

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS

To insure prompt change it is desirable that advertisers should have their copy in this office before six o'clock in the evening of the day before.

THE WEATHER.

Maritime.—Fresh south to west winds, fair today. Then showery.

SUCCESSFUL PARISH SALE.

The sale at the Parish House last night was most successful. The sum of \$61.50 was realized. St. Ann's Band was present and furnished music.

MAY BE NEAR FREDERICTON.

Mrs. Eleanor Close is expected from England shortly to inspect sites for her proposed school for girls brought out to this country from England. It is said that she favors a site near Fredericton.

POTATOES 35 CENTS PER BARREL

A prominent local grocery firm were offered potatoes for 35 cents per barrel at Millville a short time ago. The offer was not accepted, the potato market being glutted at the present time.

MUSQUASH CAPTURED.

Mr. R. T. Mack captured a muskrat or musquash, to use the Indian name, on Phoenix Square last night. Mr. Musquash evidently decided to take a trip of inspection through Fredericton. He got as far away from the river as Queen street when he met his fate. Muskrat skins are quite valuable.

TO TAKE CHARGE OF FARM.

A party of eighty-five settlers for this province arrived in St. John on the Cassandra yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Pulley, who were in the party, will take charge of the farm near Gagetown recently purchased by Mr. G. S. Cossar, of Glasgow, as a training farm for boys brought out from the Old Country.

TOBIQUE LOG DRIVING COMPANY

The annual meeting of the Tobique River Log Driving Company, advertised to take place at the Queen Hotel at 11 a. m., today, has been postponed until this evening. The auction of driving privileges, which was fixed for 4 p. m., will take place in front of the Court House tomorrow morning at 8.30.

WILL WED SATURDAY.

The wedding of Miss Daisy McAdam of this city, to Mr. Ralph W. Cayting, of Bangor, will take place Saturday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, George Street. Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith, of St. Paul's Church, will perform the ceremony. Immediately after the wedding, the bride and groom will leave for their future home in Bangor.

DIED AT ST. PAUL.

Word has been received of the death at St. Paul, Minn., yesterday, of Mrs. W. E. Miller, formerly of this city. She was the youngest daughter of the late Mr. Thos. B. Dunphy and some twelve years ago removed from this city to St. Paul. She is survived by a husband, three daughters, Vera, Freda and Mary, one sister, Mrs. Charles Herrin, of St. Paul, and two brothers, Tyler Dunphy, of St. John and Austin Dunphy, of this city.

STREAM DRIVING NOTES.

The ice in the main river between Grand Falls and Edmundston is breaking up, and stream driving will soon be in full swing. Several crews have already gone forward from here and more will be sent out early next week. There is still plenty of snow in the woods at the headwaters, but the dry weather has made the outlook for stream driving none too bright.

YOUNG—COWARD.

Mr. James William Young, of Chatham, was united in marriage to Miss Alice Coward, of this city, at Christ Church Parish Church (St. Ann's) at 5 p. m. yesterday. Rev. Canon Cowie performed the ceremony. The bride and groom were unattended. Many friends of the contracting parties were present at the ceremony. Immediately after the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Young left by C. P. R. for the West, where they will make their home.

BANK LOGS PLENTIFUL.

It is estimated that the cut of bank logs in the river parishes of York and Carleton counties this season will be in excess of eight million feet. Already buyers for St. John and Gibson mill owners have been on the ground, and the price has taken quite a boost. As high as \$14 has been paid for spruce, and high grade hemlock logs are bringing as high as \$8.50. The first rafts of bank logs are expected to reach Springhill the last of this week or the first of next.

JURY PLACED NO
BLAME ON COMPANY

Verdict States that William Taylor Lost His Life by Part of the Dam Giving Way.

The jury enpanelled by Coroner Weaver to enquire into the death of William Taylor, whose body was found at the Mouth of the Nashwaak on Monday, last night brought in the following verdict:

"The deceased came to his death at Marysville, October 27th, 1909, by the temporary work on the top of a dam over which he was walking giving way and carrying him over the dam into the water with the temporary work."

"We are satisfied that the body found at the Mouth of the Nashwaak April 4th, has been positively identified as the body of William Taylor, who went over the said dam at Marysville October 27th, 1909." (Signed)

Chas. M. Seeley, foreman; Alex. Astle, John Markey, Harry M. Hanson, Gordon Hovey, Frank Dickson, William McGratty.

The inquest was held in the Prentice Boys' Hall, Gibson. The verdict places no blame on the Gibson Railway and Manufacturing Company, as evidence showed that the top of the dam was not intended to be used as a foot bridge and was dangerous.

Several witnesses were examined. Archibald Taylor swore he saw Wm. Taylor rise to the surface of the water and struggle for a few moments after falling from the dam. Taylor was alone when crossing the dam.

Alex. G. Robinson swore that Taylor fell from the dam because part of the breastwork gave away on account of the freshet. The top of the dam had never been intended as a foot bridge.

