

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS.

To insure prompt change of ads., copy must be in this office not later than 8 a. m. on the day they are to appear.

SLIGHTLY IMPROVED

Ald. Joseph Walker, who has been confined to his home for over a week by illness, is reported to be slightly improved.

GOVERNOR TWEEDIE HERE.

The Lieutenant Governor's flag is flying over the Queen Hotel today. His Honor, Governor Tweedie, arrived here this morning from St. John, and will leave for Chatham this evening.

WILL RESIDE HERE

Mr. W. H. Marsh who has completed twenty-one years service in the Royal Canadian Regiment arrived in the city this morning and will take up residence here. Mr. Marsh for many years served here as a member of the old No. 4 Company, R. C. R., and is well known in the city and vicinity. He retires on a pension.

THE MEN HATER'S CLUB

A comedy which has a corner on the laugh market produced by the popular Vitagraph Co., "The Canadian Moonshiner's" in which the Northwest Mounted Police take part besides western features. Pat Harrington in new songs, making up a program too good to miss.

PHYSICAL TRAINING

Arrangements for the sending of instructors to various places in the province to give courses in physical training to school teachers have not yet been completed. It is expected that the Chief Superintendent of Education will confer with Col. Humphrey, D. O. C., at St. John, while on his present tour and complete arrangements.

LAW EXAMINATIONS

The council of Barristers' Society will meet Monday evening to receive the petitions of law students who are entitled to be admitted to examination on degrees. The examinations will begin Tuesday morning. It is expected that the number of those writing the examinations will be less than in other years.

REV. CLARENCE MCKINNON.

Rev. Clarence McKinnon, principal of Pine Hill Theological College, Halifax, will deliver an address on the evening of Monday, the 24th inst., at a luncheon of the Bible Class of St. Paul's Church, to be held at the Auld Kirk. Rev. Mr. McKinnon, on the preceding Sunday, will preach in St. Paul's Church and will also address the students of the University of New Brunswick.

LATE J. WELLINGTON GEROW

The funeral of the late J. Wellington Gerow will take place at Wickham, Queen's County, tomorrow. A funeral service will be held at the late residence of the deceased, Saunders street, at eight o'clock this evening. It will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Kierstead. The remains will be taken by steamer tomorrow morning.

A son and a daughter of the deceased who have been residing in New York are expected to arrive here tonight.

HAD GOOD LUCK

Mr. L. Biddle of Philadelphia, who has been hunting big game at Trout Lake the past fortnight with Mr. William Griffin as guide, is at the Queen today, en route home. He shot a moose with an antler spread of fifty-six inches, the head being one of the nicest seen here this season. Mr. Biddle made a hunting trip to the Miramichi fourteen years ago, and was able on his present trip to note a remarkable increase in big game.

MINTO ROUND HOUSE

The commissioners of the New Brunswick Coal and Railway Company have decided to accept the tender of Messrs. Paul Lea & Co., Ltd., of Moncton, for the erection of the new round house at Minto, and the contract has accordingly been awarded to them. Their tender was the lowest, the amount being \$2,750. This includes all the work on the structure. The contractors will start the work at once as their time limit expires on December 15.

IN KENT COUNTY

Richibucto Review: Mr. A. R. Wetmore, the local government engineer, was here this week and visited Kouchibouguac, where the new bridge is under construction. Strong representations having been made to the government that the present plan of the bridge would seriously interfere with the business, and damage the property of some residents, the engineer made a slight change in the plans, lowering the grade some fourteen inches. This change will make little or no difference to the parties injured, and the work will proceed in spite of the protest.

Mr. James Robinson, ex-M. P., of Miramichi, is in the city.

CANNERS ANNOUNCE
INCREASE IN PRICE
OF THEIR GOODS

Crop Failure in Vegetables and Small Fruits the Cause—Other Provisions Steady.

Canned goods of all kinds have advanced in price. The increase is in the neighborhood of forty per cent. Canned vegetables have been affected by the shortage of crops and canned fish by the partial failure of the fisheries. Not only are all kinds of canned fish scarce and dear, but smoked and salted fish are the same. Fruits which are used by canners were very scarce this season and the result is high prices for canned blueberries and similar small fruits.

Not only have Canadian products become dear through scarcity, but food products which are imported from foreign countries are in the same condition. Raisins and other dried fruits and nuts of all kinds have increased in price.

ADVANCE ANNOUNCED.

A prominent local wholesale grocer informed a representative of The Mail today that the big Canadian canners, from whom practically all canned goods used in this part of the Dominion are bought, have quoted prices on all lines of their goods much in advance of those which ruled last year. Tomatoes have been only half a crop and the shortage is general all over the United States and Canada. The price has been increased about forty per cent. Peas have been less than half a crop and corn, which is the heaviest of all packed, is about seventy-five per cent. of an average crop.

FISH SCARCITY.

"Other goods besides canned vegetables have been affected," said the Mail's informant. "Blueberries were very scarce this year. Dried apples, prunes, raisins and the like are scarce and about twenty-five per cent. dearer than ordinarily. Not only are goods of this kind scarce and the fisheries have failed. I sent to Grand Manan for smoked herring a short time ago and received the information that there were none on the island. Lobsters, sardines, salmon and clams are also scarce."

STAPLES ARE STEADY.

