

BUILDING ACTIVITY IN ST. JOHN

opening of the institution this year, however, it having been decided to have that early next year. The big water tower has been completed.

SPLENDID FUTURE FOR ST. JOHN AND THE EAST, SAYS W. T. ROBSON OF C. P. R.

Head of Big Corporation's Advertising Department Declares Present Spirit of Optimism is Fully Warranted—Finds That Outsiders Have Even More Faith in This City Than We Ourselves Have.

Thursday, Sept. 23. "I believe firmly in a splendid future for St. John and the east," said W. T. Robson, general advertising agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway Co., to a Telegraph reporter yesterday.

His trip, which extends from coast to coast, Mr. Robson has a unique opportunity to gauge the various conditions in each province of the Dominion, and he says that in the east the spirit of optimism is as strong, and to his mind, as well founded as that in any portion of Canada.

In St. John he met business men who by their aggressive business tactics remind him more of the pushing westerner than of the eastern business man who has always been more celebrated for a solid conservatism in business methods than for those in use in western Canada.

BUMPER APPLE CROP IN MARITIME PROVINCES

Fruit Reports in General Have Been Encouraging—Something About the Prices—Nuts and Cranberries—Poor Policy of Many New Brunswick Packers.

A bumper apple crop is reported this year in the maritime provinces, while from British Columbia and Ontario come the same cheering reports.

The pear season is now nearly over and while Nova Scotia has had a very large crop, these are unable to compete with the California pear, being poorer in both quality and appearance.

At present little attention is paid to the packing or grading of the apples with an eye to the tourist trade and he is leaving for a motor trip this morning in that connection.

LOCAL NEWS

The wedding of Miss Grace Worrell, daughter of the Lord Bishop of Nova Scotia and Mrs. Worrell, and the Rev. J. F. L. Foster, rector of St. Albans' cathedral, Halifax, on Oct. 2.

EIGHT TUGS HAD DIFFICULT JOB

Big Crib for New Wharf on West Side Placed in Position

STRONG TIDE MADE THINGS INTERESTING

But Contractors Knew Their Work and Just Before Dark Great Structure 1000 Feet in Perfect Shape

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What the Thunderer Says of Winston Churchill's Speeches

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ST. JOHN MARKETS

Onions, Valencia, 1/4 case, 0.00 " 1.50 Onions, American, bag, 1.75 " 2.00

HOPEWELL HILL NOTES

Hopewell Hill, Sept. 24—Golden Rule Drivers, No. 50, of the Empire, have elected the following officers:—

WEDDINGS

Barbour-Huntley. Hopewell Hill, Sept. 25—At the home of the bride's parents, this evening, Miss Lena Laura Huntley, daughter of Captain and Mrs. E. Huntley, of Upper New Brunsw.

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Rideout-Pearson. Hartland, N. B., Sept. 25.—(Special)—Arlington, A. Rideout, one of the county's successful produce merchants, was married Wednesday to Christiana Pearson, daughter of Jas. S. Pearson, of Upper

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