LOCAL MATTERS OF INTEREST.

SATURDAY

The fame of Charlotte county fish weirs has extended to the Pacific coast. Last week two Japanese fishermen, from British Columbia, named G. Otto and M. Koganemaru, visited St. Andrews and paid a visit of inspection to the weirs. They went to Eastport from here.—Beacon.

Col. White, D. O. C., of St. John, inspected the 19th Field Battery here yesterday. Col. White was favorably impressed with the showing made by the battery. Veterinary Surgeon of Fredericton was also here yesterday in connection with the battery inspection. —Transcript.

The new pipe organ for Main street Baptist Church arrived on Wednesday and will be immediately placed in position. The work is being done by experts from Casavant Bros.' factory, St. Hyacinthe, Que.

A moose head, which is a beauty, and which was bagged by Walter Roulard of Bangor, Me., passed through the city from Bathurst, consigned to Crosby Co., taxidermists, of Bangor. The antlers are beauties, having a spread of 63 inches. Four caribou heads also passed through the city yesterday. These were the property of four New York gentlemen, who have been hunting in Newfoundland.

James Beveridge, promotor of the new pulp mill, has definitely decided to locate in Newcastle, says the Chatham Commercial. The people there had met his proposition in a business like way and he had just returned from St. John with plans completed to start work the next day. Mr. Beveridge also stated that he was making provision to double the size of the mill if at some future date it was found advisable to do so.

MONDAY

A sad accident occurred at the Evangeline Hospital Friday, when an infant aged one day, was smothered in his mother's arms. The mother had the infant carefully wrapped near her bosom and on waking was horrified to find the child was dead. Coroner Berryman was notified and after learning the circumstances pronounced the child's death to be accidental. Harold Scott was the name of the infant.

There were fifteen deaths in this city for the week ending Sept. 28th. The causes of death were as follows: Consumption, 2; cholera infantum, 2; debility, 1; inanition, 1; pyaemia, 1; meningitis, 1; ilea colitis, 1; diabetic coma, 1; Broncial asthma, 1; catarrhal jaundice, 1; carcinoma of liver, 1; unaemic convulsions, 1; accidentally smothered, 1. Total 15.

The annual high tea of St. Peter's church congregation will be held in St. Peter's hall on the evenings of November 18, 19, 20, 21. The green table will be in charge of Mrs. P. J. Quinn; pink table, Mrs. D. Doherty; ice-cream booth, Mrs. T. Buckley.—Freeman.

Russel Janes of the West End recently found at Dipper Harbor a tin containing an unrenovated photograph, on the back of which was: "John Brooks, U. S. S. Virginia, V. S. M. C., June 15, 1907, off coast of Mass." The paper was so discolored that the photograph was almost obliterated, but the faint outlines of a group of men on the deck of a steamer remained. The message was picked up about September 15, so that it had been about three months on its journey.

TUESDAY

The death occurred at his home in Duke street yesterday of William Green, aged 41 years. Mr. Green, who leaves a wife and two children, was a well known commercial traveller and was prominent in Masonic circles. Death was due to pneumonia.

The news that the well known legal firm of Hanington, Teed and Hanington had been dissolved caused general interest yesterday. The business will hereafter be continued by A. H. Hanington and C. S. Hanington.

Peerless Lodge No. 19, I. O. O. F., celebrated its thirty-third anniversary last evening. The lodge rooms on Simonds street were crowded with large numbers of invited guests, who spent a most enjoyable evening. A lengthy and varied programme was performed, after which refreshments were served. The programme was as follows: Miss Pearl Spragg, recitation; H. V. McKinnon, piano solo; M. D. Brown, address; E. N. Stockford, reading; John Salmon, solo; Mr. Ingraham, reading; selection by Victoria Street Quartette; Dr. J. H. Gray, address; R. D. Coupe, address. H. E. Codmer presided.

Mr. Charles D. Strong, who enters on his new duties in the C. P. R. office in St. John on October 1st, was presented on Saturday afternoon with an address, accompanied by a handsome English club bag, purchased from E. C. Cole and Co., the bag is one of solid leather with Mr. Strong's initials. Mr. Strong has been an efficient member of the General Passenger Agent's Department.—Transcript.

