

## LOCAL NEWS

## TO ADVERTISERS

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## SUCCESSFUL SPORTSMAN.

Mr. Barney Fortin, of this city, succeeded in killing a fine moose near Newmarket last evening. He brought the carcass in this morning. The head is being dressed at Emack Bros.

## MUSIC FOR SALE.

All the music unsold of the E. P. Baker Piano and Music Co. may be had at reduced prices at Webster & Barnes, formerly The Post Card Store, York Street.

## VENISON AND TURTLE.

Mr. S. A. Hart of Windsor Hall, shot a deer and a big snapping turtle at Oromocto yesterday. The turtle was about three feet long and was swimming when killed.

## GETTING THEM IN ORDER.

Mr. Campbell, of Newcastle, certainly has a record so far. He went shooting on the 15th, a short distance from Newcastle and in an hour succeeded in bringing down a moose, a deer and a caribou.

## USUAL WARNING

The militia department has sent out a notice warning people that soldiers cannot be placed under stoppages of pay for private debts and that anyone who gives credit to a soldier does so at his own risk.

## LARGE MOOSE HEADS.

Two large moose heads arrived at Emack Bros. this morning. One, which had a spread of 55½ inches and 22 points, was got in Quebec, near Trois Pistoles. The other, which was taken near Sussex, had a spread of 53½ inches.

## BANS PUBLISHED.

The bans were published Sunday at St. Anthony's Church of Carl Sarsfield Hawkes, son of Joseph Hawkes, of Tay Creek, and Miss Loretta McAloon, daughter of Edward McAloon, of Stanley. The marriage will likely take place next month.

## ANOTHER EXCURSION.

The Canadian Pacific will run another farm labourer's excursion from the maritime provinces to western Canada on Saturday, Sept. 24th. The rates and conditions are the same as in effect for the excursion of August 25th.

## OHIO SPORTSMEN

Messrs J. R. King, Charles A. Pfafflin and L. M. Wainwright of Indianapolis are at the Queen today en route to the Sister Lakes on a hunting trip. They have engaged the services of Uncle Ben Norrad of Boiestown as guide. Mr. King has made several previous trips to New Brunswick.

## OUT ON DEPOSIT

James Smith a well known young man was arrested while trying to make an entrance to the Bishop's Court by a window early this morning. The police were summoned by telephone and found the young man in a state of intoxication. Things looked black for him for a while but he got out on a five dollar deposit this morning.

## WILL WED TOMORROW.

The marriage of Mr. Arthur Rowan and Miss Gussie Simmons will take place at St. Dunstan's Church tomorrow morning. Miss Alice Howard will be bridesmaid, and Mr. Eldon Croft groomsmen. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple will leave for Halifax on their wedding tour. They will have the hearty congratulations of their many friends.

## WILL BE USHER.

Montreal Herald:—At the marriage of Miss Ethel Jones, of Ottawa, and Mr. Gordon Richardson, to take place on the 28th, the bridesmaids will be Miss Muriel Burrows and Miss Majorie Jones, sisters of the bride. Mr. A. Appleton will be the best man, and Mr. John Thompson, Mr. John Crear, of Fredericton, N. B., Mr. Ernest Strathy, of Montreal, and Mr. Sam McDougall, the ushers.

## PERSONAL

Mr. Benjamin Merritt, a former well known citizen, is here from the Kootenay and is being welcomed by many old friends.

Mr. Hamilton Kitchen is here from Grand Falls for a few days.

Miss Nellie Hazen of Fredericton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Harris—Sackville Tribune.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. B. Olive returned on the 16th from a trip to St. John and Fredericton.

Miss Rene J. Kirk, of New York, formerly of the Victoria Hospital staff, arrived by the Str. Victoria this afternoon and is the guest of Mrs. C. H. Weddall, George Street.

ENGLISH SPORTSMAN  
STRIKEN BY ILLNESS  
IN MIRAMICHI WOODS

Dr. Holden Left Last Night to Attend Appendicitis Case at One of Braithwaite's Camps.

Word was received here yesterday that an English sportsman had been taken ill with appendicitis at one of Henry Braithwaite's hunting camps in the Miramichi woods and a physician was asked for. Dr. C. P. Holden left for Boiestown last night to attend the suffering man. The camp is about fifty miles from Boiestown and it will be necessary for the doctor both to drive and ride on horse back to reach the camp. Those who know the district say that he will be unable to reach the camp before tomorrow afternoon. It is supposed that the patient will have to be removed from the camp if his case is at all serious.

It is supposed that the sportsman, who has been taken ill is Mr. R. E. Otter of London, England, who passed through Fredericton on September 7th. At that time Mr. Otter was not in very good health and complained that his journey had not agreed with him. Other English sportsmen named Colby and Bailey are at Braithwaite's camps.

NATURAL HISTORY  
SOCIETY HELD FIRST  
MEETING OF SEASON

The Fredericton Natural History Society held its first meeting, for the season of 1910-11 last evening in the Assembly Hall of the Normal School. There was a large attendance of members and visitors.

The chief business of the session was the reading and discussing of a paper written by W. J. Wilson, Esq. of the Geological Survey Staff at Ottawa. The title of Mr. Wilson's paper was "A canoe trip across the Watershed between the Great Lakes and Hudson Bay" Mr. Wilson and party travelled by rail, boat and wagon to Quince Lake, on the Ottawa waters, near the height of land then by portage and canoe down the Abitibi river to the Albany river to James Bay. He described the geology the animal and vegetable life, and the Indians of the section.

