

News Briefs

RETURNS FROM VISIT

Miss Paula Miller, of this city, who has been visiting Miss Betty Richards of Campbellton, has returned to her home here.

TO PREACH AT GRAND BAY

His Grace Most Rev. J. A. Richardson, Archbishop of Fredericton, will go to Westfield parish on Sunday, and will preach in St. John's church at Grand Bay on Sunday morning.

FIRE IN EMPTY HOUSE

An untenanted house on Saunders street belonging to the Kitchen estate caught fire early last evening and the firemen were forced to fight a small floor fire which originated from hot ashes left by the tenant who has only recently moved out. No serious damage was done.

HERE FOR THE PARTY

George M. Jewett an old Fredericton boy is expected here from Worcester, Mass., today to join Edward O'Neill of Lynn who is here on his annual vacation. They always come here to join friends in celebrating Mr. O'Neill's birthday which takes place tomorrow.

TO ATTEND DINNER

The York county council which sits in its mid-summer session here next week, will adjourn on Wednesday to attend a luncheon meeting of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association. At that time C. F. Bailey, superintendent of the Experimental Station is expected to deliver an address to the county councillors.

GIVES UP SCHOOL

Miss Kathleen McDonough, who has been teaching at Cork, York county for the past four years, has given up her school there and has returned to her home at Lincoln, where she is planning to teach in the future. Friends at Cork are regretting Miss McDonough's departure from Cork, for she was popular with many.

OPENING ON JULY 16

The opening of the new Board of Trade tourist building at the west end of the city, will take place on July 16, it was learned today. A special programme is to be carried out at that time. The board of trade offices have been removed to the new building. A large number of tourists have visited the new building already and it has created a most favorable impression.

ADULT EDUCATION

A Dominion-wide survey of Adult Education and Study Clubs, Credit Unions and Co-Operatives is underway throughout Canada. Fred Drolet, Ph.L., lecturer on monetary reform, representative of the Garden-vale Study Clubs, is in the city till tomorrow night gathering information as to what has been, is and will be done in New Brunswick. He conferred this morning with Hon. A. P. Paterson, Minister of Education.

EDUCATION BOARD MET

The Board of Education met briefly this morning with Premier A. A. Dymally presiding. The Board of School trustees of School District Number 5, parish of Coverdale, Albert county, commonly known as Dunningville, was authorized to borrow \$6,000 and to issue serial bonds for a period of fifteen years. The purpose of the issue is to move the present school house to a new site, and nearer to the school district, also to enlarge it to four rooms. It is also planned to build a one room school at the lower end of the district.

AT THE QUEEN HOTEL

Guests registered at the Queen Hotel today include: Mr. and Mrs. Cleon R. Clark, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Morrison and son, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Schumb, East Milton, Mass.; Miss Ada J. West, Moncton; Major and Mrs. Galway, Saint John; Miss Ethel B. Simpson, Miss Myrtle Thurgarland, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas, Framingham, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pardoe, Dottie and Devon Pandoe, Miss Blanche Fame, Johnstown, Pa.; Joseph Hughes, Hugh W. Dougherty, Jr., New Haven Conn.; Miss Gertrude E. Keating, Miss Reta LeBlanc, Miss Jean O'Hanley, Miss Elsie Lord, Miss B. Smith, William R. Austen, Ron Ralston, D. E. Keating, Walter W. B. Dick, J. L. Belliveau, R. Melanson, Moncton; S. M. Scott, Halifax; Geo. Stephenson and party, Halifax; Mr. F. Macnaughton, M. E. Hart, Montreal; Pius Michaud, Edmundston; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Parks, Clinton, Mo.; H. D. Boyle and family, John Boyle, Keerogam, P. Q.; Miss Elsa Katzmman, Boston, Mass.; John J. Geogan, Whitman, Mass.; Frederick G. Katzmman, Boston.

MARVEN DUNPHY AGAIN HEADS THE MAPLE GROWERS

Third Annual Meeting Closes — Trade Trend is Encouraging to Makers Says O. C. Hicks.

The New Brunswick Maple Producers Association wound up its third annual meeting at the Dominion Experimental Station here yesterday, electing Marven L. Dunphy of Royal Road, president, once again. W. A. Stewart of Elgin, was elected vice-president, and O. C. Hicks, superintendent of the soils and crops division of the provincial department of agriculture, was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

O. C. Hicks, in his report declared that the sugar making season was not so successful to the sugar maker of the central part of the province as they suffered a poor season because of the low sugar content of sap. Those in the north and south enjoyed a sap flow fully up to normal. Mr. Hicks said that the output of sugar and syrup for the province was not noticeably different from that of the previous year. Prices were slightly increased and selling generally was brisk. This trend is encouraging to the makers and will tend to cause owners of stands of maple trees to take steps toward improving their orchards.

Additional directors elected include Eastman E. Steeves, Turtle Creek, for Albert county; E. H. Kearney, of Beechwood, for Carleton county; R. S. Parlee, of Apohagui, for Kings county; and George Love, of Queensbury, for York county. Directors re-elected were Adrien Daigle, of Baker Brook, for Madawaska county; Jos. N. Levesque, Upper Charlo, for Restigouche county; and Dona J. Fraser, of Plaster Rock, for Victoria county.