The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. James Welsh, formerly of this city, but now of Somerville, Mass., was celebrated there last night. Mrs. Welsh is the eldest daughter of the late John Kelly, of Lily Brook, St. John County, and the wedding was performed by the Rev. John Quinn in a chapel connected with the Cathedral. John C. Ferguson, of the Customs House, was one of the groomsmen, the other being Charles McMullen, also of this city. The bridesmaids were two sisters, Misses Helen and Kate Rooney, one of whom is now in the United States married to John McManus.

The annual meeting of St. David's Young People's Association was held last evening. The treasurer's report showed a balance of $64, $60 of which was then voted to the Jennie B. Robb fund. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Rev. A. A. Graham, honorary president; J. McMurray Reid, president; Bruce McPherson, 1st vice; Miss Lou Fraser, 2nd vice; W. J. Davis, secretary-treasurer; Miss Gertrude Hannah, assistant secretary-treasurer; Mrs. J. M. Barnes, pianist. The convenors of committees are: Reception, Neil J. Morrison; social, Mrs. G. W. Campbell; Biblical, Andrew Malcolm; musical, S. J. McGowan; literary, Miss Carrie Baillie; historical, Miss Pearl McMurray; missionary, Alexander Watson. It is expected that the programme for the season's work will be ready for distribution on the 22nd inst.

At a meeting of the local government at Fredericton, last evening, R. H. Conger, of New York, engineer for the Grand Falls Power Co., submitted plans for the approval of the executive. These plans, which had already been approved by the Dominion government, were approved by the executive, and under the terms of the charter, it will be necessary for construction work to be begun within sixty days and for $250,000 to be expended within the year. Mr. Conger assured the government that $3,000,000 would probably be spent during the first year. The company are ready to go to work as soon as satisfactory arrangements are completed with the town of Grand Falls in regard to the land required.

WEDNESDAY

Harry Vail has resigned as coach of the Harvard crew. E. J. Brown, connected with the Jeffries Point Rowing Association of East Boston, succeeds him. Vail had difficulties with a number of the undergraduates, particularly with one candidate of last year's crew who had been eliminated and was sore. Vail has a number of good offers but has made no plans for the future yet.

An important edict dated Sept. 30 decrees compulsory education for everybody in China and declares, furthermore, that the people are to be taught the principles of constitutional governments in order that they may be better fitted to elect representatives when a parliament is granted the empire.

The Chamberlain's office staff had yesterday a busy day looking after the many who sought the last opportunity to save their five per cent discount. The time limit expired at midnight. Last year's totals were the best in the city's history and yesterday made this year's figures even higher.

Since the beginning of the financial year, $402,530.11 has been handed in, as against $399,700. 89 last year and $354,286.53 in the year before. There is therefore a gain of $3,002,83 over last year. The amount taken in yesterday, however, does not reach as high a total as on the first day of October last year. Yesterday there was $121,808.82 collected, as against $135,770.01 in the previous year.

The total number of payers this year was 5,632, as against 5,872 in the previous year. There was therefore a falling off of 240, due to the large number of government employes, of whom there are about 400 in all, who refused to pay their increased taxes. Many wished to pay the amount which they did last year and to get the discount on that amount, but this the chamberlain would not permit, and the civil servants went off in a "huff." Many employes, however, paid their taxes under protest, and if therefore it afterwards turns out that the city is acting beyond its power, these gentlemen will receive their money back with better interest than they could get at the bank. The judges, who are heavy contributors under the new order of things, paid their taxes in full without complaint.

Rev. Dr. A. M. Hill, of Fairville Presbyterian church, has announced his intention to accept the call to St. John's church, Yarmouth. The session and congregation of the Fairville church have passed a resolution expressing appreciation of Mr. Hill's six years' ministry among them. The date of his leaving for Yarmouth is not arranged.

