

LOCAL NEWS

Band Concert Tomorrow.

The Fredericton Brass Band will play a concert tomorrow afternoon at Parliament Square if weather permits. An excellent program has been arranged.

The Perth Market.

This week's market prices at Perth, Victoria county, as published in the News are as follows: Butter, 33 to 35c.; eggs, 35c.; beef, 13 to 15c.; pork, 16 to 17c.; hay, \$8 to \$10; buckwheat meal, \$4.50; oats, 70 to 80c.

Bicycles Recovered.

The police last night recovered a bicycle which had been stolen from one of the picture houses. The owner of a lady's bicycle which had been missing since August was discovered this morning and the wheel handed over.

Assessment Revaluation.

A joint meeting of the finance committee of the city council and the assessors was held at City Hall last night for the purpose of discussing the matter of revaluation of property in the city for assessment. They will meet again in the near future.

Late Andrew McConaghy.

The funeral of the late Andrew McConaghy took place this afternoon from his late residence, Campbell street, and was largely attended. Rev. Canon Cowie conducted the service. Interment was made at the Rural cemetery.

Generous Subscription.

Seventy branches of the Women's Institute in New Brunswick contributed the sum of \$2,615.78 for comforts for the Canadian troops overseas. Miss Hazel E. Winter, supervisor of Women's Institutes for this province has received an official acknowledgment of receipt of that sum from the office of Mr. McAllister, Halifax.

Bowling Monday.

On Monday, September 24th, the bowlers of Fredericton will start the balls rolling in the bowling alleys. The Arctic Bowling Alleys, under the management of Mr. Thomas Powers, has been put in good shape and will open on Monday. The following Wednesday, the rink for roller skating will open.

The Salvation Army

On Saturday, Sunday and Monday nights the Young People's Harvest Festival will be celebrated at the S. A. Citadel. A good display of vegetables, fruit, etc., will be on sale on Monday evening 8.15. The Harvest Sale of the 17th inst. was a decided success, the sum of \$57 being realized. Everyone heartily welcome to the meetings on the 22nd, 23rd, and 24th.

Baggage Delayed.

Messrs. C. E. Dinkey, John Ungar, Thomas Morrison and E. J. Hamilton who arrived here yesterday will leave this evening for the Miramichi woods. The delay was due to the fact that Dr. Ungar's baggage was tied up on the road and did not reach here until this morning. The doctor had a similar experience last season.

Funeral Tomorrow.

The funeral of the late Alex. McBean will take place at 1.30 Sunday afternoon from the home of his father, Mr. John D. McBean, Covered Bridge. The service will be conducted by Rev. Mr. McPherson. Interment will be made at Covered Bridge. The body arrived last night from St. John where the deceased passed away at the General Public Hospital.

Great Success

The collecting for the Blue Cross Society is meeting with great success today. The selling of tags will be carried on through the day and the early part of the evening. At nine o'clock this evening the Earl of Ashburnham will break the seals on the boxes and count up the receipts. "Sandy" the dog owned by Mrs. P. F. Godenrath was a prominent feature of the day.

Social Notes.

Miss Thompson who has been spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. A. G. Blair at Duck Cove, has returned home.

Mrs. Harold R. Babbitt and Mrs. H. G. Chestnut have gone to Minneapolis, Minn., to visit Mrs. Walter McLaughlin.

Miss Kathleen Taylor, who was the guest of Mrs. A. D. Taylor at Woodstock, was the guest of honor at a luncheon given a few days ago.

Week End Market

The country market this morning was a very large one and high prices were well maintained. The action of Food Controller Hanna in fixing the prices of potatoes at \$1.25 per 90 lb bag did not effect the price in the local market and \$3 per barrel was the figure asked. Butter sold at 48 cents, Eggs at 50 cents. Lamb at from \$1 to \$2. Pork at 20 and 25 cents. Turnips at \$1. Corn at 25 cents. Chickens at \$1.50. Plums at 30 cents a peck. Apples at \$2 and \$3. Ripe Tomatoes at 10 cents. Cranberries at 25 cents a peck. Cabbages at 30 cents a dozen.

Shows His Interest.

Laurence McLaren has written to General McLen saying that he wished to be associated with the 236th Battalion, Lieut. Col. P. A. Guthrie, O. C., McLean Highlanders, and sent a check for \$1,000 to purchase kilts for the regiment. Mr. McLaren was born in Richibucto and is a brother of Colonel Murray McLaren, C.M.G., and also of Jack McLaren. He is at present head of the lumber concern of Farnsworth & Jardine of Liverpool, England, and is always personally interested in matters pertaining to New Brunswick.

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LOST HUN FLIER
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FIRING INTO HIM

Lieut. Darcy McGrath of Fredericton with Royal Flying Corps—Writes of His First Air Battle.

Relatives here recently received a letter from Lieut. Darcy McGrath of this city, relating his experience during one of his first flights in France after becoming a qualified officer of the Royal Flying Corps.

The letter states that Lieut. McGrath sighted a Hun flier and attacked him. During a long chase he sent 100 shots into the German machine but the latter finally got away and Lieut. McGrath lost him in the clouds. During the fight the Canadian flier exhausted all his ammunition and was forced to discontinue his flight on that account.

Lieut. McGrath was an undergraduate at the University of New Brunswick some years ago and is well known throughout the province. He is a son of H. J. McGrath of this city. He enlisted in the west and after long service was commissioned in the R. F. C.

CARD OF THANKS.

The Central Committee under the L. O.D.E. thoroughly appreciate the kindness of Mr. F. G. Spencer in collaborating with the committee on the opening of the Gem Theatre, and donating the entire receipts of the evening to the Committee for Overseas Hospital and Field Comforts work; they also extend thanks to the management for their courtesy and assistance.

Recruits from States.

A party of four recruits from the United States arrived here today at noon. They are for the 236th Highlanders.

Mr. C. W. Clark, who was at the Halifax exhibition for few days, returned last night.

INFANTILE
PARALYSIS AT
GRAND FALLS

Two Cases Placed Under Quarantine This Week by Dr. R. H. McGrath—Further Spread Feared.

Infantile paralysis, the dread disease which has caused so many deaths among children in the United States within the past few years again has made its appearance in New Brunswick. Two well defined cases have occurred at Grand Falls. Dr. R. H. McGrath of this city, secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, returned from Grand Falls Thursday, after placing quarantine on the two dwellings in which the cases were.

Fear More Cases.

The provincial health authorities are keeping close watch upon Grand Falls and vicinity in case there may be further development. It is feared that there will be a spread of the disease in that section as children have been exposed to infection. Warm weather gives infantile paralysis its most favorable conditions and the fact that cool weather is now at hand gives great encouragement in the fight against the disease. The source of the infection which has resulted in the cases at Grand Falls evidently was in the state of Maine.

This is the first occasion on which infantile paralysis has been reported so far north in this province. Former cases were in Charlotte county also originating in the United States. None was fatal.

Smallpox Situation.

One case of smallpox at Nelson, Northumberland county, is the only one in the province. It is under quarantine and is developing satisfactorily. It is believed to have originated from blankets which were brought from infected sections of Maine. In the latter state the authorities claim that the disease is now stamped out.

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