

10 LOCAL NEWS

THE WEATHER.
 Toronto, July 30.—Showers and thunder storms have been prevalent from the Great Lakes to the Atlantic, with a change to cooler conditions in Ontario. In the west fine, warm weather is general. Maritime: Fresh to strong south to north and northwest winds, showers, or thunder storms today; Wednesday, fair and cooler. Washington, July 30.—New England: Thunder storms this afternoon and tonight, cooler; Wednesday, fair, moderate; northeast winds.

Met With Accident.
 Miss Christine Colwell had the misfortune to sprain her ankle a few days ago and has been confined to her home since that time.

Made Official Visit.
 Dr. W. S. Carter, Chief Superintendent of Education, has returned from Sussex, where he made an official visit to the summer school now being held there. About fifty teachers are in attendance at the school.

Welcomed by Friends.
 Mr. John F. Timmons of Southampton, formerly deputy sheriff, is in the city and is receiving a hearty welcome from his many friends, who are congratulating him on his improved health.

Weekly Roll Off.
 Thirteen bowlers took part in the weekly roll off at the Palace alleys last night. Sgt. H. G. Smith of this city proved the winner of the prize donated by the management of the alleys. Sgt. Smith's score for three evenings was 272. J. Searles and H. Danbar tied for second place with a total of 255; Geo. Brown third with 264.

Big Potatoes.
 A basket of new potatoes, raised by Mr. F. B. Edgecombe at his summer home, Cherry Bank Farm, was exhibited in the city yesterday. The potatoes, which are among the best specimens seen this season, weighed close on half a pound each and measured about three inches in diameter. Planting potatoes was not done on this farm until the first week in June.

Local Sport Writers.
 The August number of Rod and Gun contains an interesting article on porcupines by Mr. William Swaney, of this city, who is an expert hunter and trapper. Another interesting article on boiling water in birch bark vessels in the woods was the subject of a recent article by Mr. H. B. Rainford, the well known barrister, who is also an expert woodsman.

Forest Fire Investigation.
 The investigation into the charge that parties in Restigouche County set forest fires, in June last, which did damage to the extent of several thousands of dollars, will be resumed on Thursday next at Campbellton, before Judge Mathison, Chief Forester, G. H. Prince, of the Mines and Lands Department, will go to Campbellton tomorrow to attend the investigation.

Received Cordial Welcome.
 Mr. Charles Sampson, secretary of the Fredericton Board of School Trustees, accompanied by Miss Sampson, is spending his vacation in town. He and his daughter are guests at Kennedy's Hotel. Mr. Sampson is a native of St. Andrews, and is delighted to pay it a visit on every possible occasion, and he always receives a cordial welcome here from many old friends and acquaintances.—The St. Andrews Beacon.

Off On the Clock.
 If the plan proves successful in St. John, where it is now being tried out, the telephone operators will not be permitted to give you the time of day on call, or wake you up for an early morning train. Fredericton's office still obliging gives the information, and acts as your alarm clock, but, if the prohibition works out all right in St. John, the people of this city will be denied the time privileges they now enjoy, as the plan will be put in force here.

Taking Special Course.
 Principal H. B. Bridges of the Provincial Normal School is taking a special course at Columbia University, New York, in furtherance of his work. These courses are held at Columbia to allow instructors to go there in vacation time and get up to date ideas in their work. The Board of Education has decided to grant the sum of two hundred dollars each year for the purpose of sending instructors and inspectors to Columbia for that purpose. Dr. Bridges is the first instructor to be selected.

Home for Nurses.
 The City Hotel property has been leased by the military authorities from the proprietor, Bert Lint, and is to be made over into a comfortable, attractive home for the nurses connected with the Military Hospital. When the hospital is running in full swing forty nurses will be required, and a home must be provided for them. Temporary quarters for the nurses will be kept there and the stable will be kept according to Government requirements, for that purpose. The place is leased for the duration of the war and one year afterwards.

Funeral of Catherine Haining.
 The funeral of little Catherine Haining took place this afternoon from the home of the bereaved parents, Needham street, and was largely attended. Service was conducted at the house by the Rev. Mr. Addison. The floral tributes, which were many and beautiful, showed the love in which the little tot was held for her sweet and childish ways by all who knew her, were as follows: Wreath, Palmer-McLellan and employees; roses, Mrs. Harry Atherton; spray, little playmates; flat bouquets, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Haining and family; Grandpa and Aunt Blanche, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haining, Mrs. Herbert Morgan, Mrs. Rebecca Doherty, little Gertrude Munroe, Alice McKenna; cut flowers, twin sister Carol, Mrs. William Grace, Miss Alice Pond.