There are some features of the provision market, however, which are pleasing to the consumer. Flour is reasonable in price and a heavy advance is not looked for. Oats have been a good crop and oatmeal is not expected to advance in price. The buckwheat crop has been good, and the price is not high. The corn crop is everywhere reported to be good. Sugar recently declined in price and potatoes are fairly low.

LARGE AUDIENCE HEARD

J. HERBERT BOOTH'S LECTURE

The Opera House was crowded last night by those desirous of hearing Mr. J. Herbert Booth deliver his lecture on "The Early Christians." The lecture was held under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. R. B. Wallace, president of the Association, was in the chair and introduced the lecturer, who received a hearty reception.

In his introductory remarks, Mr. Booth alluded to the fact that he had visited Fredericton before and was glad to return. He also referred to the work that he had accomplished when sent by his father, General Booth, to aid in the organization of the Salvation Army in Canada.

The lecturer dealt with Christianity in the early days of the Roman Empire, particularly during the reign of Nero. A series of beautiful animated pictures was used to illustrate the lecture.

Mr. Booth left this morning for Moncton, where he will deliver his lecture tonight. On Saturday he will open his ten days' mission at the Maine Street Baptist Church, St. John.

AVIATOR GRAHAME-WHITE
IN SUCCESSFUL FLIGHT

Washington, Oct. 14.—Claude Grahame-White the English aviator today flew from Benning Race Track to Washington, a distance of more than three miles and made a successful landing in Executive Avenue, between the White House and the War and Navy Building. The flight was made for the purpose of paying respects to General Allen, Chief signal officer of the army. Official business in the big government building was suspended to welcome the British aviator.

Coun. W. R. Fawcett, of Temperance Vale, is in the city today.

MEN BEGINNING
TO LEAVE FOR THE
LUMBER WOODS

Wages \$26 to \$30 Per Month—British Lumber Market Unsettled—Strikes the Cause.

Several parties of men have been sent to the woods from this city and as the cold weather comes on the number will increase. Last week quite a large party was sent to the woods for the Miramichi Lumber Company. Others have been sent to the Upper St. John. Jobbing will be quite general this winter in the lumber-woods but it is not expected that the cut will be heavy. Wages offered so far run from \$26 to \$28 per month with \$30 per month or more for extra good men.

BRITISH MARKET

The lumber market in Great Britain is reported to be unsettled. The lock out and strike in which the Boilermakers' Union has been concerned has seriously affected the output of shipyards with the result that the demand for lumber by that industry has been decreased. The quarterly timber market report issued by Calder, Henderson & Livingston of Glasgow at the first of the month states that there has been a fair import of New Brunswick spruce and stocks are about average. Demand is steady and prices firm. In other lines of the lumber-trade there has been little business.

FROM FREDERICTON TO HALIFAX.

Chatham World.—Mr. J. H. Crockett of Fredericton, accompanied by Messrs. J. D. Palmer, Robert MacCunn and A. H. Prince, motored over from Fredericton Sunday forenoon and left for Rexton after dinner. They are going to Halifax, from there to Digby, by steamer from Digby to St. John and home on the rubber tires.

ANOTHER GOOD ONE.

Newcastle Advocate.—One of the best moose heads brought out this season was shot by Mr. E. W. Bill, of New York, last week, who has been out with A. Pringle. The head has a spread of upwards of 60 inches with twenty-one points and a good wide web. It has been sent to Messrs. Emack's of Fredericton, to be mounted.



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ST. JOHN AUTOIST
IN ACCIDENT
AT HAMMONDVILLE

Car was Towed to Fredericton and Shipped to St. John—Motorist Had to Jump.

Mr. George E. Fairweather, of the Motor Car and Equipment Company, St. John, while motoring from Woodstock to Fredericton, met with an accident at Hammondville last evening, which made it necessary for him to get assistance from this city. The Fredericton Garage sent help to Mr. Fairweather and had his car towed to the city.

A despatch from St. John today is to the effect that the car Mr. Fairweather had left the road and went over a bank and Mr. Fairweather saved himself by jumping.

Mr. Fairweather came to the city last night and registered at the Queen. He left for St. John by rail this morning. His car was sent by steamer.

GERMAN SPORTSMEN.

Major von Estorff, a German army officer and Herr Oscar Widekind, of Germany, arrived in the city today, and are at the Queen. They will leave this evening for the Miramichi woods, where they will hunt until the 23rd inst. They will have Oswald Jones as guide, and Fred Humble as cook. The party will hunt in the neighborhood of Miramichi and Napudofan Lakes.

BELONGED TO MAUGERVILLE.

It has been ascertained that Wm. Bentley, who was held up and robbed of his ticket to England and \$90 in cash in Montreal yesterday, is an Englishman who had been working for about three years on the farm of Mr. J. W. Clark, of Maugerville. Bentley was on his way to England to spend Christmas. He had intended to go last year but had been prevented. The third class ticket by the Allan Line, which was stolen from him and afterwards recovered, was sold to him by Mr. F. B. Edgcombe, of this city.

YORK COUNTY COURT

In the York County Court today the cases of Cummings vs Dewitt Bros. and Nason vs City of Fredericton were completed. Judgement was reserved. The case of Wilson vs Van Buskirk will be tried in chambers. The court adjourned sine die.

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Brass Roofs	15c ea.	7c ea.
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