Few St. John people realize the size of the cold storage plant which is being erected off Main street. Work on the main building is going along very rapidly and in so far as the mason work is concerned, is almost completed. The roof will be put on in a few days. This building is 100 feet square. In the rear of the main building the foundations for the power house are now being laid on piles which were driven, back of the western corner. All the foundations have been put down by the Cold Storage Company under the supervision of Mr Brodie, but the mason work is being done by Mooney & Sons. On the Main street front of the building, a large wing over 100 feet deep with a frontage of 62 feet is now being put up. The front portion of this will be divided into four stores while the back part, 42 feet by 62, forms a portion of the main cold storage building It is of interest that the contract for the cork packing in the building has been awarded to the Armstrong Cork Co., of Pittsburg, the price for this alone being in the vicinity of $26,000. The machinery will be installed by the British Linde Refrigerating Co., of Montreal, the contract price being in the vicinity of $23,000. The boilers have already arrived and will be set up almost immediately.

THURSDAY

Hugh K. McLean of Harvey, York county, pasesd through St. John last evening on his way to Fredericton, where he will resume his studies at U. N. B. During the past summer Mr. McLean has been teaching school to Cape Breton.

John R. Bradley, a millionaire who has been travelling in Greenland, arrived at Sydney yesterday on his yacht. He left behind him in the north Dr. Cooke, who will make a dash for the Pole on sledges. On the Polar Sea Dr. Cooke will be accompanied by two young Eskimos and their dogs. When asked if Dr. Cooke would take the same course as Peary he said "No." The party will leave 79 north latitude in Smith's Sound and from there will cross Elsmer Land and try to reach the Pole by the Polar Sea. He felt convinced that Dr. Cooke would then pass the intervening 600 miles to the Pole.

Out at the hospital work is progressing rapidly on the new operating room which is being fitted up in the top floor of the northern wing. Mr. Brodie, the architect, is of the opinion that when it is completed, St. John will have one of the best operating rooms in eastern Canada. The floor and the walls to a height of five feet, are to be tiled. The upper portion of the walls will be of hard plaster. This job is approaching completion in so far as the actual construction work is concerned, but it will be some little time before the hospital authorities have their equipment ready for use.

Yesterday afternoon at about 1.30 o'clock, George A. Siggins, a carpenter, met with a serious accident while working on the roof of the moulding shop of the Pheonix Foundry. Siggins fell from the roof to the ground, a distance of about thirty feet, and was rendered unconscious by the fall. The injured man was removed to the hospital and at an early hour this morning was reported to be resting easily.

Word was received by relatives in this city last night of the death in Montreal of W. H. Eaton, sr., of the firm of W. H. Eaton & Son. Deceased, who had been ailing for some time, is a brother-in-law of Robert Johnson, foreman of The Sun press room and was himself the first man to occupy the position of foreman of the composing room. He leaves one daughter and five sons. A sister is Mrs. W. A. Moore of St. John, widow of the late treasurer of the old town of Portland.

It is said that owners of property in the vicinity of the water works extension who have had visions of wealth as a result of claims for damages are entirely unsatisfied with the decision of Judge McLeod in the cases which have come before him and that an effort is being made to put a bill through the legislature to appoint a board of arbitration whereby they hope to get what they consider fair treatment.

WEDDINGS.

HARIRSON-SLOCUM.

A very happy event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Slocum of Waterborough, Queens Co., on Wednesday, Sept. 25th, at 6 p. m., when their daughter, Amanda, was united in marriage to Holly F. Harirson of Portland, Maine. The bride looked charming in a dress of Swiss muslin wearing a veil, and was attended by her sister, Miss Susie Slocum, as bridesmaid. The groom was supopted by David Slocum, jr. A large number of guests witnessed the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. H. H. Gilies, rector of Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison will make their home in Portland, Me., and carry with them the good wishes of their many friends to their new home.

George Slocum of this city is a brother of the bride.

NOVA SCOTIA WEDDINGS.

