

Local and General News.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC
 Tomorrow (weather permitting) St. Andrew's Sunday School picnic will be held at Wilson's Point.

MIRAMICHI HOSPITAL
 The Secretary begs to acknowledge the following subscription: Fraser Companies, Ltd. Payroll Subscription, \$170.53

COUNTY COURT
 The County Court postponed from July 25 owing to the illness of the presiding Judge, will convene at the Court House, Newcastle, today. There are several civil court cases, but there are prospects of settlement in some of the suits to be entered.

ANNUAL RETREAT
 The annual retreat of the clergy of Chatham Catholic Diocese will take place at Bathurst, opening today. His Lordship Bishop Chaisson will preside. The retreat will continue until following Friday. Several of the clergy will then proceed to Grand Pre for an important church celebration there.

JUDGMENT RESERVED
 In Supreme Court Chambers, Tuesday at St. John before Mr. Justice Barry, the hearing of evidence in the case of the Workmen's Compensation Board vs the Bathurst Lumber Co., was concluded. Judgment was reserved. The sitting was held merely for the purpose of having submitted in evidence a certain order-in-council. Dr. W. B. Wallace K. C. appeared for the plaintiffs and M. G. Teed, K. C. for the defendant Company.

EXPLANATION
 The Opera House management wishes to explain to their patrons, who were present last evening (Monday) to witness the picture entitled "Salvage," that this picture was badly mutilated by the censors and unknown to the management until shown on the screen Monday evening. To any person or persons who feel that the picture as shown, was not worth the price of admission the management will be pleased to refund the admission price or admit free to any future show, if the party or parties will apply at the ticket office.

THE TRIFTS MURDER
 Nearly a month has elapsed since the brutal murder of Frederick H. Trifts, 27 Charles Street, St. John, N. B. who was found about 5 o'clock on the morning of July 6th by George Rose, beaten to death in his McLaughlin sedan car, on Douglas avenue, near River-view Park, where little Sadie McAuley was found murdered about a year before. The detectives have been working faithfully on the case, but have been unable to find any trace of the person or persons who are responsible for the frightful crime, or to find any reason for the murder.

SALMON AND GAME FISH
 There are no salmon rivers which surpass the rivers of the Maritime Provinces in the annals of sport. Such famous salmon waters as the Restigouche, Miramichi, Margaree, St. John, and a host of others, are amongst the most productive angling waters in the world while speckled trout, in smaller streams and the migratory sea-trout in the estuaries, afford unequalled recreation to anglers from all quarters. The striped sea bass, the tuna and sword-fish, also occur in abundance, and tourists are year by year increasing in numbers attracted by the facilities for trying their skill with the fly, or with bait. The land-locked salmon is found in Chamcook Lakes, and other Maritime waters, and ranks amongst the finest fish. The sea-trout found in all the streams of the Bay of Fundy, and especially in eastern Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, and northern New Brunswick, are widely known for their weight and fighting qualities.—Busy East.

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UNITED SERVICES
 The Protestant United services last Sunday were conducted by Rev. C. W. Corey, pastor of the Suburban Baptist Church, Lewisville, N. B.

APPOINTMENT
 Mr. W. F. Comeau, of Newcastle has been appointed Authorized Trustee for the Province of New Brunswick, under the Bankruptcy Act.

GOOD HAY WEATHER
 The farmers have had great hay-making weather. Bright, warm, sunshine every day and only one tenth inch of rain during the whole season. By this time the greater portion of the big hay crop is safely garnered.

THE WOODSTOCK FAIR
 The prize list for the Woodstock Exhibition to be held on September 12th to 15th has been issued and copies are now being distributed. The Management of the show has been taken over by Mr. R. F. Armstrong who is also town manager.

FOREST FIRE
 The department of Land and Mines received a report last week from Coun. Savoie of Rogersville, Northumberland County, that a forest fire had been observed some ten miles west of that place at the head of Pleasant Ridge.

PUMPED OUT TANKS
 The Chatham fire engine was put to work Wednesday evening pumping out the 24000 gallon tanks recently installed for oil and gasoline by the W. S. Loggie Co. Ltd. and which had been weighted down by water. The engine itself is now being furnished up with a new coat of paint.

