

LUMBER DRIVES.

Kilburn Reported to Have Reached Safe Water with His Cut.

HEAVY RAINS ON THE SOUTHWEST MIRA-MICHI.

Driving Operations Well Advanced on the Restigouche.

Late advices from up river are to the effect that there has been considerable wet weather in that region of late, and the chances for the lumber drives getting out are daily improving. Mr. W. J. Nobles' big drive for Cushing on the Allegash has all reached the corporation limits and his men are returning home.

A man named Nason who arrived here last evening, brought the news that John Kilburn's drive for W. H. Murray, was in rear of the Big Rapids, about fifteen miles from the upper corporation limits which is considered safe water. This is the only news of Kilburn's drive received here for some days, and his numerous Fredericton friends will be greatly pleased to hear that he is meeting with success.

A crew of twenty men from the Paris of Burton, Sunbury county, who have been driving on the Restigouche for the Dalhousie Lumber Company, arrived in the city by the Canada Eastern this afternoon. They report that most of the lumber on the Restigouche has reached safe water.

A telegram from Boiestown reports that the lumber drives on the main Southwest have reached Hayes' bar, which is in the corporation limits. One of the Richards' Company drives has arrived at Indiantown. Heavy rain fell at Boiestown yesterday and this forenoon.

R. A. Estey's Rockway drive, with the exception of about half a million that had to be abandoned, reached safe water last week.

HERALD APPRECIATED.

Kind Words Recognizing Enterprise and Growth of this Journal.

Moncton Transcript: The Fredericton Daily Herald is giving practical signs of increasing prosperity and enterprise. Recently it purchased a building and entered into neat and comfortable premises owned by itself, for the first time in its history. Now it has put in two monoline type-setting machines, and its daily issues are now being set principally by machines. It is, excepting The Transcript, the only newspaper in New Brunswick outside of St. John whose type is set by machinery. By this means it is enabled to give its readers the latest news and reading selections set in type in Fredericton. The type selected has the same face as that in this journal and has very much improved the typographical appearance of the newspaper.

The Herald, by its able and steadfast editorial adherence to Liberal principles and the energetic policy of its business management, merits the success which it has manifested, and it should be in a position to profit very much by that expansion of the central portion of New Brunswick which will immediately follow the railway development to which the good faith of the country is pledged.

SUSPECTED MURDER

With House Burning to Conceal the Greater Crime.

Halifax, May 26.—News was received here late last night of a horrible tragedy at Burlington, on North Mountain, eight miles from Berwick, Kings Co. The house and barn of Mrs. Robinson, an aged lady, were destroyed by fire and Mrs. Robinson was burned to death.

Investigation was made which gave the case a much more serious aspect than at first presented and it is now supposed that the woman was murdered and burned. The charred body found in the ruins showed marks which suggest violence used before the fire occurred.

Mrs. Robinson was formerly a Mrs. McAulay, a widow with a family of several children. She was about 60 years of

age and was married to Robinson about a year ago. Since then they have all lived on the farm at Burlington. The family relations, it is said, were not very happy and friction occurred between Robinson and the children.

Two days ago Robinson and a stepson had a serious quarrel which resulted in a fight in which the stepson was worsted. He appealed to the law and his stepfather was bound over to keep the peace by the magistrate.

Robinson has been arrested and placed in jail. An inquest is to be held.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of People in Whom Our Readers are Interested.

Mrs Frank R. Brooks and Mrs B. W. Akerley, of Southampton, are visiting their father, Mr. Edward Dunphy of St. Marys.

Mr and Mrs Charles McGinn, of Moncton, accompanied by their niece, Miss Josie McGinn, returned home last evening.

Mr Alex Haining, of Emmerson & Fisher, St. John, who was in the city to attend his mother's funeral, Mrs Wm Haining, returned home last evening. Mrs Woodford Coy, of Concord, Mass, and her two children, George, and Frank, who were called here on account of the death of her mother, Mrs Wm Haining, intend spending the summer here.

Mr Patrick Owens, one of the leading farmers at Rustigornish, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs A. G. Blair sailed today from Montreal to visit her daughter, Mrs Brewin, in England.

Mr W. H. Fry, the well known court stenographer, is seriously ill at the St. John hospital.

Mr Fred A. Estey, who has been superintending his father's steam driving operations on the Rockway, returned home on Tuesday evening.

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New Militia Companies.

It is understood that four of the eight reserve companies of the 71st regiment to be established, will have their headquarters in the city. Two will be located at St. Stephen, one at Stanley, and the other at Marysville. A batch of new officers for the 71st will be gazetted in a short time. Only the officers and non-commissioned officers of the new companies will be required to perform annual drill.

Ten Men Suffocated.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 26.—A telegram received at the St. John's Col. Co.'s office in this city last evening states that ten miners were suffocated by gas and sulphur fumes from a small locomotive yesterday afternoon in the workings of the summit branch coal company at Williamstown, Dauphin country.

Officers Elected.

The annual meeting of the Methodist Sunday school committee of management took place last evening. The following officers were elected:

Superintendent—W. J. Osborne.
Asst. Supt.—Dr. A. M. Scott.
Secretary—W. B. Coulthard.
Treasurer—C. A. Sampson.

Appointed Signalling Officer.

Sergt. Thomas E. Powers, B. A., of the 3rd R. C. A., St. John, has been appointed district signalling officer for New Brunswick with the provisional rank of lieutenant. Mr. Powers is a graduate of the U. N. B. and well and favorably known in this city.

June Brides.

Sixteen to twenty of our Celestial maidens to set out on the matrimonial sea this coming month of June, which reminds us that Edgcombe's is the ideal paradise for all kinds of wedding trousseau.—d.

The band of the 71st regiment is to give an open air concert on Parliament Square this evening.

The Chinook.

The Chinook is one of the peculiarities and one of the blessings of Western Assiniboia and Southern Alberta. It affects the broad belt of territory contiguous to the foot-hills of the Rocky Mountains, blowing down the slopes as genial breezes in the winter time, and in summer tempering the heat as currents of cool and moisture-laden air. The winter climate of these Provinces is very like that of Colorado, a season of bright, cloudless days, infrequent and scanty snowfalls, and frequent and prolonged breaks of warm weather, heralded by the Chinook wind. No doubt the Japan current, which in British Columbia plays the part of the gulf stream in northwestern Europe, contributes to temper these regions.

The Chinook is so called because it blows from the quarter where lies the land once inhabited by the Chinook Indians, on the banks of the lower Columbia River.

How to Save Gas Bills.

A man who has a passion for reading out-of-town newspapers and also for answering many of the advertisements he finds in them, tells this on himself: The other day he answered an advertisement in one of the New York papers stating that for \$1 a method for saving gas bills would be sent. In two days he received a printed slip by mail which read: "Paste them in a scrapbook."—Toronto Star.

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