NEW GLASGOW, Sept. 27.—The first two of the September weddings scheduled to take place in New Glasgow took place on Wednesday. In both instances the brides were charming New Glasgow girls, who go to homes in other towns. At the residence of Mrs. J. W. Sutherland, her eldest daughter, Miss Christina, was married to John Logan, son of D. Logan of Pictou, in the presence of a large number of guests. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. E. Forbes of St. James' church, assisted by Rev. R. Cummings of Westville and Rev. G. S. Carsen of Pictou. The bride entered the room on the arm of her uncle, Mr. Cohoon of Little Harbor, the wedding march being played by Miss Dalmeny Miller. The bride wore a dress of white silk and carried a shower bouquet. Miss Katherine, a sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and wore pink silk and carried pink roses. The groom was supported by Charles Logan of Halifax. The happy couple left for Halifax, where a few days will be spent visiting the fair, when they will return to New Glasgow for a short visit before leaving for their future home in Montreal. The bride going away wore a blue traveling suit.

The other happy event was celebrated at the home of Mrs. James E. McDonald, Pleasant street, when her daughter, Miss Winnie, became the wife of Robert Roper, a prominent business man of Glace Bay. The home was beautifully decorated with sweet peas, autumn leaves and ferns. The bride was given away by her uncle, Robert Graham, and was dressed in pearl silk, carrying a bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid was the bride's sister, Miss Jennie, who was dressed in cream silk and carried pink roses. D. R. Ingraham of Glace Bay supported the groom, and Miss Grace McDonald played the wedding march. Mr. and Mrs. Roper went to Halifax on the fast express. They will spend a few days there and then go through the valley to St. John before returning to Glace Bay. Mrs. Roper was dressed in blue broadcloth, with hat to match. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Smallman of the Baptist church. A large host of friends gathered at the depot to bid the newly married couple good-bye and shower on them good wishes.

The marriage of Arthur Clemens, traveler of H. deForest of St. John, and Miss Florence Rehfus, second daughter of the late Philip Rehfus of Bridgewater, was celebrated on Wednesday at 1 p. m. in St. Paul's Lutheran church, Bridgewater. Miss Rehfus was one of the most popular young ladies of that town, and Mr. Clemens is a star amongst the "knights of the grip."

MUNROE-LAGUE.

At Bald Hill, Queens Co., Sept. 25th, Stephen Munroe of Newcastle, Queens Co., was united in marriage to Addie M., eldest daughter of H. H. Lague. A large number of guests were present. Rev. D. Patterson officiated.

BURNS-SYLPHER.

A pleasant and memorable event took place on September, 19th, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Burns of Upper Jemseg, when their youngest daughter, Della Myrtle, was united in marriage to Earle Freeman Sypher of Newcastle, Queens County. The happy couple stood beneath a large bell of floral design that hung from the ceiling of the veranda, which was also trimmed with flowers and evergreens. Mrs. W. F. Curret played the wedding march. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. B. McDonald. The bride was attired in a suit of gray henrietta and carried a bouquet of white carnations, which was a gift from Mrs. James McAlpine. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Nellie L. Burns as bridesmaid, and her little niece, Myrtle L. Sypher as flower girl, the bride being given away by her father. The groom was supported by his friend, Mr. W. Fred Chapman, of Syphers Cove. A large number of friends were present.

BAKER-CURRIER.

WOODSTOCK, Sept. 28.—This afternoon at 5 o'clock in the Albert Street Baptist Church Miss Juanita Blanche, only daughter of Dr. I. W. N. and Mrs. Baker, was united in marriage with Rev. F. Allison Currier, pastor of Emanuel Baptist Church, Winnipeg, by the Rev. Joseph Bleakney, the bride's grandfather, assisted by Rev. Dr. Keirstead, pastor of the church. The bride was attended by Miss Inez Burtt, while Robert J. Flemming, teller of the Bank of Montreal, suported the groom. Rev. Mr. Currier is one of the most eloquent of the younger Baptist clergymen, and previous to accepting his present charge was pastor of the Free Baptist Church here. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple took the train for the West.

PORTER-PERRY.

