

News Briefs

THE MEMORIAL SERVICE

In a writeup regarding the Memorial service held at the Wilmot church on Tuesday last The Daily Mail reporter made an error in giving to another man of a somewhat similar name the credit that should have gone to F. W. Harrison. Mr. Harrison who is the organist at the Wilmot church, not only trained the massed choir of one hundred and fifty voices but also presided at the organ during the service. As The Daily Mail editorial stated yesterday Mr. Harrison's playing on Tuesday has never been surpassed and probably seldom equalled in the city. We feel that in justice to Mr. Harrison we should correct the unfortunate slip made by our reporter whom we assigned to cover the proceedings.

ABLE TO BE AT WORK AGAIN

The many friends of His Worship Mayor A. J. McEvoy will be glad to learn that he has recovered from his recent illness and today was able to about his duties again.

OPERATED UPON AT MONTREAL

Mrs. George Bailey, who is very well known in this city, was operated upon at the Montreal General Hospital yesterday. Word received here today by her daughter, Mrs. Fraser Dunbar was that she was as well as could be expected. A granddaughter, Mrs. Ralph McFadden is with Mrs. Bailey in Montreal.

GOVERNMENT CHANGES

It is understood that Robin Gough, who is motion picture operator in connection with the Forestry department has been requested to resign and that H. G. Stairs, of Pinder has been appointed in his place, the appointment to be made the first of February. It is also understood that Ronald Beatty, who has for some time been connected with the Forestry department, has resigned.

IS IMPROVING

B. H. Kinghorn, former chief highway engineer, is reported to be showing satisfactory improvement at the Soldiers' Memorial Hospital at Campbellton. Mr. Kinghorn was one of the Fredericton curlers who played in the bonspiel there last week and he was stricken while there and taken to the hospital. It is expected he will be able to return to his home within a short time.

A NEW COMPANY

Letters patent have been issued appearing in this week's Royal Gazette, incorporating I. G. O. Fenton, of Saint John; Leo F. Cain, local attorney, and Jean L. Smith, stenographer of this city as "Mining Brokers, Limited." The company has been formed to carry on the business of bond dealers, underwriters, investment brokers, share brokers, brokers and agents. Capital stock is \$5,000. The head office is to be in this city.

MEETING TOMORROW

The January meeting of the Associated Alumni of the University of New Brunswick will take place tomorrow evening in the Admiral Beatty Hotel at Saint John. The business period will be preceded by an informal dinner in the hotel at seven o'clock. Prof. A. Foster Baird, of the U. N. B. faculty here, will speak on the subject, "Some of the Effects of Applied Science on Our Civilization".

PUBLIC INTEREST NO. 1

When Greek meets Greek they open a fruit store, but when the GASSY GYRO'S meet the BEHEMOTHS of THE FIRE DEPARTMENT they will open HANSON'S HOCKEY HOUSE for an evening to be remembered. Everything goes in cycles but the Gyro's will be going in circles after their vain attempts at penetrating Ed, King Clancy's rear guard. So come one come all to see this super display of inability on the part of the Gyro's to live up their boasting, and see the Firemen win the OLD MUG again and also collect a few scalps.

MID-WEEK PRAYER SERVICE

The United Mid-Week prayer service of the various churches and the Christian Temperance League of Marysville met this week with a large attendance in the Canada St. Baptist Church. A splendid testimony and prayer service was conducted under the leadership of the pastor, Rev. W. Steadman Smith. The president of the local branch of the Temperance League presided. The meeting consisted chiefly of a program of readings and informal discussions on the liquor situation with special reference to the proposed legalizing of the sale of wine and beer in hotels. Arrangements were made for holding a community mass meeting and Sunday School rally in February at the United Church of Canada, when Rev. A. A. MacLeod of Wolfville, N. S., Secretary of the N. S. Sons of Temperance will be the guest speaker.

MAIN BODY OF GUIDES DEPART FOR BIG SHOWS

Sail From Saint John on Steamer "Yarmouth" For Boston

Itinerary Includes N. Y.

Live Atlantic Salmon Go Forward by Rail; Hailed as Novelty

The steamer "Yarmouth" of the Eastern Steamship Lines will today convey the main group of the New Brunswick guides out of Saint John harbor to their first point of contact with the sporting public of the Eastern States. Immediately upon arrival in Boston this group of guides will associate themselves with the advance guard who sailed a week ago and have since been busy with setting up the extensive New Brunswick exhibit in preparation for the opening February 1st, of the New England Sportsmen's and Boat Show in Mechanics Hall.

In Charge of Party

D. W. Griffiths, director of the New Brunswick Government Bureau of Information and Tourist Travel, has charge of the party sailing this afternoon. A week ago he made a quick trip to Boston to organize the work of the advance guard at Mechanics Hall but has since been back in Fredericton. He departs today to remain in the United States throughout the duration of the Sportsmen's Shows in Boston, Hartford, and New York City.

Concurrent with the departure of the guides, the last car of exhibit material is also leaving Saint John today.