The rock of the height of land is granite, of the Laurentian formation the oldest in America. The animals were much the same as those of New Brunswick; the vegetation similar but more largely evergreen, the black spruce in some parts predominating. The trees being of slow growth the wood was very firm, excellent material for pulp. In one tree of 5½ inches in diameter he counted 135 rings of growth. In that section of New Ontario was a tract of land 16,000,000 acres in extent, known as the clay belt which it is expected, will become the wheat growing region of Eastern America. Mr. Wilson had several interesting references to the Indians of the section.

A discussion followed participated in by the President. Dr. Hamilton Mr. Inch and others.

PLACES OF BUSINESS  
TO CLOSE AT TWELVE  
SATURDAY NIGHTS

A D. Gunter who was appointed a special policeman at the session of the commission held yesterday afternoon will occupy a position similar to that held for several years by George Rideout now chief of police in Moncton. The new policeman will not devote all his time to the enforcement of the Canada Temperance Act. The commissioners yesterday talked over several matters in connection with the enforcement of the law and expressed a determination to have places of business closed promptly at midnight on Saturdays. It is claimed that in the past many places have kept open until early Sunday morning. The commissioners also want a stricter enforcement of the market regulations particularly as far as forestalling is concerned. The bylaw against spitting on the streets or in public places is also to be enforced.

As forecasted some time ago by The Mail, Policeman Foss was yesterday appointed sergeant. Stories to the effect that Chief Hawthorne was to be dismissed were premature. Ald. Osborne acting chairman of the commission stated today that nothing had been done concerning the removal of Chief Hawthorne.

## FAMOUS MARE DEAD.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 15.—Peg Woffington, by Longfellow, out of Balfout, and one of the oldest of the famous brood mares in America, becoming frightened to day by lightning at Major T. C. McDowell's Ashland farm ran into a tree and killed herself.

DREAD CHILDREN'S  
DISEASE APPEARS  
AT SHEFFIELD

Young Son of Mr. Percy Barker Victim of Poliomyelitis—Paralysis Resulted From Attack.

Percy B. Barker young son of Mr. Percy Barker of Sheffield died last night at his father's home after a brief but severe illness which began on Saturday. The symptoms of the disease were such as lead to attending physicians to believe that the boy suffered from poliomyelitis, a children's disease which has been prevalent in the vicinity of Hamilton Ont., and has caused the death of many children in that place. The disease sometimes is epidemic and some times sporadic as that at Sheffield.

The boy who was eight years of age attended a picnic Saturday but came home that evening staggering and showing other signs of severe illness. He said he had chewed a cigar stub and to that his illness was attributed. Later he became very much worse. Paralysis set in and death ensued last night, medical aid proving unavailing.

It is to be hoped that the dread disease will not become epidemic in this section.

This is the second break that has occurred in Mr. Barker's family with in a few weeks. He lost another child by death a short time ago. The stricken family has the sympathy of many friends.

COMPLIMENTARY EXCURSION  
TO AROOSTOOK FALLS

Hon. N. M. Jones, the president, and the directors of the Maine and New Brunswick Electrical Power Company, Ltd., have issued invitations for an excursion starting from here on the 27th, to the plant of the company at Aroostook Falls. The directors in deciding about this excursion, have two objects in view. The first and principal object was that investors in New Brunswick might see for themselves exactly what the company has done and what the future prospects are. Invitations are also being sent to all those who are writing the company for particulars of their bond issue, which is referred to in the financial column of this paper. The second object is the question of further development and extension of the use of the power to other parts of New Brunswick. The only towns in New Brunswick who have so far availed themselves of the very low price at which light is furnished, are Andover, Perth and Aroostook Junction. It is hoped that other New Brunswick towns will, after this demonstration, decide to enter into contracts. Many small towns and villages across the line in Aroostook county, and even farm houses are making use of this electricity, not only for lighting purposes, but also for power. All the newspapers of New Brunswick have been invited to send representatives. In addition to free transportation on a special train, the company is providing a luncheon at the power plant, which will be reached about noon, and is also providing lunch on the train for the return trip, as Fredericton will not be reached until about 11 o'clock in the evening. In the afternoon the train will proceed from the power plant to Washburn Junction, whence the electrical locomotive will haul the train over the Aroostook Valley Railroad (operated by electricity furnished by the company and one of its largest customers) to Washburn and return to Presque Isle.

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LIKELY TO REFER  
MATTER TO ELECTORS

Plebiscite on Question of Loan to Palmer Company Expected—City Council Meets Tonight.

The City Council will meet this evening at eight o'clock to take further action with regard to the petition of the John Palmer Company, Limited, for civic aid in the form of tax-exemption, free water, free site and a loan of ten thousand dollars. It is likely that the aldermen will decide to refer the matter to the electors of the city and hold a plebiscite. The formal petition of the Palmer Company will be received at tonight's meeting and its sections discussed in committee. The resolution of the Board of Trade recommending to the City Council that the prayer of the petition be complied with is also likely to be presented to the aldermen.

In the case of the plebiscite to the on the bonus to the Hartt Boot & Shoe Company a majority vote in favor of the bonus was all that was necessary the plebiscite was taken on the same day as the civic election were held and a fairly large vote was polled. It is doubted by some if as large a vote could be secured with the plebiscite held at a date different from that of the civic elections.

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