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of Mrs. (Rev.) H. M. Perry, Wolfville, on Sunday evening, when her daughter, Miss Edna Redden, was united in marriage to Grant B. Porter, senior member of the firm of Porter and Brother, a popular young merchant of that town. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. D. Spiddel of Kentville. The rooms were tastefully decorated with potted plants and cut flowers. The bride looked very pretty in white silk. She was attended by her half-sister, little Miss Pauline Perry. The bride is the only daughter of the late Captain George Redden of Chester. Both bride and groom have a wide circle of friends, who will wish them every happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Porter left for a trip to Chester and other points on the south shore.

HAWKINS-WILSON.

The marriage took place at Zion church, Yarmouth, on Saturday afternoon, of Dr. Z. Hawkins to Miss Mabel Wilson, both of Sussex. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. W. Rose. Dr. Hawkins will practice at Ohio, Yarmouth County.

MANN-MacBETH.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the residence of John MacBeth, Tide Head, on Wednesday, Sept. 25th, when his sister, Miss Elizabeth, was united in marriage to Dr. Harry Mann of Campbellton. The bride, who looked very beautiful, was gowned in white silk gloria, with veil, and carried a bouquet of maiden hair fern and roses. The house was prettily decorated with autumn leaves and potted plants, and the grounds were illuminated for the occasion with Chinese lanterns.

The ceremony was performed in the parlor by Rev. P. J. Stackhouse, B. D., pastor of the Campbellton Church, in the presence of fifty guests.

Miss Beulah Champion, neice of the bride, was ring bearer and looked very sweet in a dress of white silk gloria. The groom's present to the bride was a Muson Risch piano, and to the ring bearer a handsome gold bracelet. The bride, who is very popular, received many beautiful and costly presents. After the ceremony a very dainty lunch was served by Caterer Gray of Campbellton.

The happy couple left on Thursday morning on the Maritime express for Quebec, Montreal and Boston. The bride wore a going-away suit of brown cloth, with hat to match. On their return, Dr. and Mrs. Mann will reside on Water street.

BURGESS-CHUTE.

ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, N. S., Sept. 26. —A pretty home wedding took place Monday evening at Somerset, when Roy B. Chute of Somerset was united in marriage to Georgie Owen, daughter of the late Dr. George O. Burgess. Rev. G. P. Raymond was the officiating clergyman. At eight o'clock, amid the strains of the wedding march and in the presence of about fifty guests, the bridal party took their places under an arch of asparagus and white astors. The bride, who was given away by her mother, Mrs. Emily D. Killiam, looked very pretty in a princess gown of white silk and bridal veil. She was attended by her sister, Pearl, who was gowned in pink silk and carried a bouquet of pink sweet peas. The bride's bouquet was white astors and asparagus. The groom was supported by his brother Vernon. The gifts were numerous and valuable, among them were the following: An embroidered sofa pillow from China, two carving sets, three table cloths, silver crumb tray, cut glass berry dish, silver table spoons, a dozen and a half silver tea spoons, Haviland chocolate set, fruit knives, silver cake tray and three parlor lamps.

GOODSPEED - COGSWELL.

BERWICK, N. S., Sept. 26.—The Baptist Church here was the scene of a very interesting event at five o'clock this afternoon, when Miss Lalia Rebecca, youngest daughter of Maynard Cogswell, was united in marriage to Frederick Garfield Goodspeed of St. John. Mr. Goodspeed is assistant engineer in the public works department, St. John. He graduated in arts at Acadia College, Wolfville, in 1902, and in engineering from the University of New Brunswick in 1904. Miss Cogswell is also a graduate of Acadia College, having obtained her B. A. degree in 1905.

The church was prettily decorated by the many friends of the bride, the pulpit and platform were filled with a profusion of potted plants and autumn leaves, while an arch, consisting of sweet peas and ferns, has been erected for the contracting parties to stand under, while on each corner of the arch were their initials, C. and G.

As the bridal party entered the church, the wedding march from Zimmerman was played by Miss Laura Rainforth. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. P. Raymond. Little Miss Congdon, niece of the bride, acted as flower girl, and was dressed in pale blue silk.

The bride looked lovely gowned in white silk nett over white silk, trimmed with silk applique. She carried a beautiful bouquet of bride's roses. As the couple left the church, Mendelssohn's wedding March was played. The ushers were Misses Blanche Illsley and Cora Webster, friends of the bride, who were both dressed in white mull, trimmed with valenciene lace and insertion.

