

LOCAL NEWS

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Fresh to strong East to South winds, showery tonight and on Wednesday.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

The seventh annual meeting of the Fredericton diocesan branch of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held today, Wednesday and Thursday, April 19, 20 and 21, 1910, in Trinity church school house, St. John.

MATRIMONIAL RUMOR.

It is rumored that the leafy month of June will witness the marriage of a young lady stenographer employed in a large mercantile establishment, and a former Frederictonian, now residing in Montreal.

WETMORE SCHOLARSHIP.

The Alumni Society of the U. N. B. has received a gift of \$200 from Judge E. L. Wetmore, a graduate, who is now in the west. The money is to be used for scholarships, \$50 being given each year for four years to some deserving student.

GOING TO ST. JOHN.

Mr. Frank Wry, operator in the Western Union Telegraph office, has been transferred to St. John and is preparing to remove to that city wife and mother-in-law, Mrs. Massie in a few days. His successor will be Mr. Perley McLean of Sydney.

RIVER NOTES.

The steamers Cincennes and Majestic, both took large consignments of cattle to St. John yesterday.

The steamer May Queen met ice at the head of Grand Lake yesterday and remained there until the water was clear enough for her to proceed. She had a large cargo.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The Provincial Teachers' Institute will be held in St. John this year, the dates being June 28, 29 and 30. Among the speakers will be: Dr. John Britain, formerly of Fredericton, Dr. Borden of Sackville, Dr. A. H. Mackay, of Nova Scotia and other prominent men.

CHANGED HANDS.

Mr. Sydney Burpee has purchased the business at Sheffield carried on for many years by the late Mr. Chas. I. Burpee, and took charge last week. He has also bought the Burpee dwelling house. Mr. Burpee is a son of the late Hon. Charles Burpee and is well and favorably known throughout the river parishes of Sunbury and Queens

DEAN PREACHED IN ST. JOHN

The very Rev. the Dean of Fredericton preached at both services in St. John (Stone) church Sunday. Rev. G. A. Kuhring, the rector, preached in Fredericton. The congregations at both services were very large. The sermons were powerful expositions of practical Christianity. The text in the morning was: Jesus Christ, the same yesterday, today and forever.—St. John Telegraph.

MORSE'S TEAS.

Representatives of the firm of J. E. Morse & Co., Halifax, N. S., are in town today distributing large sample packages of Morse's tea. The high quality of this tea has been appreciated by the general public for many years and the proprietors believe that all who receive sample packages and test its quality will use no other.—April 19, 1910.

CHANGE OF BUSINESS.

The Monitor Manufacturing Company have leased the Chestnut factory on King street, and are removing their plant into the building therefrom. The building to be rented by Mr. Louis Barker, who vacated by the company has been will carry on a taxidermist business. Mr. Barker is returning to Fredericton after several years residence in Chatham.

SHOULD GET BUSY.

Many complaints have been heard recently in regard to the condition of the Highway Bridge, and it would seem to be up to Caretaker Jonah to get a move on and bring about an improvement. A wheelbarrow with a good man behind it and a shovel and broom are the implements required for the job. The floor of the bridge does not look as if it had been subjected to a good cleansing since last fall. The caretaker should bear in mind that he was not put on the bridge for an ornament.

MILITARY CHANGES.

General Drury of Halifax, who is the officer commanding the Maritime Provinces command, has had his tenure of command extended to May 1. General Drury attended the opening of the legislature here in 1908 and has been here several times since.

Colonel J. S. Dunbar, who has been Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General of Quebec Command for the past four years, has been appointed in a similar capacity to the Eastern Ontario Command with headquarters at Ottawa. Colonel Dunbar will take up the appointment from May 1. He was formerly in command of No. 3 Regimental Depot here.

BANK LOGS SOLD FOR \$15 YESTERDAY

Rain Welcomed by Lumbermen—Scott Drive in Safe Waters—Mr. John Kilburn Leaves Tonight.

The rain which began to fall last night and which fell in quite heavy showers at times today has given the lumbermen cause for a feeling of relief. The hope now is that the rain will continue some time and will reach the headwaters of the St. John and its tributaries in sufficient quantities to bring the drives out.

Mr. John Kilburn leaves this evening for the headwaters of the St. John to take charge of his drive. This afternoon he said that the outlook was much better and if rain fell in sufficient quantity the lumber would be brought out all right. He will take some stream drivers with him. The majority of the men who will work on his drive are now at the headwaters.

\$15 FOR BANK LOGS.

At Springhill yesterday bank logs were bought for \$15, the top-notch price of the season. The lot was bought at this price for A. Cushing & Co., and was brought to Springhill by Mr. Harvey Akerley of Southampton. It was composed of deal and batton logs. Other prices do not show much change. Hardwood is sold at \$8, hemlock at \$8.50, short merchantable at \$10.50.