G. W. V. A.
 The G. W. V. A. are holding a monster fair today on the Exhibition Grounds, Chatham. A game of baseball between Richibucto and Chatham is scheduled and extra attractions of all kinds will be held and a Band will be in attendance throughout the day and evening.

BELEYEA DEFEATED
 Paul V. Costello, of the vesper Boat Club, Philadelphia, was crowned American amateur champion in the Golden Jubilee, National Regatta on Saturday when he beat Hilton A. Belyea, of St. John, N. B., Canada, by five feet in a gruelling struggle. Costello's time was 7 minutes, 27 1/2 seconds.

PICNIC
 The Chatham St. Mary's church picnic was held Wednesday at Oak Point. Over 300 members of the congregation went down on the Alexandra and had a fine day under exceptional weather conditions. Races and games provided lots of fun for the children and the usual good spread of picnic viands made the day one long to be remembered by them.

FIRE REPORTED OUT
 The forest fire on the headwaters of the Northwest Miramichi some sixty miles from Newcastle is reported out. A crew is remaining to extinguish the last embers. About nine hundred acres of second growth were covered by the fire. A crew went in from Wayerton a distance of forty-two miles. The province now is clear of fires and the rains have been general.

CAPT. AND MRS. GOODWIN RECEIVE FAREWELL ORDERS
 Capt. and Mrs. J. A. Goodwin have received their farewell orders and will leave Newcastle on the 24th of this month. The appointment orders have not yet been received, but the Captain and his wife volunteered some time ago for British Burma, and since doing so, have been asked by Headquarters if they would accept an appointment in India, to which they replied in the affirmative. Possibly the announcement of their appointment will be made in our next issue.

NEW VEGETABLE ACT
 The attention of retail merchants and dealers is drawn to a section of the recently passed root and vegetable act which is now in force. This section reads: "All potatoes, onions, artichokes, beets, carrots, parsnips, and turnips offered for sale shall be sold by weight and the standard pound avoirdupois shall be the unit for the weight used." This section, however, does not apply to vegetables offered for sale with top leaves attached, such as bunched carrots, bunched beets, etc."

BORN
 At South Nelson, August 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Patterson, a son

LEFT FOR THE WEST
 A number of local young men left last Friday on the Harvest Excursion train for the west.

BASEBALL
 The Chatham baseball aggregation went over to Richibucto, Wednesday evening for a friendly game of ball with the base-ball artists of Kent County, and won out by the decisive score of 8 to 2.

QUO VADIS
 One of the best pictures ever shown here was Quo Vadis, which was screened at the Opera House last Friday evening. A large audience was present and all were perfectly satisfied. The management of the Opera House is to be congratulated on procuring such a high standard of pictures for the community.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH
 Mrs. George McKay has received the following particulars from Mr. L. Griffin, Supt. C. N. R. at Edmondston, concerning the death of her husband.

"Mr. McKay was employed as cook in a B. & N. gang under Foreman McGovern, working at Quisibis and, from the information I have been able to obtain, this gang was moving from Quisibis on the morning of the 21st and Mr. McKay walked with us to his village for supplies obtained as usual on the morning of July 21st on foot he was struck by an auto on a public crossing, near Siegas Bridge and killed. The remains were taken to Quisibis to await instructions of the Coroner who wanted the remains brought to Edmondston for inquest which was held on July 21st, and a verdict of accidental death was rendered and it was found there was no criminal negligence attached to anyone."

SEMI-MONTHLY CROP REPORT

Haying on the uplands is finished and the gathering of island and marsh hay is progressing satisfactorily. Showery weather has retarded rapid progress in gathering hay in the southern part of the Province. The crop is even better than was at first predicted and will be twice as much as last year. The acreage of clover being saved for seed is small; most of the area of last year's seeding down to clover having produced only slightly this year.

The barley crop is ripening, though oats are yet green. Indications point to a good yield of oats, in all parts of the Province with the exception of the Caraquet and Bathurst districts. Root crops are exceptionally promising in appearance and the acreage is considerably greater than last year.

Potatoes are making rapid growth, though the number of misses in many fields is as high as fifteen per cent.

Pastures are falling and the milk supply in consequence is not too abundant. Sowing crops are being fed quite generally. Creamery butter is thirty-six to thirty-eight cents per pound.

