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## Maximum Penalty for Negligent Handling of the Firearms

Minister of Lands and Mines Declares Provision of Game Act Will Be Rigidly Enforced Against Hunters Who Injure Others by Careless Handling of Firearms in Forests.

Fredericton, N. B., December 9. — The Department of Lands and Mines has imposed a maximum penalty, as provided by the Game Act, in all cases against any person who has caused injury to any other person by the discharge of firearms while hunting game.

This assertion was made in a statement issued today by the Minister of Lands and Mines, which comes at a time when the people are considerably alarmed over the large number of hunting fatalities and accidents in New Brunswick.

The Department ordered immediate cancellation of the hunting license of any person who has caused death or injury to another by reason of the discharge of firearms while hunting in our forests. The section of the Game Act which provides that the negligent parties shall not be issued a hunting license for a period of not less than two years and more than five years has been rigidly enforced to the extent that such licenses have been cancelled for the maximum period of five years. "That has been the policy of the Department and I emphatically say now that it will continue to be the policy as long as I am Minister," declared the Minister. So far as the Department of Lands and Mines can effectively enact measures to curtail and eliminate the negligent, and in many cases foolish, handling of firearms on the part of hunters, every effort will be made that end will be exerted by the Game Department officials supported by the provisions of the Game Act.

**CORSETS FOR SALE**  
As local representative, I offer Spencer Corsets, and Belts, custom-made, for Health and Dress purposes. Any lady interested in inspecting the styles and samples may call Mrs. Raymond Clavette, Spencer Corsetier, Phone: 90-1.

## PERSONALS

The Misses Elizabeth and Marion Dunbar entertained at a bridge party of three tables on Saturday evening. The guests were Miss Evelyn Connelly, Miss Theodora Connelly, Miss Gretchen Scott, Miss Helen Bulger, Miss Evelyn MacDonald, Miss Margaret McDavid, Messrs. Carl MacDonald, Hazen Hornecastle, Archie Young, Ronald Baird, Rupert McCabe, and Herbert Larlee. Prizes were won by Miss MacDonald and Mr. Baird.

E. J. Lounsbury of Fredericton spent several days in town recently. A new bridge club was formed on Tuesday afternoon, with the first meeting with Miss Grace Stevens. The members are Mrs. F. Dodd Tweedie, Mrs. D. A. Fraser, Mrs. L. M. Sherwood, Mrs. R. S. White, Mrs. Walter B. Morton, Miss Grace Stevens, and Miss Phyllis Hall. Mrs. Audrey Crabtree was a guest of the club, and the prize was won by Miss Stevens.

Miss Grace Gill spent several days in Montreal recently. Miss Lillias Brebner left on Saturday for her home in Campbellton after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. Matheson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Bishop entertained at Bridge on Friday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Morton, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. VanWart, Mr. and Mrs. James Reith, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dayton, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Horton, and Mrs. R. S. White. Prizes were won by Mrs. White and Mr. Horton.

## SANTA CLAUS BUSIER THAN EVER THIS YEAR

Takes Wife and Assistant Along to Help Fill All Orders

AT this joyous time of the year we hear a great deal about a man whom we call Santa Claus. For weeks we see his bewiskered face in every newspaper in the country; we see him in parades, in large departmental stores. We see him every where.

And the sight of this jolly old gentleman inspires a question in our minds. Just who is this man Santa Claus?

The answer to this question is not easy, for Santa Claus was born ages ago, and he has been so busy ever since that he never has taken the time to study his family tree. One thing he knows, and that is he has many names. Canadian children call him Santa Claus, the little Dutch folk, St. Nicholas, the French, Pere Noel, and the Germans, Prince Rumpelstutz. In the fourth century, he was a bishop in the town of Myra. He had a great deal of money, but he was so good to poor people, and especially to children, that he gave it away as fast as he got it.

In Italy he was known as a tall man, dressed in white robes and wearing a crown. But the happy Dutch did not think of this kind man that way. To the Dutch people he always appeared as short-legged and fat and well wrapped in furs. He was accompanied by a black slave, who carried a bag full of sweets and presents. St. Nicholas carried a birch rod with him and asked the children who had been good and who had been bad. If they were good he gave them nuts, crackers, and candies, but if they had been bad they got a flogging. The children put their wooden sabots in the open fireplace so he could put some more presents in these on going out.

SANTA'S WIFE  
The Italian children also believed in their patron saint, but they worshipped his wife instead. Her name is La Befana, and they pay as much homage to her as the other children do to the saint. She is not other looking.

Mrs. W. E. McKay, Miss Grace Stevens, Miss Evelyn Connelly, Miss Theodora Connelly, Miss Margaret McDavid, Miss Edna Hutchinson, Miss Marjorie Young, Miss Marian Dunbar, Miss Mrs. Ralph MacDonald, Mrs. G. W. McElroy, Mrs. W. E. McDavid, Mrs. D. A. McAlary, Miss Isabel Lane; tenors, D. H. VanWart, Ralph MacDonald, Shirley Roy, Floyd Reed, Lawrence Saxe; basses, G. W. McElroy, Hazen Hornecastle, and George Reed.