A reception was held at the bride's parents. In the evening they left on the west-bound train for their future home amid showers of rice, confetti, and the best wishes of their friends.

The presents were numerous and handsome. Mrs. Goodspeed's travelling suit was of brown palella cloth, with hat to match.

JOHNSTON-BURNS.

McADAM, Sept. 29.—The residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Johnston was the scene of a very quiet but pretty wedding on Wednesday evening, when their sister, Mrs. Lottie Lawson, was united in marriage to Wilfred W. Burns. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Arthur Ross in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. The bride looked very charming in a dainty gown of cream crepe de chene. Miss Minnie Miller, who performed the duties of maid of honor, was gowned in a pretty costume of green silk.

As the bridal party entered the parlors, which were beautifully decorated with white flowers and sweet peas. The wedding march was played by Miss Ruth Green, a niece of the bride, who looked very winsome in white.

Immediately after the ceremony a sumptuous repast was served in the dining room, which was tastefully decorated in pink.

Mrs. Lawson, mother of the bride, was becomingly gowned in black silk. Mrs. Goodspeed, Ottawa, and Mrs. Johnston, sisters of the bride, wore very handsome costumes of grey silk. Mrs. George Green, another sister, wore a lovely gown of light green silk. Mrs. William Lawson was dressed in green and cream silk.

Many beautiful gifts were received by the bride from friends in this town, St. John, Bangor and other places. The groom's wift was an elegant ring set with three diamonds.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns left on Wednesday evening's train for St. John and Halifax and on their return will reside in McAdam.

DALLING - TOWNSEND.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Sept. 30.— This afternoon at four o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, Richmond street, Miss Estella Beatrice, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Dalling, was united in marriage to Osceola Allison Townsend of this town.

The ceremony was performed in the presence of only the immediate relatives by Rev. G. D. Ireland. Miss Edith Dalling attended her sister, while the groom was supported by Wm. V. Dalling.

Many presents were received from relatives and friends. After a trip to Boston and New York, the young couple will reside in the groom's residence on Maple street.

WILSON - FOSHAY.

At the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Dr. W. E. McIntyre, Wednesday night, Miss Merilla B. Wilson was quietly married to Harry A. Foshay, of Young's Cove. They were unattended.

GREY - LANE.

A quiet wedding took place Wednesday evening at the home of Benjamin Grey, 327 Germain St., when his son, Cecil B. Grey, was united in marriage to Miss Mabel M. Lane, of Newfoundland. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. Camp, of Leinster St. United Baptist church. The bride, who was dressed in nevy blue, received many pretty and costly presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Grey left for Portland, Me., and other American cities on a wedding trip.

MOORES-RICHARDS.

A very pretty wedding took place at the residence of the bride's father, David Richards, of the Wm. Richards Co., at Frogmore, on Oct. 1st, at 9.30 p. m., when his daughter Eliza Belle, was united in marriage to Malcolm Patterson Moores of Moores Bros., Campbellton. The bride, who was given away by her father, was unattended and looked beautiful in a gown of white lace over chiffon silk and carried a bouquet of white roses. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. P. J. Stackhouse, B. D., pastor of the Campbellton Baptist church, in the sitting room, the couple standing under a bower of evergreens and flowers. Miss Agnes Patterson presided at the organ and played Mendelssohn's wedding march. The house was decorated with evergreens and cut flowers and the veranda was illuminated with Chinese lanterns, the whole giving a very charming effect. The bride's going away suit was of brown broadcloth. The happy couple will spend their honeymoon in Montreal, Albany, New York and Boston, and on their return will reside in Campbellton. The popularity of the bride was shown in the many beautiful and costly presents received.

FOWLER - BROWN.

A pretty wedding took place Wednesday evening at the ohme of the bride, when Miss Helen Fowler, daughter of George Fowler, of Harding St., Fairville, became the wife of Wm. Brown, also of Fairville, and engineer with the C.P.R. The bride, who was unattanded, wore white. The ceremony was performed at eight o'clock by Rev. Frank Bishop, of the Baptist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Brown left for a trip through the provinces.