COMMERCIAL RADIO LEFT TO COMPANIES

The policy of the Canadian Government is to get out of the commercial end of wireless telegraphy, to which



Bird of Paradise
 The little girl said:
 "Of course I know what the Blue Bird is—it's the Bird of Paradise."
 She was wrong, but you won't think she was far wrong after drinking.

Blue Bird
 TEA

It was to some extent committed as a war exigency. It will, of course, maintain such wireless installations as are an aid to navigation.

One of the largest wireless stations in Canada, that at Barrington Passage, N. S., will be closed in the near future. This follows on similar action taken by the British Government with regard to the Admiralty medium power radio station at Bermuda, which was closed on July 1. As a consequence, the commercial service between Barrington and Bermuda has been suspended, and, as the Government has no other use for Barrington, it will be closed. Both were war stations, having been erected in 1915 as part of the chain of naval radio stations extending from St. John's Nfld., to Demerara, British Guiana, Barrington acting as the connecting link between St. John's and Bermuda.

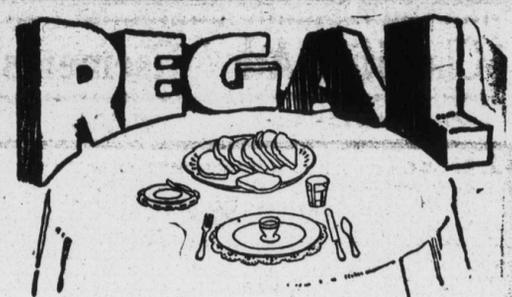
The closing of Bermuda and Barrington marks the termination of the North Atlantic chain of naval radio stations, St. John's, Jamaica and Demerara having been closed by the Admiralty in June. The three radio direction finding stations at Cape Race, Canso and Halifax, erected during the war, will be retained as a permanent part of the "aid to navigation" service of the Department of Marine and Fisheries.

EARTHQUAKE PREDICTION CAUSES ALARM

Paris, Aug. 3.—Since Milton A. Noble of Philadelphia predicted the forthcoming destruction of southern Europe, northern Africa and a stretch of Asia, following the eruption of several volcanoes in southern Europe, reports of seismological disturbances have been pouring into Paris.

The first was announced from Lyons the observatory there yesterday stating that a series of shocks had been recorded but it was impossible to indicate the region affected. This morning there were reports from Geneva and Madrid. The first contained no details, the second mentioned important damage in the neighborhood of Granada.

The earthquake shocks were accompanied by subterranean rumblings said to have lasted three minutes yesterday morning at Granada. The inhabitants rushed panic-stricken into the street half clothed. It is feared that a number of the villages in the province suffered severely.



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A good breakfast is a good start for a good day. And it must always include good bread—the kind you make from **REGAL FLOUR**, the flour that is known as—"Wonderful for Bread."

This afternoon Bucharest telegrams told of the alarm created by Noble's prophecy in Eastern Europe especially since for ten days a number of earthquake shocks have been felt at Menhadia, which is in the Bucharest region. There have been three or four shocks daily each accompanied by subterranean rumblings. The fear is keener, because this section has not been used to volcanic disturbances.

Dance at the Beach Wednesday Evening August 9th.

DOMINION GOVT. ILLUSTRATION STATION

A Dominion government illustration station has been opened at the Riverside Farm, Lower Derby, owned by Mr. W. Robert Taylor and who is in charge of the station.

The Federal Department of Agriculture recognizing the possibilities of profitable farming in this county established an illustration station on the farm of Mr. Robert Taylor, Lower Derby, in the spring of 1921.

A more public location could not be chosen in the county, as it is adjacent to the main highway between

Chatham, Newcastle and Fredericton. Four large bulletin boards denote the four year rotation, viz:—**HOED CROPS, GRAIN, CLOVER, and TIMOTHY.**

One of the principle objects of these demonstration plots is to illustrate how ordinary farm land can be made the most productive on the least fertilizer and showing modern methods of cultivation.

A special effort at this station is made to grow and maintain good seeds of the varieties that best suit the district. The seeds sown on these plots are certified as pure and are raised on the different experimental farms of the Maritime Provinces, which insures acclimated seeds. The surplus will be on sale for the farmers of the county.

The work of this station is performed by Mr. W. R. Taylor under the supervision of Mr. John Fixter of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Mr. Taylor at all times will be only too pleased to show interested persons how the work is carried on.

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