

COMPLAIN OF POACHING ON S.W. MIRAMICHI

St. John, July 23—W.F. Hoerle and William Murray of Torrington Conn. two visiting sportsmen arrived in the city Monday night after a few weeks' fishing on the Miramichi River. They report that poachers have done much damage to the fishing in these well known waters. These two fishermen were met on arrival in the city by two members of the St. John branch of the New Brunswick Fish & Game Protective Association and the reports they submitted will be immediately investigated by the association.

Messrs. Hoerle & Murray stated that they had visited the Miramichi annually for the last few years but were disappointed this season. They blame illegal fishing and trust that the reports made by them will bear results, so when they return next season there will be better fishing. They had been fishing on the Half Moon for salmon. They report that poachers have been using dynamite, nets and spears in killing salmon. They caught salmon with the fly and the fish showed the marks of the spear on them. Rocky Brook was another place where they had observed illegal fishing going on. The sportsmen state that they have concrete evidence of net fishing at night three occasions.

They further report that two guides and a cook whom they had with them corroborate these statements.

The visitors also said that they witnessed young men carrying the carcass of a young deer out of the woods. In addition to making their report to members of the N.B.F. and G.P.A. they informed Harry Allan the veteran guide of what they witnessed and while in Fredericton on Monday made a report to the Department of Lands and Mines.

NORTHUMBERLAND LIBERALS MEET

The annual meeting of Northumberland County Liberal Association was held in the Town Hall here Thursday afternoon. Dr. F.C. McGrath the president was in the chair and there was a large attendance of delegates from all parts of the county. Dr. W.T. Ryan of Bofestown reported regarding the meeting held recently in St. John. Officers for 1924 were elected as follows: President—Warden Richard J. Gill, Barnaby River; secretary—R.A.N. Jarvis, Newcastle; treasurer—Edward Gallivan, Chatham.

The secretary was instructed to request all parishes to call organization meetings at once. Resolutions of condolence were passed and forwarded to the families of the late Hon. John P. Burdill, past president and the late Patrick Hennessy, past treasurer of the Association.

The following resolution was adopted: Resolved that this convention expresses its full confidence and approval of the Liberal Government at Ottawa and led by Hon. W.L. MacKenzie King and pledges its full support. We also desire to place upon the minutes of the meeting the appreciation of the time and attention devoted to the duties of his position at Ottawa by our Federal representative, Hon. John Morrissey. Be it further resolved that this convention express its fullest confidence and pledges its support to the Provincial Liberal Government as led by Hon. Walter E. Foster and later by Hon. Dr. Venton and commends the Government for its advanced democratic policies especially in regard to hydro development and roads.

Addresses were also given by Dr. Ryan, W.F. Cassidy, and Dr. McGrath. Hon. Mr. Morrissey was unable to be present as he is now a patient in Hotel Dieu Hospital, Chatham.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Price are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fraser Harris.

Mr. Frank McNeill spent the week end in Moncton, and St. John.

Mr. A.E. Quartermain attended the races last week in Fredericton.

Miss Mildred Somers is visiting friends in Bathurst.

Miss A. V. Foy, R.N. is visiting her sister, Mrs. J.E.T. Lindon.

Miss Clara MacAllister is spending a few days at "Nibunook", Bay du Vin.

Miss Bertha Lindon returned last week from a pleasant visit to friends in Concord, N.H.

Miss Janet Stymiest returned last week from a pleasant visit with friends in Concord, N.H.

Mrs. A.E. Shaw of Toronto, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Wm. Russell.

Mrs. Harry Patterson and son of Chicago are guests of Mrs. A. E. G. McKenzie.

Myron Nicholson of Detroit, Mich. is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Nicholson.

Mr. and Mrs. David Petrie of Lowell, Mass. are guests of Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Petrie.

Herbert Morell of the Royal Bank of Canada staff, Halifax is visiting his mother here.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McNutt of Campbellton were visitors to town on Wednesday.