About fifty delegates were present at the meeting, representing mostly York and Albert sugar makers. C. F. Bailey, superintendent of the station, extended a welcome. J. K. King, deputy minister of agriculture, spoke in place of Hon. A. C. Taylor, the minister, who was unable to attend. He said that his department was interested in the improvement made in the manner in which the association members now marketed their product. He emphasized the necessity of perfecting the quality of the goods and said that the demand would be increased with more attractive packaging.

Several makers gave brief talks on various phases of making and marketing, including Harold MacNabb, Springhill; William Love, Queensbury; R. E. Holyoke, Keswick Ridge, and Harry Morrison, Granite Hill.

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Dr. Chas. Peck Steeves of Denver, Colorado, Native of Albert

Donated Sum of \$6,500

Dr. Steeves' Donation Proof of Natives' Interest in N. B.

Dr. Charles Peck Steeves of Denver, Colorado, a native of Albert County and a graduate of the University of New Brunswick in the class of 1889, was a recent visitor to the University.

Dr. Steeves has donated the sum of \$6,500 to found a Scholarship to be known as the Steeves Albert County Scholarship. The scholarship is open to young men who are natives of Albert County and who have received the greater part of their education in that county. It will be awarded in the Department of Arts only and will normally continue for the four years of a student's course. The student must have high standing on the Matriculation examinations and if more than one student applies the scholarship will be awarded to the student having the highest scholastic standing.

Dr. Steeves' donation is a further proof of the interest former New Brunswickers take in their native Province. Dr. Steeves on his visit to New Brunswick was accompanied by Mrs. Steeves and is spending some time in the Province.

Mr. Atwood, of the division of forest insects of the Dominion entomological laboratory here, discussed insects which attack maple trees.

R. W. Butland, Saint John, senior inspector of the Dominion fruit branch and in charge of the administration of the maple industry act for New Brunswick, stated that three inspectors were at work in the province during the season, when 94 sugar orchard inspections and 237 hotel and restaurant inspections were made.

He pointed out that of a census of 70,000,000 maple trees on eastern Canadian farms only 24,000,000 were tapped during the last season.

C. T. Skinner, assistant to the fruit commissioner, Ottawa, dealing with the quality of the metalware used in the sugar-making industry, both by farmers and packing plants, stated that during the last 25 years makers had largely changed from wood containers to metal.

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RAILWAY PARTY VISITS IN CITY, ON FISHING TRIP

D. C. Coleman, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and party including T. C. McNabb of the C.P.R.; Hon. Dr. J. H. King and Mrs. King, of Victoria, B.C.; and W. C. Guthrie, superintendent of Woodstock division, were in the capital today. This party is spending a few days fishing on the Tobique.

Today at the luncheon hour Senator King and Mrs. King were the guests of Mayor G. Willard Kitchen and Mrs. Kitchen, and Ald. W. Raymond Crowdon, at D-Coy Inn. The party called on Premier Dymally to pay their respects, this morning.

While the party of officials are in the province mainly for recreation it is understood that the railway members of the party are to inspect a branch line at Minto. Mr. Coleman had nothing to say today respecting railway matters when interviewed by a reporter of The Daily Mail.

Destructive Floods

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., July 3—Disastrous floods, devastating in their swiftness, poured new destruction into deep south Texas tonight, leaving 23 known dead, many missing and steadily increasing crop and property damage over a widespread area.

Stricken sections appealed for aid over crippled communication lines. Downstream towns braced for flood crests swelled by fresh rains. Hundreds of thousands of fertile farm acres lay stripped of corn and cotton crops.

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First Seven Months of Fiscal Year Show Better Results

Delegations Appear

Repairs To Head Dam At Musquash to Be Effected Soon

At a meeting of the New Brunswick Electric Power Commission here yesterday at which Hon. W. S. Anderson, chairman, presided, a report for the first seven months of the present fiscal year to the end of May was presented which showed a net improvement of about \$30,000 in the operating results of the commission over the corresponding period of last year.

Delegations appeared before the commission from Burt's Corner, Harvey, Rusagornis, and Hatfield's Point asking for extension of the commission's system to those districts. The delegations were assured that their applications had been investigated and the various lines would be recommended to the government if a sufficient number of subscribers could be obtained in each instance. Members of the Commission present besides the chairman were Pius Michaud, D. W. Mersereau, vice-chairman and S. R. Weston, chief engineer.

Tenders have been received for repairs to the West Branch head dam on the Musquash Power development. The proposals were left with the chairman and the chief engineer to decide on the best method of stopping minor leaks and reinforcing the dam. Accounts and payrolls for June were passed. The report from operating costs for the first seven months of the fiscal year showed an improvement of several thousand dollars over the corresponding period of last year. Other routine business was carried on.

SUSPENDED PUBLICATION

PORTLAND, Me., July 3—The Portland Evening News, daily newspaper established in 1927, suspended publication today. Employees were notified by the publishers, the Maine Publishing Company, their services no longer were needed. The paper recently published a statement that John Payson, Portland banker, and a group of associates had arranged to take over the publication.

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