Various live animals and materials assembled from central New Brunswick were placed aboard the car here yesterday. It went forward to Saint John last night to take on the tanks of live Atlantic salmon whose appearance is being hailed as a novelty by the executives of the three Sportsmen's Shows at which they will appear. Specimens of live speckled and rainbow trout will also appear under the New Brunswick banner.

Several Changes Take Place in Plans for Session

When the New Brunswick legislators take their seats in the House of Assembly for the 1936 session they will find that the historic paintings of the lieutenant governors of the province will have taken on a brighter appearance. For the past few days workmen have been busily engaged in doing some house cleaning in the legislative chamber. Along with cleaning the draperies and arranging the various seats they have been regilding the frames of the lieutenant governors from that of the late Lieutenant Governor Thomas Carleton to that of Maj-Gen. Hugh Havelock McLean, K.C., V.D., LL.D., whose term of office expired last year.

The fact that there are only five members of the opposition will make necessary a different seating arrangement than was used last year. The five opposition members will occupy five of the seats in the front row on the left of the speaker, while the remainder of the seats will be occupied by government members. The Press Gallery this year will be directly opposite the speaker's chair instead of on the side of the group of government members' seats on the right of the speaker.

An innovation to the building during the session will be a concession stand which will be run by a woman whose name has not been announced as yet. The idea of the stand is to handle all the mail coming to that building and sell refreshments and newspapers to members of the legislature and those attending the sessions.

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OUTBREAK OF A MYSTERIOUS CATTLE DISEASE

Department Agriculture Hears of Outbreak at Hammond River

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Similar Outbreak Occurred Year Ago at Cross Creek, York Co.

It is stated that the department of agriculture has received word of an outbreak of some mysterious disease amongst horses and cattle at Hammond River, Kings county. Within the past week or two three horses and one cow have succumbed to the disease. A couple of these animals belong to Arthur H. Dickson, and another to a farmer named Dods. Farmers in the vicinity of Hammond River are becoming alarmed and have written to the department asking that someone be sent there to investigate.

The trouble that the authorities have in investigating conditions such as these is that in most cases the complaints do not reach the department until after the animals have died and been buried for some time, when it is impossible even in the event of the post-mortem examination, to sometimes discover the nature of the disease which takes them off. In some cases when animals around the farm become sick there is a tendency for the farmer or some of his neighbors to start "dosing" them with almost any kind of medicine that is at hand, and in many cases the cure proves worse than the disease.

A couple of years ago some excitement was caused in the vicinity of Long's Creek in this county when a number of cattle amounting in the aggregate to nearly fifty head died mysteriously. In some cases the cause of death was traced to the disease and in other cases those who investigated found cases of arsenic poisoning, which at the time, was thought to have been accidentally taken.

CHILD BROKE WRIST

Eleanor Rainsford, 11-year-old daughter of Thomas Rainsford, of this city, met with a painful accident on Tuesday when she was sliding on the river bank opposite the A. & B. Club. While going down the bank on the toboggan alone, she was thrown from the toboggan, falling on her arm and breaking it above the wrist. Despite the fact that her arm is in splints the little girl has not missed any time at school.

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SHAKEUP FOR EDUCATION IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Reorganization of Entire Provincial System Likely

Possible Legislation

Compared to Other Provinces N. B. System is Moss-Grown

It is generally stated by educationists who are in a position to know that there is to be in the near future a thorough shakeup and reorganization of the whole New Brunswick system from top to bottom. Whether the contemplated reorganization will come before the legislature at the approaching session or whether it will be delayed to be taken up throughout the recess is not yet certain. There is an idea prevalent, however, that legislation will be presented at the coming session which will tend to make a much needed improvement in our present antiquated system of education in this province.

Three or four years ago the then government of the province appointed a commission on which a large number of prominent educational authorities were represented. This commission met at Fredericton from time to time and went thoroughly into the system which has prevailed in New Brunswick without much change for the last thirty or forty years. Our system was compared with other provinces and it was found to be moss-grown and entirely unsuitable in many respects to present-day requirements. This was pointed out in a lengthy report which the commission made and which was pigeon-holed in some of the dark recesses of the parliament building after only a few limited copies had seen the light of day. The chief superintendent of (Continued on Page Five)

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SPUD MARKET IN LULL SEASON

The New Brunswick potato market remained dull this week. The demand is light and the price has remained almost stationary. For the last week or more the price has been \$1.30 to \$1.35 per barrel to the farmers.

W. W. Boyce, the local shipper said today that the spud market is very quiet here at the present time with loading at a standstill. The price is \$1.30 per barrel. The national holiday tended to disrupt business some in the upper counties. Also the cold weather of the past ten days, together with drifted roads, has held up hauling from rural points. There is plenty of stock on hand, however, to supply incoming orders. Quebec and Ontario have fair supplies on hand at the present time, although there has been light wire inquiry.

Mr. Boyce reports that the price and demand have taken a backward turn. Several weeks ago the price was \$1.50.

SAD NEWS

Mrs. Frank Manzer, of Nashwaak Village, received the sad news this morning of the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. John Brewer of Cross Creek, N. B. The news came as a shock to her relatives and friends as she had been in the best of health. Miss Jessie Manzer, employee of Jas. S. Neill & Son, is a grand-daughter.

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