Miss Margaret Young of Windsor N.S. is the guest of Mrs. Walter Morrell.

Misses Audrey Jones and Marjorie Wetmore of Woodstock are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Ritchie. Wilfrid Konan left last Tuesday for a two weeks visit with relatives in Boston.

Mr. Joe Lawlor of Montreal is spending his vacation at his home here.

Miss Dorothy Ryan left Friday for New York where she will visit relatives.

Miss Bernetta Keating has returned from a pleasant visit with friends in Sunny Corner.

Miss Elizabeth S. Gremley, K.N. returned to Montreal on Sunday after a pleasant visit to her home here.

Rev. P.W. Bridcan has returned from a month's vacation spent in Boston, Mass. and other American cities.

Mrs. D.L. MacQuarrie and daughter Grace of Moncton spent last week in town the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.S. Amos.

Jack Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Clay Adams, New York City is visiting relatives in Newcastle and Douglastown.

Willis Petrie of the Bank of Nova Scotia staff, Toronto is spending a vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Petrie.

Miss Lena Russell left last week for Montreal, where she will spend a few weeks, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Guy LaPrairie.

Miss Marion McKnight, R.N. of Providence, R.I. is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McKnight, Douglastown.

Messrs. John O'Brien and Leo Mitchell with Alfred Picot as chauffeur left on Sunday by motor for a trip to New York and Boston.

Messrs. Vincent and Eddie McEvoy, Edward Keating, Charles Morris and Harrison Gough motored to Fredericton on Thursday to attend the horse races.

Mrs. S. H. Mitchell and daughter Miss Florence, of Phoenix, Arizona who have been visiting Miss McAllister, left for Bay du Vin Friday to spend the month of August.

Misses Florence Cassidy and Catherine Maltby have returned from a pleasant vacation spent with their friends, Miss Gertrude McGivney of New York Bridge.

WEDDINGS

CREAMER-MULLIN

A wedding of much interest took place at St. Thomas Church, Redbank, July 15th at 7:30 o'clock when Bridget Beatrice, daughter of Mrs. Catherine Mullin was united in the holy bonds of matrimony with Nuptial Mass to Charles James Creamer of Nelson. Rev. F.C. Ryan performed the ceremony in the presence of a large number of friends. The bride looked charming in a gown of white duchess satin and georgette and wore a bridal veil and wreath and carried a bouquet of bridal roses and maiden hair fern. They were attended by Miss Stell Mullin, sister of the bride and Mr. Charles Scott of Bathurst. After the ceremony the bridal party motored to the home of the bride where a sumptuous breakfast was served to a large number of relatives and friends of the contracting parties. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion. After breakfast the bridal party left by motor for a tour of the Maritime Provinces. On their return they will reside in Sunny Corner.

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Mrs. Sarah Fowler is visiting her sister, Mrs. Annie Cluston, Derby. Little Roxie Kussell daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Kussell, who was seriously burned recently is we are glad to state, progressing nicely.

Mr. Chas. H. Shaw, Maritime representative of the Canadian Lino type Co. Ltd., Toronto was in town today leaving by motor for Fredericton at 11 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Oakes of Readfield, Me., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Astle left for home last evening. They were joined at Doaktown by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lyons of Ildtown, Me.; The party made the trip by auto. Misses Rena and Joyce Amos who spent a three weeks vacation in Edmundston, returned home last Friday, accompanied by their grand mother Mrs. Malcolm Amos, who will spend some time visiting friends on the Miramichi.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Petrie, Mrs. Walter Davis, Miss Marie Lloyd motored from South Brewer, Me. and spent some time with Mrs. R. A. N. Jarvis. On their return they were accompanied by Miss Jennie Copp who will spend her vacation in Brewer with Mr. and Mrs. Thos Petrie.

Lord and Lady Beaverbrook and Sir George and Lady McLaren-Brown were among the guests at a reception given by John Howard, the Agent General of Nova Scotia, and Mrs. Howard at the British Empire Club, London, England, last week. The function was given in honor of Mr. E.H. Armstrong, Premier of Nova Scotia.