SCOTT'S DRIVE SAFE.

Word was received this morning that the drive of the Scott Lumber Company on Cranberry Brook, flowing into Magaguadavic Lake, had practically reached safe waters. The lumber in this drive will be cut at the company's mill on the lake.

Mr. Frank Whitehead, who has been on the Restigouche for the Shives Lumber Company, returned to Fredericton Monday. He says that the average depth of snow on the Restigouche is two and a half feet and that the drives will come out all right if rain comes at the usual time.

Reports from up river are to the effect that the rain is general. The weather forecast is to the effect that there will be more rain tomorrow.

The following bulletins were received this morning by Western Union: Woodstock—Water dropped about eight inches last night. Few logs running. Showery.

Grand Falls—Water falling. Raining.

Edmundston—Raining since last night. River about the same.

COMMAND EXTENDED.

The period of tenure of appointment of Major D. I. V. Eaton, Royal Canadian Artillery, as Director of Military Training, has been extended to December 31st, 1910. Major Eaton is a son-in-law of Mrs. A. F. Randolph of this city.

REPORT ON WORK OF SALVATION ARMY

Ensign and Mrs. Hargrove gives Details of their Year's Work in Fredericton.

Ensign and Mrs. Hargrove Commanding the forces of the Salvation Army in this city recently celebrated their anniversary services having been in charge of the work in Fredericton one year and on that occasion gave a detailed statement of the work done during that time in this city.

The statement is as follows:—  
No. of open air meetings held 240  
No. of persons taking part in same... 5252  
No. of indoor meetings held... 456  
Total attendance at same... 40672  
No. of professing conversion... 123  
No. soldiers added to the roll 30  
No. meetings held in county jail 42  
No. persons attending same... 252  
No. prisoners professing conversion... 6  
No. prisoners met on day of discharge... 12  
No. prisoners given railway fare 4  
No. persons found work for... 3  
No. meals provided... 14  
No. given lodgings... 4  
No. publications given to prisoners... 320  
No visits to hospital including military... 16  
No. publications given to patients... 106  
No. poor persons assisted... 56  
Value of food given to poor... \$ 22.00  
Cash... 26.00  
Articles, clothing... 33  
Loads wood... 3  
Hours spent by officers in visitation... 1027  
No. persons visited... 3837  
Hours spent War cry selling... 416  
No. of girls admitted to Rescue Home at St. John, from Fredericton... 11

NEW STEAMER.

The Miramichi Foundry has Sheriff O'Brien's new steamer planked, and Mr. Tweedie expects to launch her about May 15th. She is 56 ft. long and 13 feet wide, and will draw about 4½ feet. The frame, including her deck frame, is of hackmatack, the garboard strakes are yellow birch, and the planking, spruce, 1½ inch. She is strongly built and well fastened.—Chatham World.

NEW SETTLERS.

Mr. A. B. Wilmot, immigration agent the city last evening. A considerable number of people who have been brought to New Brunswick through the efforts of the government agent, Mr. A. Bowder, have been located in the neighborhood of Fredericton. Mr. Wilmot said that he expected settlers to continue to come to this province during the summer.

WHERE'S THE USE

Trying to get that old watch to keep time spending more and more money on it every year.

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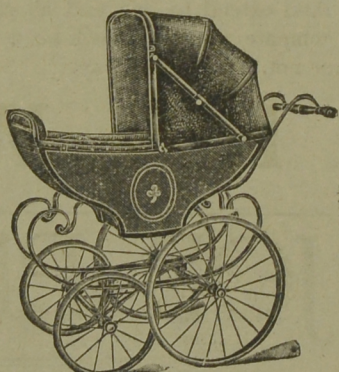
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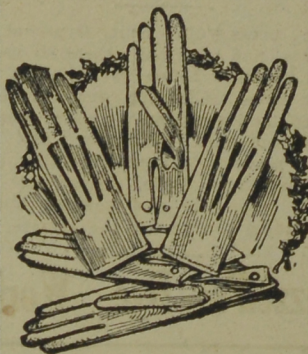
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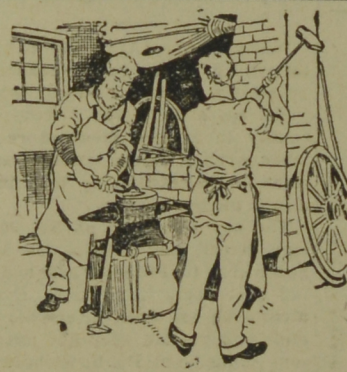
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