

News Briefs

AT SAINT JOHN

His Grace Most Rev. J. A. Richardson, Archbishop of Fredericton, was in Saint John yesterday for a special meeting of a committee of the Synod. He returned to this city last evening.

ACCIDENT VICTIMS IMPROVED

L. L. McCluskey of Edmundston and Joseph Lewis of Devon, both employees of the Canadian National Railways were reported to have spent a fairly comfortable night at the Victoria Public Hospital last night. The men were injured when two handcars came into collision near Kingsclear on the Valley Line several days ago. McCluskey suffered a dislocated shoulder and Lewis was injured about the body.

"A" COMPANY WON CUP

The cup donated for competition between the three companies of the Fredericton high school cadets for putting on the best display on the annual inspection, which took place earlier this week on the high school grounds, has been won by "A" Company, Major Garson, the inspector awarded the cup this year. The winning company's display included column marching, rifle exercises and formation drill.

ANNAPOLIS VALLEY FESTIVAL

The annual Annapolis Valley apple blossom festival which commenced yesterday an event of Maritime interest each year, will get underway shortly. F. J. Burns, one time on the staff of The Daily Mail, is chairman of publicity of the Apple Blossom Festival, and is the sponsor of the special Apple Blossom Festival Number of The Advertiser at Kentville, N. S. The edition is a beautiful 48-page edition with an attractive front page format, depicting a little girl picking blossoms. Mr. Burns is to be congratulated on his fine work.

NO ANNOUNCEMENTS

Premier A. A. Dysart made no announcements last night following a meeting of the provincial cabinet. Although it had been anticipated that a relief delegation from St. John would appear before the government asking assistance for direct relief, but the delegation did not appear. Yesterday the Premier announced that no announcement regarding the awarding of contracts in connection with the proposed two-year hard surfaced road program would be made until another meeting of the cabinet some time next week. The government is meeting again today.

At the conclusion of the cabinet meeting this morning Premier Dysart had no announcement to make. Questioned as to the provincial government's stand on continuation of relief after May 31, the premier had nothing to say.

NOT A CANDIDATE

Hon. R. B. Hanson, K. C., former M. P. for York and Sunbury has denied that he will be a candidate for the Opposition party in the by-election in York County to fill the vacancy in the Legislative Assembly caused by the recent death of S. E. Durling of Canterbury. In denying the report Hon. Mr. Hanson said: "I won't be a candidate but there will be a candidate." It had been rumored that he would be a candidate. Among government supporters' circles no action has yet been taken in connection with the possible by-election. The provincial government has not considered the matter of a by-election, it was stated by Premier A. A. Dysart. There is a belief in some quarters that no by-election will be held at all in order to save money. At any rate it will not be held for some time.

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FIRST HOLIDAY OF THE SUMMER SEASON AT HAND

Victoria Day Will Be Observed on Monday

Fishing Parties

Fairer Weather Promised After Several Weeks of Inclemency

The Victoria day holiday which falls on Monday will be observed this year with the usual week-end of recreation and relaxation for most of the citizens here as well as elsewhere throughout the province and dominion. Victoria Day falls on Sunday but the holiday will be observed on Monday.

As usual there will be a large number of fishing parties to the various streams about this section of the province and picnickers also will be much in evidence. Automobiling for those who have not been able to get outside the city this spring, also will furnish an attraction. Some of the other citizens will go domestic and putter about their gardens, for they haven't had much chance to plant gardens or flower beds so far this spring with the weather so inclement. A sporting attraction to baseball fans will be on the card at Devon also, and the motion picture shows will also feature special bills.

The weather continues inclement today with the constant threat of rain but the temperature is higher and fairer weather is promised by The Weather Man for over the week-end, which should please the hearts of many.

Many persons have secured forest travel permits for the holiday in order to enter the woods for fishing and picnicking if the weather permits.