There were many splendid solos, duets and a mixed quartet with solo obligation. The singing by the full chorus was especially noteworthy. The choir consisted of 24 voices: sopranos, Mrs. James Reith, Mrs. Malcolm E. Amos, Mrs. W. B. Morton,

## First Returns In Seals Campaign

First returns of the Christmas Seals Campaign of the Victorian Order of Nurses for the Prevention of Tuberculosis have revealed several subscriptions from grateful persons, who given aid when they were without funds and threatened by a dread disease, with, now they are in better circumstances, to assist in the good work that is being carried on, realising what it means to sufferers.

Numerous sheets of seals poured through the local mails Wednesday to send back to the Order the money needed to continue through another year its efforts to check the death and misery caused by the white plague. In spite of general conditions, returns so far have been fairly good and the executive in charge expressed the hope that the response would be even more generous than that received last year.

ing, for she is supposed to be more than 2,000 years old. The legend says that when the three wise men were about to pass her window she insulted them. She saw her mistake when it was too late, and has tried to repent by making the children of Italy happy on her birthday, which is the 6th of January. She is supposed to be Santa Claus' wife and she is not busy helping him she is in Italy getting ready for her yearly celebration which takes place on the 6th of January when she gives the children toys, fruits, candies, etc.

When the Dutch came over to America they brought their stories of their patron saint and their Christmas celebrations. And the children commenced to hang up their stockings instead of putting wooden shoes into the open fireplace. Their saint was the same kind, jolly man, except that he came with reindeer instead of driving horses, as in Holland. The German children told the stories of the Christ child, who went to Bethlehem and the children inquired into their behavior and to distribute their presents. They did not see a great deal of difference in the stories and so took the twenty-first of December as the day for Santa Claus' appearance.

## News in Brief

**TWO MEN DROWNED NEAR MILLS**  
New Mills. Restigouche Co. — Thrown into the chilling waters of Bay Chaleur here Monday afternoon when the tide, rising, broke up the ice through which they were lowering a net, Arthur McNair, 40, New Mills blacksmith, and Fred Roy, 40, Benjamin River laborer, were drowned. Their companion, Clement Guillard, New Mills barber, managed to win to shore only after a hard struggle with ice cakes and the swift current.

According to reports McNair's body was found Tuesday night, and a large number of searches made several attempts to locate Roy. Grappling operations began Tuesday morning. The men were about 60 yards from shore when the ice was broken by the tide.

**THE NEW BISHOP ON HIS WAY HOME**  
Campbellton — According to official information received here, Rev. Mr. A. Melanson, P. A., V. G., who was recently appointed Bishop of Gravelbourg, Sask., left Rome Monday for Canada.

**IN BRIDGES DIES IN ST. JOHN**  
St. John — Henry Seabury Bridges, M.A., Ph. D., LL.D., age 82 years, an eminent educator of Saint John public schools, pre-eminent in educational affairs of New Brunswick for more than half a century, half of which time spent in this city, passed away at his home, 40 Duke street, early Sunday morning following a protracted period of confinement to his room consequent upon partial paralysis.

### IL EST BON de donner DES CADEAUX UTILES POUR Noel!



### Cette Année plus que jamais

Il n'y a rien de plus utile que des vêtements. Nous avons assemblé un merceilleux assortiment de Cadeaux de Noel pour Hommes, Femmes et Enfants dans les meilleures qualités et aux plus bas Prix — Tous est en rapport avec vos moyens.

### Quelques Suggestions Pour Lui

Chemises Forsyth, Cravates, Gants, Bas. Nouveaux Foulards, Robes de Chambre, en soie et autres — Pajamas, Sweaters, Mouchoirs, etc. etc.

### COUPONS !!

Profitez des coupons que nous donnons pour chaque achat de 25c, 50c et \$1.00, échangeables pour des cadeaux de valeurs.

### Pour ELLE

Bas Kayser, Lingerie élégante en soie, Gants, Mouchoirs, Pantouffles, Sweaters, Pajamas en soie, etc.



### Pour Enfants

Sweaters, Vestes de Cuir, Cravates, Chemises, Bas, Habits en laine Jersey.

