

LOCAL NEWS

POLICE COURT.

One drunk was called in the police court this morning and forfeited the usual deposit.

THE POTATO MARKET

In the county of Victoria according to the news potatoes are selling at \$1.56 per barrel in the field.

NO MAIL MONDAY

Monday being labor day and a public holiday The Mail will not be issued.

TO CAMP AT OROMOCTO

A party of young people chaperoned by Mrs. Dr. Turner and Mrs. Arthur Sewell are going to Oromocto to camp for ten days.

BASEBALL TAG DAY

A very efficient corps of young ladies was engaged today in raising funds for the Fredericton Baseball Club by the "tagging" process. They met with considerable success.

FARM LABORERS' EXCURSION

Another Farm Laborers' Excursion will leave by C.P.R. on Wednesday, Sept. 4th. Tickets \$12 on sale at Edgecombe's ticket office. Train leaves Fredericton at 5.50 p.m.

LAST NIGHT'S BAND CONCERT

The Fredericton Brass Band played a delightful program at the Parliament Square band stand last night. Owing to the coolness of the evening the crowd was not so large as it usually is.

FOX RANCH AT SALISBURY.

A fox ranch owned by A. E. Trites, V. E. Gowland and R. A. Brown, which is being arranged near Salisbury, Westmorland county, now nears completion. Five red foxes and a valuable pair of black foxes will be placed on this ranch September 1st.

TO LOCATE IN WEST.

Mr. F. E. Winslow and family are to remove to Victoria, B. C., next month to locate in that city. He will sever his connection with the Neill-McFarlane Company of St. Mary's at an early date. In Victoria he will engage in real estate business.

BANKER TRANSFERRED

Mr. G. M. Schurman, manager of the branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Georgetown has been transferred to Halifax to take up the work in connection with the bank's new stock issue of \$1,000,000. Mr. W. S. Wilkinson, formerly manager at Barin (Nfld.), has taken charge of the Georgetown branch.

MOTOR TRIP UP RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Brown of this city who left a few days ago by motor boat are visiting friends at Upper Bear Island and Southampton. Mr. Brown has a very strong motor installed in his craft and expects to visit a point up the river farther than any motor canoe has hitherto been able to reach.

MOTORING PARTY HERE

A motoring party arrived here early this afternoon on the way from Ste Anne de Beaupre to Sydney, N. S. The party which is registered at Windsor Hall passed through the city on the way to St. Anne in July. Those in the party are Mrs. Thos. Cozzolino, the Misses Gertrude, Dorothy, Norah, Theresa and Regina Cozzolino, James Cozzolino and Frank Hayden.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

The engagement of Miss Alberta, second daughter of Mrs. Matthew S. Trider of Moncton, to Lloyd E. Wood physical instructor, formerly of Moncton, but now located at Port Arthur, Ont., is announced. The wedding will take place in September. The prospective groom some years ago was a student at the University of New Brunswick in this city and is well known here.

VISITED FREDERICTON

Richibucto Review:—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. O'Leary arrived home Thursday from Fredericton, where they were visiting their son, Laurence, of the Royal Bank of Canada, of that city. While in Fredericton Mrs. O'Leary met a number of members of Christ Cathedral who were delighted to meet her on account of her being a cousin of J. H. Dunn, of London, Eng., who donated eight thousand dollars (\$8,000) for the Cathedral church.

CARD OF THANKS

Bandmaster James White of the 71st York Regt. Band has received the following card of thanks in connection with the recent tragic death at Chamcook of the late Richard McGaritty:—
To the Members of the 71st Regt. Band.
Kind friends,—
Let me extend thanks for your beautiful floral obelisk sent as a token esteem for my deceased brother. Again thanking you. I remain,
Sincerely yours,
PHILIP MCGARITY.
St. Stephen N. B., Aug. 27, 1912.

EMIGRATION AND
LACK OF DEVELOPMENT
SERIOUS PROBLEMS

Rev. Dr. Smith Tells of His Tour of Great Britain—With His Family was Entertained in Scotland by Donald Fraser Sr.

WILL GIVE LECTURES
ON SUBJECTS OF TOUR

Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith, minister of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church in this city, returned yesterday with his family from a ten weeks' visit to the British Isles. While in Great Britain Dr. Smith devoted considerable attention to the social problems with which the government was grappling and the solutions of them which were being discovered. He was particularly impressed with the provision made everywhere for public recreation and amusement, large sums of money being spent in all parts of the British Isles to furnish playgrounds and parks for public use.

ENTERTAINED BY MR. FRASER.

Dr. Smith and his family visited Ireland, Scotland, Wales and England. One of the most enjoyable parts of the tour was a period of upwards of a fortnight during which they were the guests of Mr. Donald Fraser, Sr., of this city, who also spent the summer in the Old Land. With Mr. Fraser as guide, the party proceeded by motor-car from Glasgow to Aberdeen, visiting the Trossachs, Perth and Sterling and crossing the Grampian Mountains by way of Balmoral.

NOTICEABLE FEATURES

Canada has much to learn from Great Britain, says Dr. Smith, in the matter of building highways and keeping them in good condition. Magnificent macadamized roads are to be found even in the wildest and most remote parts of the country. The remarkable development of the police system also struck the visitors everywhere the officers of the law having the people under perfect control.

The weather during the first part of the tour was fine, but during the latter part the British Isles were visited by continued rains just as was Eastern Canada. In connection with the social problems which confront Britain today Dr. Smith stated that that of emigration was most serious. The people were beginning to realize that for some reason the development and the expansion of the country had ceased and that the best of the rising generations were leaving the country in increasing numbers.

