

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS
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WILL CLOSE
It is understood that the Marysville Cotton Mill will be closed during the week of the Fredericton Exhibition September 16th to 23rd.

MILITIA APPOINTMENT
The latest issue of the Canada Gazette contains the following militia appointment: 71st York Regiment—To be Captain. Lieutenant J. P. McPeake. 1st June, 1911.

BROKE HIS WRIST.
Major C. J. Mersereau of Chatham, on Saturday last had his wrist broken by the crank of a motor-car, the engine of which back-fired while he was cranking it.

MOTORED FROM ST. STEPHEN.
Surveyor General Grimmer accompanied by Miss L. H. Grimmer, of St. Stephen, and Miss J. Brown, of Montreal, arrived in the city by auto yesterday. They are at the Barker House.

SUGAR AND MOLASSES ADVANCE
Sugar today made an advance of ten cents per hundred pounds, which is the second advance of ten cents within the week. Molasses has also advanced two cents per gallon during the week.

FLOUR PRICES GO UP.
Ontario blend flour has made an advance of ten cents per barrel and, owing to the heavy frosts and late wheat there may be an advance in Manitoba flour. Rolled oats has advanced twenty cents per barrel.

ON MOTOR TOUR.
A motoring party composed of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sumner, Mr. H. G. Cole and S. R. Corbett of Moncton, and Miss Floyd of Springfield, Mass., arrived in the city last night, registering at the Queen. The party went up river this morning.

UNIQUE TODAY.
The beautiful story of Enoch Arden by the Biograph people, in two parts, will be the feature picture at the Unique today. Also a superb comedy, "A Country Cupid," from the same studio, and Miss Livingstone, character singer and dancer. Tomorrow The Rogers in The Blue Mouse.

PICNIC TODAY.
A large number went out to Fredericton Junction this morning to attend the picnic being held at that place by the Roman Catholic congregation. Several auto parties went out this afternoon. The picnic is being largely attended and the different games and amusements are being well patronized.

SOLID FOR McLEAN.
Mr. J. R. Randall, a prominent farmer and fruit grower of Lakeville Corner, was in the city today. He says that Col. McLean has made some notable gains in this section among the farmers, and stands to carry the parish by a good majority. He knows of several prominent Mauderville farmers who are going to support the Colonel this time.

VISITING THEIR OLD HOME.
Mr. George Turner, who was formerly clerk at S. L. Morrison's grocery store, but who is now manager of the Woburn Hardware Co., at Woburn, Mass., is in the city visiting his old home. Mr. Turner has had considerable success since going away eleven years ago but says there is no place like Fredericton. Mr. W. R. H. Campbell, of Boston, is here visiting his father, Mr. D. Campbell, King Street. He is accompanied by his friend, Mr. P. E. Macdonald.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY NEXT
Miss Constance Crawley who is to give us two nights of classic drama on Monday and Tuesday next, is one of England's most talented actresses and comes to this city with newspaper and other embossment which stamp her as one of the leading actresses of the world. Miss Crawley is especially proud of her English descent and glories in the fact that during the siege of Pretoria she was enabled to present several of her favorite characters to the denizens of that beleaguered city. These performances were given under the patronage of Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner and proved highly enjoyable to the imprisoned ones. Monday The Taming of the Shrew. Tuesday The Romancers.

Sensible Tories in this city are already becoming ashamed of the loyalty cry.

REFORMATORY FOR GIRLS PROPOSED BY CONVENTION

W.C.T.U. Desires Measures for Separation of Juvenile Prisoners in Jail from Older Offenders

The visiting delegates of the fifth annual convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island were publicly welcomed to Fredericton at the meeting held in the Brunswick Street Baptist Church last night. Mrs. Morrell, president of the local W.C.T.U. was in the chair and delivered an address of welcome to which the convention president, Mrs. Gray of Fairville, responded. His Worship Mayor Thomas welcomed the visitors on behalf of the citizens of Fredericton and Rev. Mr. Wilson pastor of the George Street Baptist Church on behalf of the churches of the city.

One pleasing incident of yesterday's session of the convention was the conferring of life-membership in the Dominion W. C. T. U. on Miss Nellie Asker the provincial corresponding secretary. The conferring of life-membership was followed by a recitation by little Miss Audrienne Perry of Summerside, P.E.I.

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

The report of the corresponding secretary was presented yesterday afternoon and showed that the W. C. T. U. was in a flourishing condition in New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island the total membership being 445 and the number of unions twenty-one, two of which are in Prince Edward Island. The report of the treasurer showed that receipts during the year had been \$920.00 and disbursements \$393.12.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS
The president's address opened with a review of the five years that have elapsed since the convention met last in Fredericton. Mrs. Gray stated that there was ground for encouragement in the present outlook of the temperance movement. Forces, for and against, were alike active, but on the side of right there was a force that would ultimately command victory. The Curfew Law and Juvenile Offenders Act had been agitated for during the year. It had been suggested that Parliament be memorialized to legislate on behalf of the Children's Protection Act.

A plea was made for more earnest effort to add more members to the organization. The work of the White Ribboners had been one of the chief factors in the great prohibition movement that is sweeping over the world. Christian womanhood should come to the help of the W.C.T.U. in this work.

REPORTS PRESENTED.

After a musical selection by Miss Smith of St. John, the report of the Evangelistic Superintendent, which was encouraging, was received. The report on Press Work was to the effect that in many towns and cities the newspapers devoted generous space to the work of the organization and the suggestion was made that the use of the press be extended.

MORNING SESSION.