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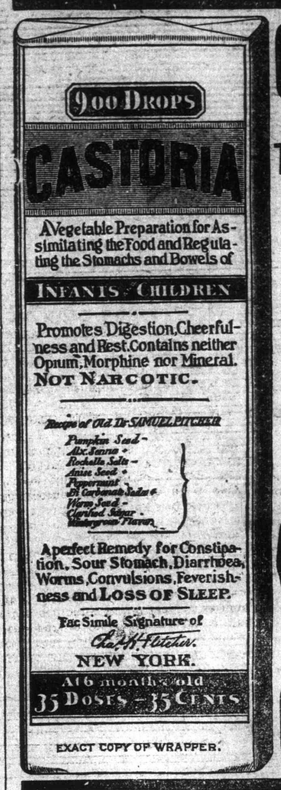

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Provincial News

NEWCASTLE, Oct. 1.—During the last few days many American hunters have passed through Newcastle, with trophies of the chase.

Robert Nelson and J. H. Vernet, of Chambersburg, Pa., and J. N. Jackson, of Augusta, Georgia, came out with a moose each. Their guide and manager was Edward Menzies.

A. H. Moore, of War Eagle, West Virginia, and O. L. Alexander, of Bluefield, West Va., secured a moose each. Donald Fraser was guide and manager.

Geo. G. Dominick, of New York, brought out a moose and a caribou; E. L. Bateson, New York, a moose. Their guide was Miles Hunter.

E. C. Tinsmith and J. A. Pierce, of Philadelphia, had John Connell as guide, and each got a moose.

S. N. Hinckley, New York, with Dan Matchett as guide, got a moose and a caribou, and T. D. Leonard, of New York, a moose and a deer.

R. F. Edgerly and W. F. Hodgkins, of Maine, and S. W. Small, H. B. Gilbert, Vaughan Gilbert and C. W. Wheelock, of New York, came out last night with three moose and two caribou.

J. J. Hanlan, J. Desso and A. G. Senecal, of Plattsburgh, N. Y., brought out three moose and a deer yesterday. Samuel Kingston acted as guide.

Among local sportsmen James Sullivan, of Newcastle, got a moose the other day. W. W. Cummings and Rev. A. L. L. Skerry, of Harcourt, shot a moose the other day whose antlers measured 58 inches and had twenty-five points.

John Walsh, of South, Nelson brought down a moose in Barnaby River, whose antlers had twenty points and measured 54 inches. He shot it on Barnaby River.

SPRINGHILL MINES, N. S., Oct. 2 —The mechanics quit work this morning and the officials are now in charge of the mines. These include the regular mine officials besides a number of the company's office staff. High collars and fine linen are thus laid aside and brawn and backbone are essentials for the time being. All freight traffic on the company's line between Springhill Jct. and Parrsboro ceases today, but passenger trains will run as usual until further action is taken by the lodge. In case of necessity passenger crews will be called out to assist the general tie up. The company has evidently not succeeded in getting the government to take charge of the mine, as Inspector Cameron tells your correspondent this morning that he has not received any late instructions to do anything. Attorney General Pipes was here yesterday afternoon to get the feeling of the men and he must have been convinced that any compulsory measures on the part of the government to assist the company would lead to serious trouble in the town. The men, to a man would refuse to obey any orders to keep the mine running, let the penalty be what it will. The company is undoubtedly bothered by the situation. It would seem that Deputy Minister of Labor McKenzie King's appearance on the scene tomorrow is at a very opportune time. Predictions now are that instead of the strike lasting all winter it will not last through this month.

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Oct. 2. — Mrs. Thomas C. Platt, wife of the aged empire state senator, and her eldest daughter, Mrs. Francis B. Carmody, of Washington, have just returned from a three weeks' hunting trip up the Tobique where they were the guests of Fred. Baird, of Andover.

Mrs. Platt was fortunate in bringing down a splendid head, while the other members of the party succeeded in getting two deed. They will return to their New York home almost immediately.