BUILDING BOOM STARTED TODAY AT MARYSVILLE

Canadian Cottons Company Begin the Erection of Four Modern Structures.

EACH WILL PROVIDE TWO SELF-CONTAINED HOUSES

Grant & Horne Have Contract for the Van Guilder System, Latest Thing in Building.

A building boom starts at Marysville, today which is destined to add much to the attractiveness of this already fascinating little town, and provide commodious, modern, up-to-date homes for the employees of the Cotton Mills.

The Canadian Cotton Co., Ltd., closed a contract with Grant & Horne, of St. John, yesterday, for the erection of four buildings, 32 x 40, each to provide two self-contained houses. Each structure will be of two stories with a large veranda and porch on the front. They will be erected on a substantial concrete wall, and have ample cellar accommodation and steam heat. The ground floor will contain a living room 20 x 11, a dining room 12 x 12, and a kitchen 9 x 8. The second floor will have three large bedrooms, with accompanying wardrobes, and a bath. The finish will be hardwood throughout.

These are the first of a series of modern dwellings to be built by the Company to care for the increasing number of families required at the mill.

Something New.
 The Van Guilder system of houses, the first in this section of the country, are to be constructed by Grant & Horne, each at a cost of \$8,000. This is known as the hollow wall, or thermos bottle, house. They will be concrete structures, built without the usual concrete forms or blocks, but by a patent process. There will be the outside and inside walls with an intervening air space of two and a half inches to keep out cold and retain heat.

Mr. Horne informs The Gleaner that it is not necessary to use laths or corrugated iron on the walls for plastering. The composition of the structure is such that the walls, when completed, will take and hold the plaster. The houses, therefore, become absolutely fireproof and sanitary and, also, effects a saving of 35 p. c. in construction on any other material that could be used.

The Van Guilder building system of buildings are very common through the States, where they have proven their efficiency.

The Canadian Cottons believe them to be ideal for their purpose, because of their quick construction. Mr. Horne says that they will turn out one building a month, fully completed and ready for occupancy.

As stated before, the work started this morning, under the supervision of Frazer Bishop, who was in charge of the Fraser Memorial work at St. Paul's Church. The site of these buildings is on River street, below the mill.

The Company is also planning the erection of a residence for Mr. Kingsley, the treasurer.

PERSONAL.
 Mr. William Rutledge, Mr. and Mrs. P. Holland Rutledge, Bangor, Maine, and Mr. and Mrs. James P. Rutledge, Clinton, Mass., who have been the guests of their sister, Mrs. F. C. Duffie, at Oromocto, returned home today, making the trip by auto via St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rutledge and children of Montreal are spending the summer with relatives at Oromocto, N. B.

H. A. Chandler, divisional engineer for the C. P. R., is in the city today, registering at the Barker House.

F. N. Currie, Inspector of bridges on the C. P. R., is in the city on official duties. He is at the Barker.

Mr. Arthur Goucher of St. Stephen was the guest for the week end of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Burnett, Aberdeen street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Douglas, Stanley, are in the city at the Barker House.

E. Lloyd Rutherford, manager for the Chautauque, arrived in the city last evening. He is at the Barker House.

Mrs. R. S. Milbury and two little daughters, of Smerville, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Edward Hurley.

Business Change.
 Mr. Ralph Sheppard has disposed of the Queen street branch of the Fredericton Shoe Hospital and will continue his branch on 62 Regent street.

Refuses to Work.
 The post office clock again refuses to work. It quit work at 11.26 a. m. today and remained stubborn in its demands for more pay, oil or winding, up to the time of going to press. The work or fight rule should be employed on this clock.

Demonstration of Ladies' stylish dresses for immediate or fall at Edgecombe's today and tomorrow.

COCOANUT IN BULK
 Use it on Cake and Save Sugar

WEBB'S COCOA in bottles

HOMINY GRITZ

KLIM
 In small and medium tins. A very convenient thing in hot weather.

Raspberries, Blueberries

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Van Wart's

CONSTABLE BARKER BADLY BEATEN UP MONDAY AFTERNOON

Wild Man from St. John Gives an Exciting Exhibition of Freedom Attempts.

RESORTS TO UNUSUAL METHODS TO ESCAPE

His Brutal Assaults on Officer Aired in Magistrate's Court, and Sentence Meted Out.