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### RECIPES

**FRESH PEACH ICE CREAM**  
2-3 cup Eagle Brand Sweetened Condensed Milk  
1/2 cup water  
1 cup crushed fresh peaches  
1/2 cup confectioner's sugar  
1/2 cup whipping cream  
Blend Eagle Brand Sweetened Condensed Milk and water thoroughly. Add fresh peaches which have been crushed and sweetened with sugar; and bottom of pan. Beat two minutes. (The average peaches require about 1/2 cup sugar.) Chill Whip cream to unit for one hour, or until frozen custard-like consistency and fold into mixture. Pour into freezing unit. (Freezing time) Serves six.  
If you are fortunate enough to have an automatic refrigerator here's an easy and delicious recipe for the freezer:

### In The Automotive World

WEEK-END

**DODGE TO ENTER NEW SIX IN LOWEST PRICE FIELD**  
Among the many rumours about the entry of new contenders in the low price car market comes word from Windsor, Ontario that Dodge in Canada will soon present a new car to compete among the very lowest priced sixes.

Persons, supposed to be "in the know," say this new car is not the same as the Dodge Six recently announced in Detroit but will be in a considerably lower price bracket — in fact that it will sell for less than the lowest priced 1932 car manufactured by Chrysler Motors. Outstanding specifications, mentioned but unconfirmed by factory officials, include 112 inch wheelbase, improved automatic clutch, cross steering, transmission silent in all speeds, oil-tight squee-proof springs, down draft carburetion and a new motor developing 75 horse-power.

**LUMBER INDUSTRY ACTIVE IN B. C.**  
Motor trucks reported capable of handling any load, and operating economically in forest, mill yard, and shipping depot, are now an integral part of Canada's great lumbering industry, and (two recent figures on the trade outlook, new and heavier demands are to be made upon motorized timber transport. In the first eight months of 1932, shipments to the British Isles from British Columbia, reputed one of the richest areas in the world for high grade commercial lumber, totalled 69,000,000 feet, and the 100,000,000 feet mark will be reached by the end of the year. Meanwhile four members of the British Columbia Lumber Dealers Association have gone to Britain to study at first hand the exact requirements of the British market. As a result of trade agreements made at the Imperial Conference, new markets for Canadian lumber are opened up in South Africa, Northern Rhodesia, Irish Free State, and India. Domestic demand promises also to be much greater in the next year than it has been in the past two or three years.

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per package		Winesap APPLES, doz.	35c
Five Roses FLOUR	72¢	Delicious APPLES, doz.	35c
24 lb Bag		Emperor GRAPES, per lb	20c
Baker's CHOCOLATE	23¢	Malaga GRAPES, lb	25c
1/2 lb bar		CELERY, per head	15c
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in bulk, per lb			
JELLO, 3 packages for	25c	<b>NUTS</b>	
Bulk DATES, 3 lbs for	25c	Shelled ALMONDS, lb	39c
Dromadary DATES	22¢	Shelled WALNUTS, per lb	35c
2 packages for		Mixed NUTS in shell, lb	17c
Pure Vanilla & Lemon	39¢	California Budded	
2 oz bottle, 2 btles for		Walnuts in shell, lb	40c
White BEANS, 10 lbs for	19c		
ROLLED OATS fine	33¢	<b>CONFECTIONERY</b>	
10 lbs for		We have a very nice assortment	
ONIONS: No. 1 at 10 lbs for	25c	of Xmas Candies made in the Mar-	
No. 2 at 10 lbs for	19c	times by reliable Firms: Moirs Li-	
MOLASSES, 5 gallons for	\$2.25	imited and Ganong Bros.	
Table RAISIN, 1/2 lb pkg	20c	Xmas Mixture, per lb	20c
		Maritime Mixed Candies, lb	12c
		Barley TOYS, per lb	28c
		Chicken Bones, per lb	30c
		Butter Cups, per lb	45c
		Peanut Brittle, per lb	30c
		Dew Drops, per lb	35c
		Acid Fruits, per lb	30c
		Lemon Drops, per lb	25c

### Ass. Chocolates-5 lb-Box 79¢

### NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT

In the estate of Leon Martin, authorized assignor.

Notice is hereby given that Leon Martin of the Town of Edmundston, in the county of Madawaska and Province of New Brunswick did on the twenty-third day of September, A. D., 1932, make an authorized assignment of all his property for the benefit of his creditors, and that Ernest A. MacKay, Official Receiver has appointed me to be custodian of the estate of the debtor until the first meeting of creditors.

Notice is further given that the first meeting of creditors in the above estate will be held at the Town Office, in the Town of Edmundston, in the County of Madawaska on the twenty-first day of December, A. D. 1932 at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

To entice you to vote thereat, proof of your claim must be lodged with me before the meeting is held. Proxies to be used at the meeting must be lodged with me prior thereto.

And further take notice that if you have any claim against the debtor for which you are entitled to rank, proof of such claim must be filed with me, or with the trustee when appointed, otherwise the proceeds of the debtor's estate will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto without regard to your claim.

Dated at Edmundston, in the County of Madawaska, this seventh day of December, A. D., 1932.

THOMAS GUERETTE  
Custodian,  
Secretary-Treasurer,  
Town of Edmundston.

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