OBITUARY

MRS. ANDREW MATCHETT

The death of Mrs. Andrew Matchett, occurred last Wednesday morning the 23rd inst. at 2 o'clock in the Miramichi Hospital, after a long illness, suffering with cancer. The late Mrs. Matchett was born in Redbank 54 years ago and is survived by her husband, also one daughter, Mrs. Joseph Wilt of Newcastle; five sons, George, William, Edward and Andrew at home and Stafford of Windsor, Ont. three sisters, Mrs. Geo. Frank of Hillsboro, N.H.; Mrs. William Chambers, Stellarton, N.B.; Mrs. Robt. Henderson, Bridgetown; N.B. and three brothers David Howe of Newcastle and George and James Howe, Bridgetown, N.B. The funeral was held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the Rev. F.E. Bishop conducting the services at the home and grave. The pall-bearers were her four sons, George, William, Edward and Andrew and her two brothers David and George Howe. The funeral was largely attended and the spiritual flowers including a wreath from the family were many and beautiful. The hymns sung at the funeral service were "When the Roll is Called up Yonder", "Jesus, I Love Thee" and "Jesus Lover of My Soul." Interment in the Miramichi Cemetery.

JAMES MATHESON

Mr. Freeman Matheson received a telegram on last Wednesday advising him of the death of his brother James Matheson, at his home in Brooklyn, N.Y. on Tuesday, July 15. The late Mr. Matheson was a native of Newcastle and was well known here. He was 68 years of age and has resided in the United States for the past 48 years. He is survived by his wife and grown up family. Also four brothers, Charles of Bellingham, Wash. John of Boston, Mass.; Freeman and "Blackstock" of Newcastle; and one sister, Mrs. Fred Gough, also of Newcastle.

Interment took place Saturday morning in Greenwood Cemetery Brooklyn, New York.

OFFICIALS INVESTIGATE DYNAMITING

Fisheries Inspector H.E. Tarrison of Fredericton when asked concerning the complaints of U.F. Hoerle and William Murray of Torrington Conn., that dynamiting and spearing had been carried on recently on Rocky Brook and the Clearwater tributaries of the Southwest Miramichi, said that the two men had been to see him in company with W.H. Allen president of the N.B. Guides' Association. The Inspector said that he had no doubt that the violations complained of had taken place, but he also was of the opinion that some exaggeration was attached to the story. In the section mentioned violations of the kind complained of had taken place previously. Residents of settlements not far away, were the probable poachers, but the difficulty was in being on the scene at the time the violations were taking place. Mr. Harrison said that four guardians were at work on the Southwest Miramichi but the territory was too large for them to cover completely and the poachers take advantage of the fact. Wood roads running back from the river are used by the poachers to reach the streams without being seen from the main river. Settlements stop miles below the streams.

Inspector Harrison sent Overseer A.C. McNally to the district to investigate. Local people who had fished in the same section were also asked for information. They did not corroborate the statement of the Americans that dead fish were along the shores but said that the salmon were lying in the pools and would not rise to fly.

ALBERTA WILL NEED 10,000 HARVESTERS

Ten thousand men needed in Alberta for the harvesting of the crop now growing is the present estimate of the provincial employment service. That estimate has been made from several labor reports sent in from several labor bureaux throughout the province, and make allowance for the poor crop conditions in certain districts. Officials of the department point out, however that it is necessarily subject to change as the season progresses, for better or worse.

It is estimated that there are 4,000 men already in the province available for harvest work, leaving the number to be brought in from outside at 6,000. These will be recruited in British Columbia, with some also from eastern Canada, and possibly a limited number from the western states.

A FEDERAL ELECTION?

Senator S.J. Crowe of Vancouver says it is the opposition opinion in Ottawa that there will be a general Federal election this year, probably in November.

Miss Elizabeth S. Gremley was a visitor to Fredericton last week.

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