smith.
Lt. Col. Bertram Smith, officer commanding the 7th Canadian Machine Gun Battalion, now a resident of Fredericton, was presented with a leather cigar case at Saint John Saturday night the occasion being the inspection of No. 1 Company of the battalion.

PORTABLE MILLS
MORE NUMEROUS
THIS SEASON

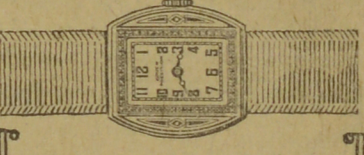
Taking Place of Big Stationary Sawmills — Estimate of 80 Per-cent Cut in the North.

The increase of the number of portable sawmills put in the New Brunswick woods for operation near the scene of the logging, is an outstanding feature of the woods-season which is new well opened. A. T. Murchie, Chief Scaler of the Department of Lands and Mines, has returned from a tour which included Chipman, Newcastle and Bathurst and which gave a good idea of the extent of operations during this season. Mr. Murchie learned that curtailment was the order of the day on the North Shore but that in the central and southern portions of the Province operations were about on the scale of last season. Albert County in fact may cut slightly more logs than before.

The small portable mill as has been forecasted for some years past is taking the place of the large stationary mill the mill being taken to the timber berth instead of the log being taken to the mill as in past years. Decrease in the size of the logs cut and increased distance for stream-driving are given as the chief reasons for the change. A short-haul to a shipping point on a railway is an essential for the operation of the portable mill.

Eighty to Eighty-Five Percent.
Operators in the Northern Counties to date have estimated a cut which is eighty to eighty-five percent of the cut of last season. The reduction is made on account of unfavorable market conditions the competition of the Pacific Coast product in the Atlantic States and of Baltic timber in Great Britain being still keenly felt.

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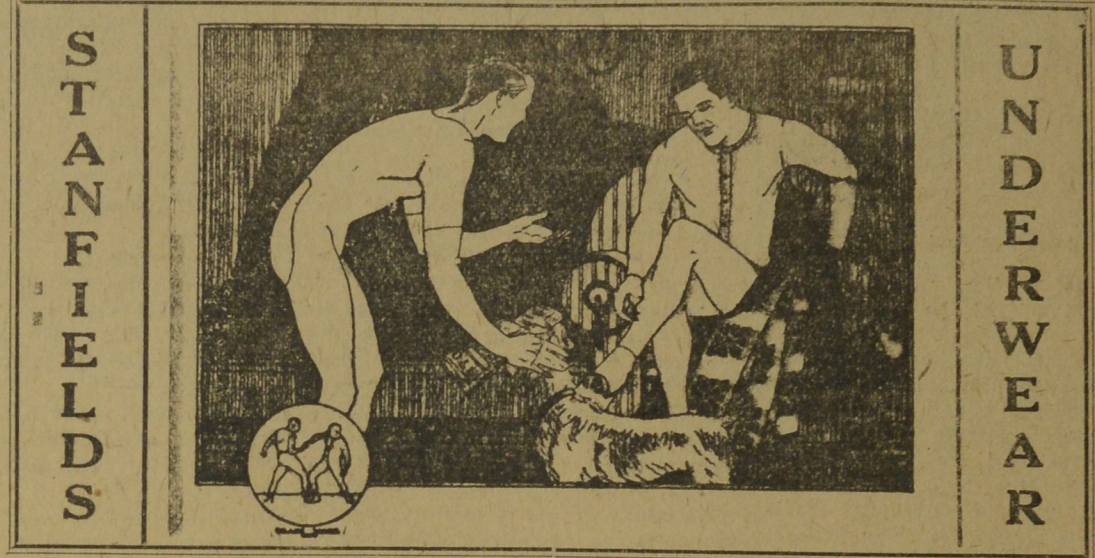
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