

LOCAL NEWS

At Bebbington's.

Our chrysanthemums are in bloom. Also red, pink and cream roses, carnations, smilax, strings, celery, lettuce and parsley. J. Bebbington & Son.

Partnership Formed.

Messrs. Allen C. Branch and John G. Stout of Bathurst, have formed a co-partnership under the name of A. C. Branch & Co.

Compulsory Vaccination.

The Fredericton Board of Health has ordered compulsory vaccination. Citizens may go to their own physicians to be vaccinated.

Night Session.

The police court will have a night session beginning at 7.30. The case is that of Mrs. William Belyea, who is charged with a serious offense.

Makes Assignment.

Mr. Charles Archibald of Bathurst, garage keeper, has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors. High Sheriff A. J. Meahan is the assignee.

Appointments in York.

In the county of York Mr. C. J. Oliver has been appointed a justice of the peace and Mr. G. F. Burden a commissioner for taking affidavits to be read before the supreme court.

At the Gaiety Today

The famous American stage favorite George M. Cohan in his first photoplay adapted from his biggest stage triumph "Broadway Jones." The cast also includes Marguerite Snow. Pathe News, is also featured today.

Chimney Fires.

The motor truck of the fire department was out for two chimney fires this morning. One was at the residence of Mr. T. W. Harrison, Waterloo Row and the other at the residence of Mrs. W. Allan Staples, Saunders street.

Transferred to Moncton.

Mr. Stanley B. Ebbett, district superintendent for the New Brunswick Telephone Company in this city, has been transferred to Moncton and will leave for that city next week. He will be succeeded here by Mr. F. T. Atkinson, at present district superintendent at East Florenceville.

Liberal Convention This Afternoon.

The Liberals of York and Sunbury are meeting in convention this afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. hall. All sections of the two counties are well represented. There was a caucus last night and the prospect today is that a Liberal candidate will be placed in the field in the coming Federal election in this constituency.

Call to Rev. T. F. Marshall.

At a meeting of the vestry of St. Anne's parish, Calais, on Saturday evening, the vestry voted to extend a call to Rev. T. F. Marshall of Gagetown, N. B., to become rector of St. Anne's. A special parish meeting will be held Saturday evening, November 17 at 7 o'clock, to see if the parishioners will ratify the action of the vestry. It is expected that Mr. Marshall will accept the call.

Two Score and Three Years.

Forty-three years old and going it strong is the proud record of the City Cornet Band of St. John. On November 15, 1874, that popular musical association was organized and today completes its forty-third year. Mr. James Connolly, who for a long time was secretary and afterwards president, is the only member who retained his connection up to the present day. This band has appeared in Fredericton several times.

New Company Formed.

Messrs. Charles Edward Farrand, Watson Frederick Porter and Charles Leon Bustin, all of St. John, have been incorporated under the name of Maritime Tire & Rubber Company, Limited. The company is authorized to purchase the rights for the Maritime Provinces of two patents now held by the Toronto General Trades and to manufacture, purchase and sell gutta percha goods. The capital stock is \$89,000 and the head office is at St. John.

Wounded in France.

Mr. Robert Morris of this city, has been notified from Ottawa that his son, Private Albert Morris, was admitted to the 4th General Hospital, Camiers, France, October 28th, with wounds. Private Morris is one of four brothers who enlisted in the Canadian Expeditionary Force. Two have been killed in action, falling in the fighting at Vimy Ridge. The other two brothers met in France. Private Albert Morris left Canada with the 55th Battalion.

Another Son Wounded.

Mrs. A. B. Pipes of Dorchester, has received official notification that her second son, Lt. Fred Lawton Foster, was slightly gassed on November 2, and is now in No. 8 General Hospital at Rouen. Lt. Foster is an officer, and during the Vimy Ridge fight was buried in a shell crater. He was unconscious for 12 hours after being dug out, but his only wound was a slight scratch on the hand. Mrs. Pipes' oldest son, Lt. Robert Paterson Foster of the 1st Canadian Pioneer, is now in a London hospital recovering from shock.

Medical Officers Here.

Col. J. H. Cameron of Toronto, Col. J. D. Courtenay of Ottawa, Col. Robert Wilson of Montreal and Col. Donald McGillivray of Toronto, advisors to the director-general of medical services of Canada, and Col. P. McK. Bell of Halifax, A.D. of M.S. for Military District No. 7, arrived in the city last night on a tour of inspection. This morning, accompanied by Major W. J. Osborne, officer commanding "K" Unit, M.H.C.C., and President James S. Neill of the Board of Trade, they inspected the various military hospital buildings in this city. Major Osborne was in St. John yesterday.

The Old, Old Proverb

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WILLIAM LEMONT
DIED TODAY AT
MOBILE, ALA.

Prominent Resident of This City--Had Resided in South Since 1911--Body to be Brought Here.

Ald. James M. Lemont received a telegram this morning conveying the sad intelligence that his father, Mr. William Lemont had passed away at his son-in-law's home near Mobile, Alabama. Mr. Lemont had been in failing health for about three months, and as he was known to be in a serious condition the news of his death did not come altogether as a surprise. Mr. L. A. Willmot Lemont, who was at his father's bedside when the end came will arrive here on Saturday or Monday, bringing the body to this city for burial.

Long Business Career.

The late Mr. Lemont was a native of Gagetown, Queens county, and was seventy-seven years of age. His father was the late Martin Lemont, who founded the well known firm of Lemont & Sons, furniture dealers, in this city in 1844, seventy-three years ago. The late William Lemont became identified with the business when thirteen years of age and maintained his connection with it up to about ten years ago, when he retired. His business affairs brought him into contact with a great many people, and he was looked upon as one of the city's shrewdest and most successful merchants. He was one of the charter members of the Fredericton Board of Trade and filled the president's chair for two years.

A Lover of Music.

The deceased for many years was an active worker in the Methodist church and was also a member of the choir. He was very fond of music and in his younger days frequently

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PRODUCTION OF
WHEAT IN N.B.
TO BE DISCUSSED

Food Controller Hanna Asks Each Province to Grow its Own Wheat and Provide Surplus.

As the result of a recent conference at Ottawa between Hon. Mr. Hanna, Food Controller, and Mr. W. R. Reek, Deputy Minister of Agriculture for New Brunswick, a conference of representatives of every municipal council of the province with the Provincial Department of Agriculture is to be held here on Tuesday, November 20th, for the purpose of discussing the problem of food production as it affects New Brunswick, particularly in its relation to the victualling of the Allied armies. Premier Foster and Hon. J. F. Tweeddale, Minister of Agriculture, are to be present at the conference. Each municipal body is expected to send at least three delegates.

Wheat Production.

The most important matter which will come before the conference is that of wheat production. The situation now is that Canada must export to Europe for the use of the Allied troops a greater quantity of wheat than before and the various provinces must undertake to grow sufficient of this grain to meet their own needs and if possible have a surplus for export. It is believed that New Brunswick can by greater effort supply the demand of its own people for wheat and produce a small surplus.

Painful Accident.

Mr. H. G. Winter, customs appraiser, while coming out of the post office this afternoon had the misfortune to fall and sustain painful injuries. His head came into violent contact with the granite steps and the shock stunned him. He was conveyed to his room in the customs house where medical aid was soon on hand. His condition is not thought to be serious.

YOUNG LADY

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