

WILDCAT WILL
BE ON EXHIBIT AT
BOSTON SHOW

Arrived by Express this
Morning at Govern-
ment Buildings — In
Care of Maj. Ritchie,
Chief Game Warden.

In conjunction with the New Eng-
land's Sportsmen's Show which will
open in Mechanics building at Boston
Mass., on January 16th, officials
here headed by the chief game war-
den for the province of New Brun-
swick, Major. H. H. Ritchie, are ar-
ranging for the provincial exhibit at
this annual show. The exhibit so
far is made up of two live bears,
two racoons, a cow moose, captured
several weeks ago, and a wildcat
the last named having just arrived
this morning by express from Salis-
bury, N. B.

The last named animal caused a
great deal of interest at the govern-
ment building this morning where it
was taken in its box cage, and
though everyone at the buildings
was immensely interested in viewing
the ferocious creature, it was notice-
able that none ventured too close
to the cage where the animal was
imprisoned. The wildcat was captured
by Alex. Bleakney, of Salisbury,
supposedly in a box trap and was
sent to the chief Game Warden this
morning by train. This will prob-
ably be the only one of the cat
species on exhibit at the Boston
Show in January. Major Ritchie has
been preparing for the provincial
exhibit for the past few weeks
and has now a fine collection of ani-
mals, which will create no small
amount of interest at the opening of
the Sportsmen's Show. It is expect-
ed that a number of guides and other
officials will attend this show, which
promises to be one of the features of
the New England sport attractions
for the current winter season.

CITY AFFAIRS

Has His Doubts
A small boy aged nine, informed
his parents the other day that he
still believed in God, but he had
his doubts about Santa Claus.

Fire Meeting
A meeting of the firemen was
held last evening at the fire station
with a good number in attendance
and considerable routine business
done. The matter of standing bills,
repair work, etc., was brought up
and discussed at some length.

Visitors To City
Among the visitors to the capital
city today are: A. J. Wilnot,
Moncton; George H. Jenkins, Mont-
real; F. P. Overton, Montreal; B.
S. Moore, Andover; F. W. Drake
city; G. R. Lawson and family
Minto; I. J. Murphy, Montreal; S.
C. DeLong, St. John; A. D. Keith,
Montreal; G. George Whitney, Mont-
real; S. C. DeLong, St. John.

Likes Carleton County.
Mr. Albert E. Kilburn, who left here
last spring to engage in farming at
Centreville, was a visitor to the city
today and was heartily welcomed by
many old friends. He says that he is
perfectly satisfied with his new home
and has for neighbors some of the fin-
est people the province can boast of.
He says that he struck rather a bad
year on potatoes, but is not in the
least discouraged and hopes for bet-
ter success next time.

For Radio Fans
Station CFNB, owned by J. S. Neill
& Sons, Ltd., will broadcast a pro-
gram for the Associated Merchants
of Fredericton this evening at 7.30
o'clock. The best features of the
programs to be broadcast from
American stations include the music
of great composers from WJZ net-
work at 11 o'clock A. S. T. Hank
Simmons Show Boat, WABC at 11
o'clock A. S. T. The Everready
hour, WEAF net work at 10.30 A.
S. T. and United Light Opera Com-
pany from WABC network at 10
o'clock A. S. T.

NEW GOVERNOR
A NATIVE SON
OF FREDERICTON

The City Council Takes
Cognizance of the
Fact and Forwards a
Message of Congratu-
lation.

A special meeting of the City Coun-
cil was held yesterday afternoon at
four o'clock in the mayor's office at
the City Hall for the purpose of ar-
ranging to send suitable words of
congratulation to Major General Hugh
H. McLean, K. C., of Rothesay, who
was recently appointed to the position
of Lieutenant-Governor of the prov-
ince of New Brunswick. The new
Lieutenant-Governor is a native of this
city and the message of congratula-
tion which was sent last evening to
the latter's home in Rothesay, expressed
keen gratification that such a high
office should be bestowed on one of
Fredericton's most distinguished sons.
Emergency Hospital.
Another matter of interest brought
up at yesterday's special meeting of
the city council, was the advisability
of asking the Dominion Government
for permission to use the Government
Vocational buildings on the Wood-
stock Road for an emergency hospital.
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WEATHER MARS
XMAS SHOPPING
IN CAPITAL

Heavy Rainfall of Last
Night and Today
Halts Activities Some-
what — Stores Open
Last Night.

The final week of the Christmas
rush season is now in full swing
and despite the inclemency of the
weather—a heavy rain fell this
morning to mar shopping activities
for a while—the capital shoppers
are plentiful this afternoon. The
streets and roads hereabouts are
practically bare of snow and ice and
the continuous rainfall of last night
and this morning, added in the
path of clearing the sidewalks and
streets of their last remnants. Wea-
ther forecasts are for more warm
weather with rain, but late this
afternoon the skies cleared somewhat
and the possibility is for colder
weather during the latter days of
the week. Throughout the country
the travelling is very difficult to-
day due to the rains, and the St.
John river was badly shook by the
rain and soft weather of the past
several days.
The Train Service
Arrangements have now been made
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EDGECOMBE'S STORE

The Christmas Store announces its readiness for the Biggest Christmas Selling and bids you welcome to come and view its stocks of suitable gifts for every member of the family, suggesting that if you can possibly do so, shop in the morning when the aisles are not so crowded and when the salespeople can give you better service. Selections are now better than they will be later. In fact, you have everything to gain by shopping in the morning and shopping early. As a prelude to the wonderfully complete displays of Christmas Gifts you will see at the store, we list here a few helpful suggestions.

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Ladies' Gloves, all kinds, 75c to \$5.00.
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All wool Travelling Rugs, \$6.50
Silk Hosiery, all shades, 50c to \$2.00.
Lace Neckwear, 50c to \$1.50.
Silk and Gloria Umbrellas, \$1.50 to \$12.00.

Hand Bags, \$1.29 to \$10.00.
Sweaters, Pull Overs and Wind Breakers, \$2.98 up.
Men's Silk Scarfs, \$1.50.
Men's Silk Ties, 50c to \$2.00.
Men's Scarfs, 50c to \$2.50.
Steamer Rugs, \$10.50 to \$20.00.
Fancy Wool Sox, 50c to \$2.00.
Men's Braces, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.
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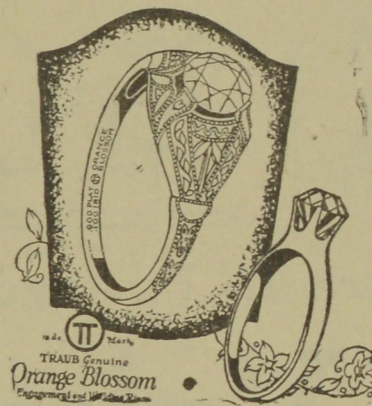
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