A sentence to serve one year in the York County Jail, pay fine of \$100 and, in default of payment of fine, to serve an additional year in jail, was the punishment meted out to one Herbert Ferris, who was on the spot Limerick this morning, for assault upon an officer.

The man receiving the sentence cut up acts yesterday, that put in the shade some of the doings of the "wild and woolly west" when things were different than they are now.

How It Happened.
 Provincial Constable Charles Barker, armed with a capias duly issued from the Magistrate's Court, was sent after Ferris, who left this vicinity a year ago, leaving a trail of debt. He returned recently and was basking in the sunshine of his lady's smiles and caresses at a country villa. Thither proceeded Constable Barker in a team with Murray Quartermain of Devon, as driver. Ferris was found and, when the officer made known his mission, proceeded to beat up the official representative of the Province. Mr. Barker called for the assistance of Quartermain, who was on the spot legally deputized to act, and, together, they placed Ferris under arrest, and with twisters around his wrists he was loaded into the team for the home journey. He promised to be good. He didn't keep his promise. He started something on the home trip.

Did Some Bucking.
 Quartermain was driving. Ferris suddenly gave him a boost and a kick that sent him flying out of the carriage. The reins fell at the horse's heels and, being a nervous beast and unaccustomed to such actions, it began to run away. In turning a corner at the Ferry road the officer and prisoner were thrown out. Officer Barker was heavily thrown, receiving a bad gash on the head, which stunned him, as well as several face lacerations. The twisters broke and Ferris was free of shackles. He jumped into an automobile and demanded of the driver that he be taken to a place of safety. About this time Quartermain, now a legal officer, arrived and, on orders of Barker, who was bruised, bleeding and stunned, grabbed the prisoner. They asked it up in good shape, Quartermain giving a good exhibition of how Dempsey put Fred Fulton out in twenty-three seconds in their prize ring contest, overpowered the wild man and held him until an officer could arrive. In the meantime Mr. Barker was at the office of Dr. Mullin, receiving surgical attention as the fall from the carriage had badly used him up.

Devon's policeman was summoned but was busy partaking of his evening meal. The Fredericton police were asked to come and cage the wild man. Chief Finley quickly responded and brought Ferris to the city where he got the dose from Magistrate Limerick, as given above, and he should consider himself lucky that he didn't get it worse.

KENNEBECASIS YACHT CLUB DROPS ANCHOR IN CITY

Fleet of Eight Boats Make a Beautiful Spectacle as They Ride at Anchor.

SPENDING DAY IN FREDERICTON

All Report a Most Enjoyable Trip Under Very Favorable Conditions.

With full sails and pennants gaily fluttering, the Kennebecasis Royal Yacht Club, of St. John, came up the river, yesterday, and at four o'clock dropped anchor opposite the club house on Queen street. It was not long before their arrival was heralded about the street, and many wandered to the club house grounds to witness the beautiful spectacle as the yachts rode at anchor with their streamers kicking out the dust in the breezes.

Yachts in Fleet.
 The fleet is under command of Commodore Walter Logan aboard the auxiliary yacht Ilex. The Commodore has with him on his yacht his son, Robert, and Mr. Parker. The other yachts, all sail, comprising the fleet are: Sunol, Captain Wilson, with Messrs. Stewart and Cummings aboard; Rena, Capt. Mullin, with the Misses Mullin and Mr. Patchford as guests; The Wanderer, Capt. Barnes, secretary of the club, and the Misses Barnes; Cannosco, Capt. Griffiths and wife, and Mr. Walker aboard; Aster, power boat, Capt. Earle and family; Anzac, Capt. Bustin and family; Mogil, Capt. Whelpley, with Miss Winnie Whelpley and Mrs. Knight as passengers.

The fleet left St. John Saturday afternoon under most favorable conditions. The first night out was spent at Wickham, and Sunday night at (Continued on page seven)

Shaker Flannel Blankets

Are going to be very much higher. We have a good stock of **IBEX SHAKER BLANKETS** In grey and white. 10x4, 11x4 and 12x4. At prices which you will not be able to buy later on. If in need of any for Fall, buy now and save money.

John J. Weddall & Son
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 Save your fuel for the cold weather.

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 WHOLESALE—THE HARDWARE PEOPLE—RETAIL
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 Flexible Sole
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 Special Low Price for this week,
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Now is the time that the weeds are at their worst, and the insect pests are destroying the young plants. It is "up to you" to guard against a failure of crop.

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We have secured the goods you require. Give us a call.

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 In small and medium tins. A very convenient thing in hot weather.

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