REXTON, N. B., Oct. 2.—Rev. A. D. Archibald was called to Truro, N. S., Saturday to attend the funeral of his father. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. Archibald, as this is the third time in about two months death has visited his family.

Mr. and Mrs. McMulkin are the guests of Mrs. McMulkin's sister, Mrs. A. D. Archibald.

Miss Augusta De Olloqui, who spent the summer at her home here, left Friday on her return to New York.

Miss Bessie Mitchell of Jardineville, left on Monday for Boston.

Clen Mitchell went to Moncton Monday to attend business college.

Leonard Malley went to Moncton Saturday.

Mrs. Thomas Cantwell of Campbellton, who is the guest of Mrs. W. S. Malley, is confined to her room with an attack of rheumatism.

Dr. F. W. Tozer has been called to Newcastle on account of the illness of his mother.

Miss Agnes Fraser of Westville, N.S., is visiting relatives in West Galloway.

Miss Janie Girvan has returned from a visit to Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Edmonde Gaudet is visiting her parents at Fox Creek, Westmorland Co.

Mr. Villard of Dorchester is visiting his family here.

NEWCASTLE, N. B., Oct. 1.—Rev. S. J. McArthur and Mr. and Mrs. John Williams went to Halifax yesterday to attend Presbyterian Synod there.

Mrs. Henry Peters is visiting in P. E. Island.

Miss C. G. Norman, who has spent the summer here, has returned to Brookline, Mass.

Edward McLeod and Mrs. Mary Elliott have each returned from a trip to Moncton.

Miss Nicholson has come back from a visit to friends in Truro.

Roy Stultz, who has spent the vacation with his uncle, Wilfrid Reid, returned to Acadia College yesterday.

Alfred Reid, who was called home by the death of his mother some weeks ago, returned to Massachusetts yesterday.

Walter J. Sutherland today removed his family to Bolestown, where he has been engaged as manager of the Miramichi Lumber Company's store. His house here will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McMillan, late of Moncton.

A. L. L. Skerry, who has been in charge of St. Mathew's Episcopal Church, Harcourt, this summer, has returned to study at King's College, Windsor.

Miss Bridget Foley, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Arthur Coughlan, of South Nelson, has returned to New York.

HILLSBORO, Sept. 30.—The funeral of the late Otis Kennie was held Friday afternoon and was largely attended. Rev. Mr. McNintch conducted the service. The floral tributes were very beautiful. Interment took place at Gray's Island.

Mrs. J. L. Brown of Calgary is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Sherwood.

Rev. Z. L. Flash and Rev. Mr. McNintch leave tomorrow for Elgin to attend district meeting.

Thomas McLaughlin left on Saturday for a visit at New York.

Mrs. C. J. Osman gave a delightful At Home on Saturday from 4 to 8.

Bartlett Sharpe of Nahant, Mass., captured a large moose on the Baltimore Plains on Friday.

Rev. Mr. Lawson and Rev. Thos. Hicks of Albert exchanged pulpits yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Milner, Weldon, are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Edgett, who have been visiting friends here, left on Saturday for their home at Chelsea, Mass.

Mrs. B. Sharp, Mrs. W. Jonah and Mrs. J. Steeves returned today from a visit at Halifax.

The rainy weather continues. Farmers are experiencing much difficulty in harvesting their crops. A large quantity of hay still remains on the marshes. The root corp, especially potatoes, will be much below the average on account of the wet weather.

BIRTHS.

WHIPPLE—At No. 29 Whipple street, West End, on Sept. 27, to the wife of Fred. R. Whipple, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

HARRISON-SLOCUM—At the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday, Sept. 25th, at 6 p. m., at Waterborough, Queens Co., by Rev. H. H. Gillies, Holly F. Harrison of Portland, Me., to Miss Amanda, daughter of Daniel Slocum of Waterborough, Queens Co., N. B.

HAYES-ROSSITER—On Sept 25th, at Albert, by the Rev. Thomas Hicks, Albert Hayes, of Albert, to Ellen Rossiter of Alma, Albert Co.