At this morning's session the report on work among lumbermen and raftsmen was presented. Rev. Mr. Fiske had been employed for three months on this work, visiting many lumber camps and distributing literature and Bibles. Ninety-two dollars was contributed toward his support by the lumbermen. The report on work among militiamen was also encouraging, showing that much literature had been distributed at the various camps. It was suggested that a lecturer be secured to extend this branch of work. The proposal was thoroughly discussed.

GIRLS' REFORMATORY PROPOSED

The suggestion in the president's address that the organization take up the protective work for children was discussed and the opinion generally expressed that something definite should be done to preserve young people from the contaminating influence of older offenders in the jails. The impression on the minds of all was that a reformatory for girls as well as boys was needed. Miss Stevenson gave a very interesting account of a visit to Judge Lindsay's court at Denver where juvenile delinquents are tried.

TONIGHT'S MEETING

The W. C. T. U. extends an urgent invitation to the Women's Missionary Societies of the churches and both circles of the King's Daughters together with all temperance organizations of the city to be present this evening when Mrs. K.L. Stevenson will speak on "Snapshots of the Missionary tour around the world."

MRS GRAY RETIRES

The convention will elect officers

NON-RESIDENT HUNTERS FEWER THAN LAST YEAR

Unsettled Stock Market Keeps Americans at Home--Big Game Plentiful

Present indications are that the number of non-resident sportsmen who will hunt big-game in New Brunswick this year will be smaller than last. The engagements made by the guides to date are much fewer than is usually the case at this season of the year and it is not expected that many engagements will be made before the opening of the big-game season.

There are several reasons for the falling off in the number of sportsmen who will come to this province this autumn. The unsettled and depressed state of the American stock market will prevent many big-game hunters of the United States who have made a practise of hunting in New Brunswick from coming here this season. The coronation festivities in England also attracted many Americans who otherwise would have spent their money hunting in this province.

GAME PLENTIFUL

Big game is reported to be plentiful in all sections of the province. Within the past few weeks several moose have been killed by railway trains and farmers particularly along the Miramichi report damage to crops by deer and other game.

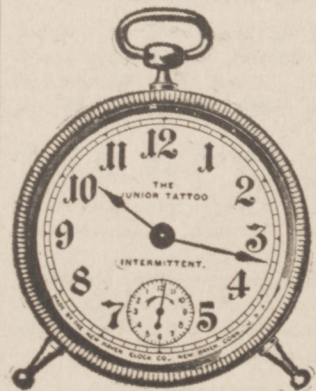
MOOSE NEAR THE CITY

A good sized moose with a fair set of horns paid a visit to St. Mary's and Nashwaaksis early this morning. The animal was seen about 5.30 trotting down the track of the C.P.R. Gibson branch. When in front of the Peabody orchard the moose left the track and made his way up the hill and through the new orchard of the farm.

CHANGE IN GAME LAWS

The game laws show some slight changes this year. Copies of the laws have been issued by the Crown Land Department. The season for woodcock will not open on September 1st but on September 15th and the sale of the birds is prohibited. Foreign-born unnaturalized residents of the province must pay a license fee of twenty-five dollars to deal in furs and hides of game.

tomorrow morning. Mrs. Gray of Fairville the presiding officer will retire as she will remove shortly to the West together with her family.



COW STOLEN FROM PASTURE AND SLAUGHTERED

Bold Case of Cattle-Stealing in City This Week--Guilty Parties not Prosecuted

A case of cattle-stealing, the boldest that has been reported in this section in some time, took place early this week. The parties concerned in the matter have made a settlement and there will be no prosecution.

On Sunday last a cow belonging to Mrs. George Miles of Saunders street which was pasturing on the Brick Kiln Road disappeared in mysterious fashion. It was thought at first that the animal had strayed and it was advertised for. Later suspicions were aroused and an attempt made to locate the cow. Mr. J. W. Harrison who had an interest in the animal set out upon some private detective work with the result that he learned the animal had been stolen and slaughtered by two men belonging to the city. Mr. Harrison found the hoofs and other parts of the cow in a field back of the city and other evidence that the animal had been converted into beef. The two suspected men when charged with the theft at first denied that they had any connection with the matter but finally acknowledged that they were the guilty parties. One of the men was the father of five small children and in poor circumstances. Out of consideration for his family he will not be prosecuted.

BIJOU

The Bijou will open Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Special pictures four reels of pictures. It has been thoroughly overhauled and under new management.

TO HOT FOR HIM

A well-known young lawyer of Fredericton who is taking a prominent part in the campaign against reciprocity got into hot water in Sunbury County a few days ago. He was airing his views on a train in a car which was full of men favorable to Reciprocity. The young legal light soon found that arguments of the other side were so numerous that he left the train and telephoned to Fredericton for a motor-car to take him home.

Mrs. George M. Hillman of Canterbury who has been in the Victoria Public Hospital under the treatment of Dr. A. B. Atherton has returned, much improved in health.

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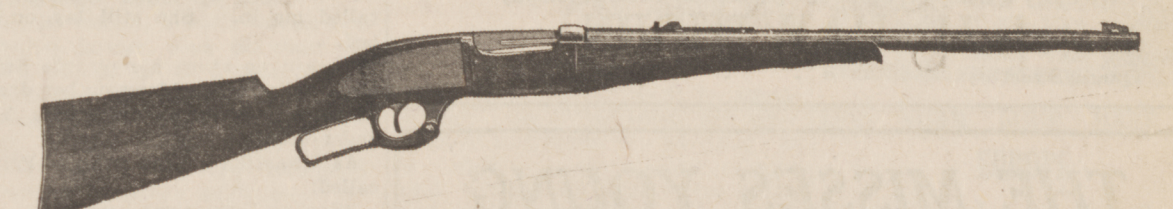
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