

SPUDS SELLING  
FOR FIFTY CENTS  
PER BARREL

Little Demand for Them  
Even at That Low  
Price — The Montreal  
Market Reported to  
be Plugged.

The outlook for the potato growers of this section is anything but bright at the present time, and there is little prospect of an immediate improvement in the market. This week potatoes are being hauled to the railway station at Keswick and delivered at the cars for fifty cents a barrel which is the lowest price which has prevailed in this section for many years. At Pokiook the price delivered at the cars is sixty cents per barrel.

A local dealer interviewed regarding the matter said that he was not buying any potatoes at present for shipment. His advice from Montreal was to the effect that the market there was plugged and that two hundred cars loaded with potatoes were standing on the railway tracks with no buyers in sight. He said that a few potatoes had gone forward to the Cuban market, but said that the demand for them was not brisk and no improvement was in sight.

The potato yield in New Brunswick this season is a heavy one and the quality is excellent but alas, there is no demand for them at a paying price.

CITY AFFAIRS

The Water Rising.

The water in the river is steadily rising as a result of recent rains. Today a strong westerly wind prevails and white caps are to be seen upon the water.

Guests at Barker.  
Among the guests at the Barker House this afternoon are: J. A. Wiener, Montreal; A. J. Osgood, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Brown, St. John, N. B.; A. D. Ruth, Montreal; Andrew Garvie, Montreal; W. Forbes, Toronto, Ont.; W. W. Gans, St. John, N. B.

The Fiscal Year.  
The fiscal year of the province of New Brunswick closes on Wednesday of this week. The law requires that a statement of the receipts and expenditures be published in the Royal Gazette within ninety days of the close of the fiscal year. The books of the province will be kept open for several weeks yet to allow accounts to be closed up.

Mt. A. Rooters Here.  
A large number of Mount Allison rooters arrived on the train last evening from Sackville to root for their team as it takes the field today against their ancient gridiron rivals, the University of New Brunswick. The streets of the capital city today were crowded with college boys and girls from both colleges, vying with each other in bright display of the college colors. The garnet and gold of Mt. A. is more prevalent than at any time in the past few years. The players from Sackville and their rooters were met last night at the C. P. R. station and escorted to their hotel in an improvised van made from a wagon. A great turnout is expected for the game.

Died This Morning.  
The death occurred at an early hour this morning at her home in 126 Queen street, of Mrs. Theresa A. Simmonds, aged 79 years. Deceased was the widow of Isaac W. Simmonds who passed away about thirty years ago. Deceased is survived by two sons, and two daughters, Harry C. Simmonds of Saint John; Byard C., of this city; Mrs. George L. Stairs, of Toronto; Mrs. Arthur B. Rowan, of Toronto. She is survived also by three brothers and five sisters. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the late home in Queen street and will proceed to the Christ-church Parish church where service will be conducted by Rev. A. F. Bate. Interment will be made afterwards in the Rural Cemetery.

BIG LEAGUERS  
RETURN HERE  
THIS EVENING

Motored to Doaktown  
This morning—Arrive  
Here Tonight — “Had  
Wonderful Trip” says  
Eddie Collins.

The party of major league baseball players who have been hunting at Hopewell Lodge on Cain's River where they shot two moose and three deer, arrived at Doaktown at noon today and are to arrive in Fredericton tonight.

They were guests at noon today of Max Gruber, of Philadelphia at his hunting and fishing lodge near Doaktown and this evening they will be entertained at a reception at the Community Hall, Doaktown, after which they will motor to Fredericton.

Had Splendid Trip  
“We have had one of the best big game hunting trips we have ever enjoyed in New Brunswick, although we had some tough breaks in regard to weather—which cannot be helped” said Eddie Collins, assistant manager of the Philadelphia Athletics, who heads the party, the other players being “Mickey” Cochrane, of the  
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COLD WEATHER  
SETTLING IN  
THIS DISTRICT

Fredericton City Experiences Low Temperature During the Night — Ice Formed All Over City.

The month of October, which will close tomorrow, appears to be stealing March's stuff, as the saying goes and holding true to that trite old phrase is “going out like a lion”. The temperature this morning and late last night registered as low as 19 degrees and this accompanied by a cold, raw wind made weather conditions just about as cool as one would ask for at this time of year. The weather today remains cold and windy in spite of the threat of a warm sun. Ice formed at all available places about the city this morning.

Getting Colder  
The past month has been on the cold side and especially during the closing days of the month has the weather been very conducive to the wearing of heavier apparel. The great majority of the citizens have adopted this idea and overcoats and winter undergarments have probably made their  
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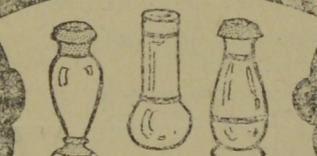
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