Charles Allan West told of finding the body at the Mouth of the Nashwaak on Monday. He was picking up drift wood when he discovered it. George Upton and John Clayborne helped him bring the body ashore.

Alfred A. Taylor said he had identified the body as that of Wm. Taylor, his brother.

Newton Stafford's evidence was similar to that of Arch. Taylor. He said it was dangerous to use the dam as a foot bridge.

DEATH OF ALEX. CARR.

Alexander Carr, one of the oldest residents of Geary, died at his home yesterday at the advanced age of eighty-four. He is survived by a widow, two sons, four daughters, forty-four grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren. The sons are Mr. Samuel E. Carr of Geary, and Mr. William Carr of Vernon. The funeral will take place tomorrow. Rev. Mr. Patterson will conduct the service.

LT. COL. LOGGIE HEAD
OF CITY RIFLE CLUB

Club had Successful Year—Targets Condemned—Hoped that Range Will be Repaired Soon.

The Annual meeting of the Fredericton Civilian Rifle Association was held last night in the Curling rink. There were present Auditor General Loudon, Capt. James Pringle, Col. Sergt. Farnsworth, J. E. Page, A. S. McFarlane, H. H. Hagerman, Bruce Smith and F. A. Good.

After usual routine of minutes the secretary's report for the year was read. It showed a very prosperous year. Fifty-seven paid members were enrolled. Forty-one of these fired all or part of their free ammunition.

Successful spoon matches were held during the season, serving as a stimulus to the newer members. Eight members competed with more or less success at the P. R. A. matches at Sussex.

The Dominion Government prize of a silver salver was won by H. H. Hagerman.

The Labor Day Shoot was well attended and a success in every way.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

Capt.—Lt. Col. Loggie, R. O.

Vice Captain.—A. S. McFarlane.

Secretary Treasurer.—F. A. Good.

Additional members of Executive Committee—Auditor General Loudon, and Col. Sergt. Farnsworth.

Captain of team in the "Overseas Competition."—J. E. Page.

Captain of team in the Canadian Rifle League.—H. H. Hagerman.

The club expects to have a very successful season this year. At present it is handicapped by uncertainty with regard to the St. Mary's range. Last summer a soldier who was marking at the range was struck by a bullet, which penetrated the butt. On account of this accident the targets were condemned and until they are put in good condition the range cannot be used. It is hoped that the necessary repairs will be made in time to prevent interference with the shooting season.

FUNERAL OF MRS. THOS. EMACK

The funeral of the late Mrs. Thos. Emack, who died at Andover on Monday, took place this afternoon. Rev. C. P. Wilson conducted the service. Interment was made at Sunny Bank cemetery.

SCHOOL MEETINGS.

The Chief Superintendent of Education has sent out notices to the effect that the annual school meetings will be held on Monday, July 11th, the second Monday in July now being the date of meeting. School accounts are to be audited within six days instead of two weeks as heretofore.

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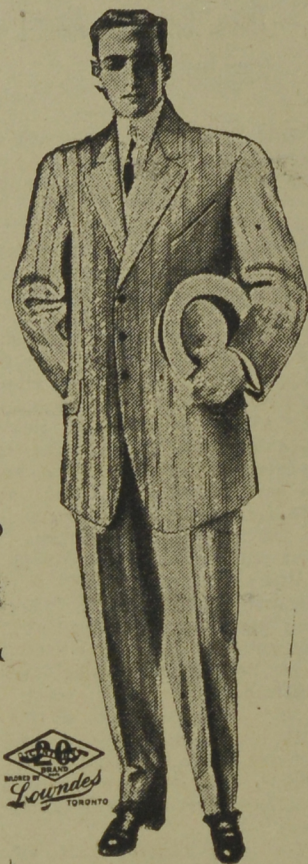
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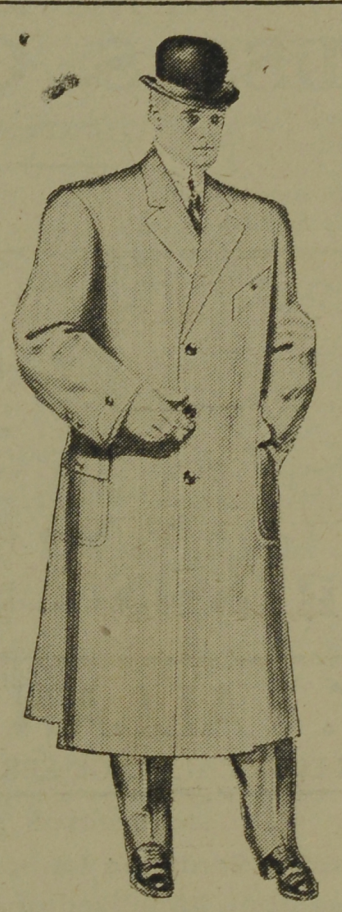


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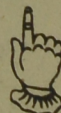
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