

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS

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ORDER OF OWLS

Your attention is called to the Owl Ad. on the sporting page of this paper.

INTERESTING ANNOUNCEMENT

Word has been received here of the birth of son to Mrs. Thomas W. Wyndham of Vancouver, B. C. Mrs. Wyndham was Miss Louisa Burpee of Gibson.

ONE LONE DRUNK.

One solitary drunk, a resident of Rusingarnish, occupied a cell at the police station last night. He was let go this morning on deposit and took the train for home.

CHANGED RESIDENCE.

Police Sergeant Sturgeon has removed from the dwelling above the Central Pharmacy at the corner of Queen and Carleton Streets to that above the old No. 4 Horse Station on King Street.

LIKES JACKSONVILLE.

Douglas Hoben, son of Mr. E. G. Hoben, writes home from Jacksonville, Florida, that he is delighted with the city and its people and is spending a most enjoyable time. He will spend the winter in Florida on account of his health.

HOSPITAL TAG DAY

Tag-day was observed by the Hospital Aid today and white tags bearing the red cross were very much in evidence about the streets. The corps of young ladies whose services were enlisted for the occasion met with great success.

TAKES OVER BUSINESS

Mr. Wm. Thompson of Magundy has taken over the blacksmith business conducted on Westmorland Street for some years past by Mr. N. J. Smith. He will conduct it along lines similar to those followed in the past.

STUDENTS WERE INCLUDED

Mayor Thomas has been informed that the religious census taken by the churches of the city some years ago included students whose homes were not in Fredericton. The statement to the contrary made yesterday was not correct. His Worship preparatory to asking for a civic census will investigate the birthrate and death-rate of the city in an endeavor to learn what the natural increase of the city's population should be in a decade.

LATE NEHEMIAH CURRIE

The funeral of the late Nehemiah Currie was held at the family residence and the Macnaquac Baptist Church on Wednesday morning Oct. 18th. Rev. Mr. Colpitts conducted the services giving a beautiful address full of sympathy and comfort. The funeral was largely attended by the friends and neighbours of the deceased who was a popular favorite with all. Sympathy, practical and deep was shown by the bereaved family, for which they wish to express their sincere thanks.

ANNULAR ECLIPSE

Local sky-gazers are not directly interested in the annular eclipse of the sun, which takes place today, for in this section of the world the phenomena will not be visible. The path of the annulus will begin on the east coast of the sea of Aral, and moving in a southeast direction will pass over the island of Hainan and New Guinea and terminate in the South Pacific Ocean. As a partial eclipse it will be visible over nearly all Asia, Australia and the northern part of New Zealand.

LARGE COUNTRY MARKET.

Today's country market was the largest that had been seen in some time. All available space on both sides of the City Hall was occupied and a row of farmers' teams were backed against the north side of Queen Street, from York Street almost to the end of the Normal School grounds. Prices of products showed considerable change. Eggs were scarce and were in great demand with a consequent rise in price. The price of pork, however, showed a downward tendency. Potatoes were firm with a tendency toward increase. Prices ruled as follows:—Eggs, 28 to 32 cents per dozen; apples, \$1.50 to \$2.00 per bbl.; turnips, 40 cents per bbl.; butter, 22 to 26 cents per lb.; pork, 7 to 9 cents per lb.; chickens, 50 cents to \$1.00 per pair.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Byron Coulthard has returned from a visit to Toronto. Miss Rawlings, of Yarmouth, is visiting her friends, Mrs. Day. Mrs. Julien, of St. John, is spending some weeks in the city.

TENDENCY TO SLOW IMPROVEMENT IN LUMBER MARKET

Reports from Great Britain so indicate —Large Stocks Being Held at the Miramichi Mills

Spot demand in the London market is reported to show slight improvement but nothing new has transpired in the Liverpool market. There are indications however, at both cities that there is a general tendency toward improvement in market conditions but the return to normal conditions will be slow. At London deliveries from the docks and yards have been a little more encouraging but will have to improve considerably more before the figures for last year which was a poor one, are equalled. At Liverpool spot values for spruce deals have remained about stationary. At Bristol the imports of Baltic timber are heavy with a natural lowering influence on the price of Canadian lumber. At Manchester no change is shown.

EFFECT ON CANADA

The effect of the depression in the British market has been to decrease the amount of lumber exported and to determine the operators to reduce the size of their operations during the coming winter. This is true of all parts of Canada but particularly of New Brunswick where stocks have been held in the mill-yards all summer and where all operators have decided upon a curtailment of a winter's cut. This is true of the St. John River operations and similar reports come from the North Shore. Reports published in the Canada Lumberman and Woodworker are as follows:

ON THE MIRAMICHI

The J. B. Snowball Company Limited, Chatham, N. B.—The timber trade on the Miramichi this year has passed through one of the worst seasons in the experience of the writer.

In March and April the prospects looked favorable for a good season, but prices commenced to drop at once, and as a result shipping from this port has been very much reduced. The Miramichi Lumber Company manufacturers of about twelve million feet have not sold or shipped any of this season's cut. The Lynch Lumber Company are in the same position and will hold from eight to ten million feet. Messrs D. Sullivan & Son, and Mr. John O'Brien, sawyers of about three and a half million feet have not sold anything and have the whole season's cut piled up. W. A. Hickson has sold about one-third and Messrs Sinclair Bros., possibly a quarter and the balance of their stock is piled on their wharf.