Capital Transit, Ltd. Inaugurates a New Service to Newcastle

The Capital Transit, Limited, has inaugurated a brand new daily bus service to Newcastle, the bus leaving his city at 5 p.m. for Newcastle via Stanley and Doaktown. The return trip will be from Newcastle at 7 a.m. via Doaktown and Stanley, arriving here at about 11 a.m. Capital Transit Limited have secured a new bus for his route, one of the best for up-to-date bus transportation in the modern manner. The first trip will be made on Monday.

The Capital Transit Limited will also run a special holiday bus to Stephen on Monday, the bus leaving here at 9 a.m. and returning at 8 p.m. when the patrons desire. There will also be a special bus service to the Stanley dance on Monday, leaving here at 7.30 p.m. and returning at the conclusion of the dance. Take advantage of the Victoria Day holiday and enjoy a pleasant holiday and ensure yourself of comfort and safety in one of these new buses!

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All Relief Camps to Be Closed by Next Saturday

The closing down of all the relief camps in Sunbury county, under order of the federal government, will be completed by next Saturday it was learned officially here today. The five camps where the young men on relief have been engaged for the past few years, are Noonans, Carlow, Bull Pasture, Little River and Colter's Sliding. Only about eighty men still remain in these camps to be absorbed into maintenance work on the C.N.R. and the C.P.R. under the new plan of the federal government working in co-operation with the railways.

At Burpee's camp, J. C. Veness of this city, is carrying on forestry work with a crew of men. Work on the four new buildings which will be devoted to forestry work, is proceeding rapidly. These buildings will be used for the men during the summer.

BERT ANSTICE HERE

Bert Anstice and his Radio Boys will be at the Oddfellows Hall on Monday evening, May 25th. There will be a floor show from 9 o'clock till 9:30 o'clock. Dancing from 9:30 until 1 o'clock a.m. Bridge and auction will be played upstairs. Good prizes, Light refreshments for sale. Admission only 35 cents. There will be a door prize of a 98-pound-bag of flour.

IN SPEEDY TRIALS

Gordon Marr appeared in Speedy Trials before Judge A. R. Slipp at the York county court house today, charged with the theft of \$74, but owing to the fact that the informant, John Watson, transient, did not appear the case was set over until the regular June sitting of the York county court which falls on June 9. W. J. West appeared for the defendant. Watson had not been notified of the Speedy Trials sitting. E. Allison MacKay is prosecuting attorney. The informant, John Watson accused Marr of stealing the money from his person while he slept at a camp in the vicinity of Nashwaakasis some time ago. Marr and Watson had been camping out.

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Slight Mishap Yesterday

Block Attachment on Crane Slipped Holding Up Work

J. M. Garson, of the Garson Wrecking Company, which is engaged in the work of salvaging the old C. N. R. bridge here, stated today that the hannel of the Saint John River will be completely cleared by the end of next week. Already, he stated, sixty feet of the channel has been cleared. The work is progressing as rapidly as the inclement weather will permit and the projected plan of absorbing local labor on the job is now being carried out. Five men were aken on this week and more will follow.

"It's no picnic, with weather conditions unfavorable," Mr. Garson told The Daily Mail today. Yesterday while the men were engaged in the work of putting up one of the cleared spans the block attachment on the boom of the crane slipped and this held up the work temporarily, but repairs were made quickly and the work continued today.

Mr. Garson stated today that the S.S. Majestic, river boat, is able to make safe passage through the cleared part of the channel. As a matter of fact, says Mr. Garson, the boat has never been held up, not for one minute.

The wrecking company head could not state today just when the salvage work would be completed, but said that the work was going ahead with as much speed as possible.

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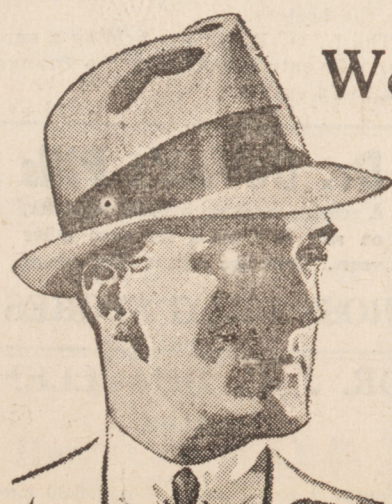
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