Dr. Smith intends to deliver a series of lectures upon subjects with which he has become acquainted during his tour. He will take up his ministerial work at once.

RAPID PROGRESS BEING
MADE WITH FACTORIES

John Palmer Building Will be Ready For Operation by Middle of November—Other Factory Being Rushed

In spite of the fact that the past summer has been most unfavorable for builders, rapid progress has been made in the construction of the new factory buildings of the John Palmer Company, Ltd., and of the Palmer-McLellan Shoeapack Company. The building of the first named company it is thought, will be completed with machinery installed and ready for operation, about the middle of November. The Palmer-McLellan factory it is said, will be out of the builders' hands by the end of September. Messrs. John Palmer and W. A. McLellan are now in Montreal purchasing machinery for this factory and the boiler and engine are already here together with a quantity of shafting. Mr. H. M. Clarke, who is superintending the construction of the building for the Ryan Construction Company, says that the concrete work and the roof on the entire building will be completed in a fortnight, after which work will be done on the interior.

Contractor Moses Mitchell has the other building completed and the brick-work on the factory portion of roof-timbers are being placed in position. The foundation of the vats of the tannery has also been begun.

NEW SECOND BASEMAN

Tommy Parle of Boston has been asked by the Fredericton Baseball Club to report. He is expected to arrive tonight Parle played in St. John last season and is wanted to fill the position at second base made vacant by the departure of Keaney.

KIND STRANGER
ALMOST GOT AWAY
WITH WALLET

Railroad Man in Search of Boarding House Gave Another a Chance to Steal His Money—Left Town Early

THIEF CAPTURED AT
WAASIS THIS MORNING

A young man named Cook narrowly escaped being robbed of one hundred dollars this morning and as matters stand is lucky to have been able to have recovered all but a small portion of the money the thief being located at Waasis Station where he had driven to catch the train.

Cook arrived in the city last night and accusing a stranger of the street required for a satisfactory boarding place. The stranger very kindly offered to permit Cook to share his own room for the night.

At an early hour this morning Cook awoke and found his new-found friend missing. Cook's wallet and the sum of one hundred dollars contained in it were also missing. The Chief of Police was informed of the occurrence and policemen were ordered to be on the watch.

Cook himself went out on the C.P.R. train. At Waasis the accommodating stranger boarded the train and when confronted gave up the money minus what he had paid for the horse here to reach Waasis. The man was allowed to go and proceeded on his way.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

At the Salvation Army Citadel beginning tomorrow evening at eight o'clock there will be an official memorial service for the late General Booth. Several of the clergymen of the city will take part. During the day regular mourning will be worn by members of the Salvation Army.

PERSONAL

Mr. F. A. Large of Halifax is at the Queen.

Mr. George W. Ketchum of St. John is registered at the Queen.

Mr. J. Long of Stratford, Ont., is in the city.

Mr. Fred Duffy of Boiestown is in the city today.

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PROF. F. P. DAY
LIKELY TO TAKE
POSITION IN STATES

Harold G. Black of Pugwash, N. S. Mentioned as Possible Successor — Max Fraser Of Chatham gets Highland Society Scholarship

ARRANGEMENTS FOR LAW
LECTURES NOW BEING MADE

It is now considered probable that Prof. Frank P. Day, who occupies the chair of English at the University of New Brunswick, will be relieved of his duties by the senate of the University in order that he may take a position in an institution near Pittsburg, Pa., mention of which was made in The Mail some days ago. Chancellor Jones stated this morning that it was likely that a satisfactory substitute could be secured to fill Prof. Day's chair during the ensuing academic year. Mr. Harold G. Black, B.A., of Pugwash, N. S., has been named as a possible successor of Prof. Day. Mr. Black is a graduate of Mt. Allison.

HIGHLAND SCHOLARSHIPS.
Mr. Max Fraser of Chatham has been awarded the scholarship donated by the Highland Society of Miramichi to the University. The annual value of the scholarship is about seventy-five dollars and is to be held for three years. The scholarship is first awarded this year.

LAW COURSE TO BEGIN.

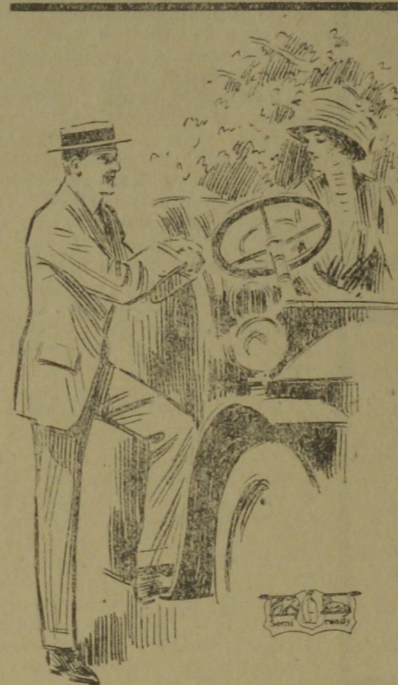
Lectures in law are to begin at the University this year for the first time. Students of the third and fourth years are to take them. Arrangements for lectures are now being made. A large number of new students are expected to enter the U. N. B. this year.

THE GAME SEASON.

The open season for duck and woodcock opens on Monday, Sept. 1st. A number of local nimrods have been cleaning up their fowling pieces during the past few days and it will not be their fault if they do not get an opportunity to use them on Monday.

Mr. H. Elliott of Ruth is in the city.

Mr. H. P. Crousse of St. John is in the Parker House.

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