Driving conditions were very poor in the latter part of April and May and as a result the logs did not come into the booms as early as usual, and sawing was delayed all over the river, mills being a month later than usual in starting. Some of the operators have large portions of their logs held up in the streams, principally Messrs George Burchill & Sons, D. & J. Ritchie and Sinclair Bros. The labor condition in the Liverpool-Manchester district in the month of August further demoralized the timber markets in Britain, and the increase in freight rates from 37s 6d on the Miramichi in June and July to 47s 6d the latter part of August, had the effect of stopping any market shipments that might then have been made. Today it is almost impossible to secure tonnage unless 50s or more would be paid.

So far no move has been made for the woods in this section, or if any on a very limited scale, but it is likely that all the mill owners will be again logging, but with the outlook for the future it will probably be on a very limited scale. All the mill men here were looking forward anxiously to the adoption of reciprocity and are rather disappointed at the result.

POOR PROSPECT AT RICHIBUCTO

The stocks of lumber on hand here are about the same as this time last year. The cut in the woods will probably be lighter. The prices this year were lower than last year and prospects do not seem to be much brighter. Demand for hemlock during 1911 was fairly brisk, but spruce was not up to the ordinary. The lumber districts here are being fast depleted and the lumber now cut is of very small dimensions.

AT THE BIJOU

Tonight is the last opportunity to hear Master Joseph Pease the boy baritone. This is a musical treat that you should not miss. The pictures are above the average having comedy drama, and an Indian feature.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Campbell of Kingsclear, will have completed fifty years of married life on October 30th. They were married at Kingsclear, have always resided there and have never had a break in their family.

GROVER GORMAN KILLED IN ACCIDENT AT MOOSE JAW

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gorman of Aberdeen Street—Was Uncoupling Cars in C. P. R. Yard

Grover Gorman, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gorman of Aberdeen Street, according to advices from Moosejaw, Sask., was killed at that place either yesterday or Thursday, while working in the C.P.R. yards. The first information concerning the sad occurrence was contained in a telegram received last night by Rev. Neil McLaughlan, pastor of the Methodist Church. He at once communicated the tidings to the family of the young man. This morning a reply to a night message was received from an official of the Moosejaw section of the Railway Brotherhood, saying that Mr. Gorman's son had been killed in the yards while trying to uncouple two cars. Death was evidently instantaneous, the injuries being chiefly about the head. It is not yet known whether or not the remains will be brought to Fredericton for burial.

AWAY FIVE YEARS.

The victim of the accident was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gorman, and besides his parents, is survived by one sister, Miss Laura Gorman of this city. He was twenty-four years of age in August last and had been away from Fredericton for about five years. Previous to leaving this city he had been a cleaner at the local C.P.R. roundhouse and had also fired on the Fredericton branch. Until a short time ago he had been employed as brakeman on the Canadian Northern Railway, making runs in and out of Rainy River. The last letter received by his parents stated that he had left the C.N.R. and that Winnipeg would be his address. The next tidings were contained in the telegram received by Rev. Mr. McLaughlan. It is supposed that he obtained a position as yardman at Moosejaw, as the accident took place while he was switching cars. Nothing is known definitely concerning the time of the accident, however.

The deceased was well known and had many friends here. The bereaved family has the sincere sympathy of the people of the community.

Miss Alice Block, who has been visiting her sisters, the Misses Block has returned to her home in Concord Mrs. J. A. Edwards has returned from a three weeks' trip to Boston.

STEPS TO BE TAKEN TO STOP CARELESS USE OF FIREARMS

Danger Greater than Ever this Season —Close Escapes Reported from Districts near City

It is possible that steps will be taken by the authorities to prevent the reckless use of firearms particularly by children. The danger from the discharge of rifles and guns by careless persons in the woods is increasing all the time. This is particularly true in regard to residents of the outskirts of the city where boys are the chief offenders. Several cases of bullets and shot striking residences and breaking windows have been reported recently and City Marshal Roberts has been asked to get after the offenders.

DANGEROUS COUNTRY

The careless use of firearms is not confined to boys. Men who have been out after game in sections near the city report that in certain districts the hunter must almost take his life in his hands as shots are being fired on all sides. This complaint has frequently been made of the country about the Portobello, Little River neighboring streams. The same is true of the district about Carlow. One party of hunters who went into that country returned without any game saying that they did not wish to take the risk of being shot. Persons who have driven along the Richibucto Road state further that they have been fired at by hunters. It is said that there are more hunting parties now in the district than ever before.

FLOUR GOES UP.

Local wholesale dealers were notified this morning of an advance of 10 cents per barrel in Manitoba flour, the second to occur within a week. While the wheat crop last season was a heavy one, it is not turning out as good in quality as was expected. It suffered greatly from rain and frost.

SEIZURE OF PARTRIDGE

Game Warden N. J. Smith this morning made a seizure of three brace of partridge which had been brought to market by a farmer. The offender was not prosecuted the seizure of the game being considered sufficient punishment. The Warden as empowered by law sold the game.

Mrs. J. H. McDonald is in Cape Breton visiting her sister, who is in poor health.

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