

News Briefs

BACK AT HIS DUTIES

Friends will be pleased to learn that Ald. David McCaughey, who has been ill for the past few days, has recovered and is back at his regular duties today.

SPECIAL MEETING

The Knights of Columbus will hold a special meeting on Monday evening at eight o'clock, when Dr. Claude A. Brown, Supreme Director, will address the members. Full attendance is requested by order of Grand Knight.

YORK COUNTY COURT MEETS

The June session of the York county court will meet on Tuesday of next week. Several civil cases are docketed but there are no criminal cases, it was stated today by E. Allison Mackay, clerk of the court.

CALLED BY FATHER'S ILLNESS

Miss Minnie Douglass, R.N., of Portland, Maine, arrived in the city today and will leave this afternoon for Stanley, where her father, John Douglass is quite seriously ill this week. Miss Douglass is a sister of Mrs. Charles MacKay of this city.

CONDITION IMPROVED

The condition of Roderick Bidlake local man who suffered a slight concussion of the brain when he was struck by a piece of falling pulp wood at the site of the salvaging operations on the C. N. R. bridge some days ago, was reported to be improved at the Victoria Public Hospital today.

BROADCAST SUNDAY

Fifteen of the female pupils of the New Brunswick Protestant Orphanage will give a recital over CFNB on Sunday evening, June 7th, from 6 to 6.30 p.m. The young ladies will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. Usher Miller and Miss Fraser, Matron of the Home. They will be entertained at supper by the young ladies of the C.G.I.T. group of St. Paul's United Church.

SUMMER WEATHER

The citizens here experienced their first real taste of summer today, when the skies cleared and a bright sun shone. The temperature reached the 80-mark early this afternoon. The season has been a backward one, and one which has had especially disastrous effects to the farmers, who have not been able to plant their crops because of the long spell of wet weather.

GETS MUSIC DEGREE

Raymond W. Mott, Rusagons, has returned from Montreal, where he attended McGill University, and was presented the diploma of Licentiate in Music (L. Mus.). Mr. Mott has been a pupil of Prof. W. J. Smith, A.R.C.O., of this city. The only other McGill Licentiates in Music this year were Miss Muriel Jackson, Montreal, Miss Evelyn B. Rierser, Liverpool, N. S., and Kenneth B. Runker, Ashland, Kentucky.

ON LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Frederick C. Johnston, United States consul at this port, and Mrs. Johnston, will leave on July 5 on a two months' leave of absence, which time will be spent at Mr. Johnston's former home in Atlantic City. It was Mr. Johnston's intention to take a European trip this summer but conditions would not warrant him being away from his duties for such an extended trip. The vice-consul of Halifax will replace Mr. Johnston during his leave of absence.

WOMEN'S LIBERAL CLUB MET

The York county Women's Liberal club met last evening in the committee rooms on Queen street, with the president, Mrs. J. B. Crocker in the chair. Ald. H. Ralph Gunter, M.P.P., for York, spoke in detail on matters of provincial and local interest. Mrs. W. G. Clark spoke briefly respecting work of the women's Liberal club in Ottawa and the study clubs which had been formed by its members. A resolution was passed to send a letter of condolence to Mrs. Durling, whose husband, S. E. Durling, M.P.P., for York, died recently.

ADJOURNED UNTIL TODAY

The case of Kenneth Griffiths, of Mouth of Keswick, who was charged with driving a car not equipped with two brakes, was brought up this morning. Mr. Griffiths was fined \$10 and costs of \$12.25. The other charge that of not producing his driver's license when asked to do so by a police officer, was allowed to stand. Mr. Griffiths, in speaking to The Daily Mail said that he thought the fine and costs were too stiff and that he would appeal the case the first of the week. He also intimated that a further case might arise out of this case.

REPORT THEFT PULP, LUMBER ON RIVER BANK

R.C.M.P. Asked to Keep Vigilant Eye in This Locality — Lumber Companies Report Loss of Much Pulp Lately.

The Royal Canadian Mounted Police here are keeping a vigilant eye on the lumber and pulpwood along the banks of the St. John river in this vicinity, following advice from Saint John that large quantities of it have been removed from the river while being driven, by residents along the stream. Complaints have been made by several of the larger lumber companies, particularly the Port Royal Pulp and Paper Company, Ltd.

So far, according to the Fredericton detachment of the R.C.M.P. no thefts have been reported hereabouts, but the police are keeping a strict eye out for the offenders. It is believed that those who have been taking the pulp and lumber are using it for fuel purposes.

At Woodstock yesterday two men of the Parish of Kent, Caleb Doucette and George Ketch appeared before the police magistrate there charged with the theft of marked logs belonging to the Port Royal Pulp and Paper Company. The men were given suspended sentences as the company asked that the men not be severely dealt with. However, they wished the practice to be stopped.

N. B. BARRISTERS MEET HERE IN ANNUAL SESSION

Mrs. A. S. Fergusson, Grand Falls, Reinstated—Report on Tariff of Costs Read.

The annual meeting of the Barristers' Society of New Brunswick is taking place in the Capital today, the business session taking place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon in the Supreme Court Chamber. Election of officers and other matters will be dealt with this afternoon.

This morning a council meeting was held in the parliament buildings with G. F. Inches, K. C., of Saint John in the chair. Ernest A. MacKay of this city, is secretary. Among those attending the sessions of the barristers today are Hon. J. B. McNair, K. C., attorney general, President Inches, J. F. H. Teed, K. C., of Saint John; J. N. Carter of Saint John; H. L. McInerney, of Saint John; C. J. Jones, K. C., of Woodstock; S. C. Mooney, of Perth; H. A. Carr, K. C., of Campbellton; J. J. F. Winslow, K. C.; I. C. Rand, K. C., of Moncton, and others.

At six o'clock there will be a banquet at D-Coy Inn, which will be attended by the Supreme Court judges.

At this morning's meeting of the council of the Barristers' Society a report was made on tariff of costs. A motion was made also that Arthur Hughes of Saint John be made an attorney. Mr. A. S. Fergusson, who is judge of probate at Grand Falls on application was re-instated. There were several applications for admission as students at law.

INSPECTING SCHOOLS

W. K. Tibert, director of vocational education for the province, has returned here from Newcastle and Campbellton where he was inspecting the schools this week.

WORKED FOR PROV. DEPT.

Miss Estelle LeBlanc, a graduate of the Normal and Domestic Science school at St. Pascal, Quebec, has been selected by the Civil Service Commission to fill a position on the staff of the Dominion Department of Fisheries as a fish cookery demonstrator and lecturer on fish foods and has already begun her work. Miss LeBlanc before going to Quebec was employed with the Provincial Department of Agriculture and worked with the Women's Institute, her first work here being as demonstrator and an organizer of women's institutes in New Brunswick. Subsequently she entered the employ of the province of Quebec, doing work similar to that in which she had been engaged in New Brunswick. Miss LeBlanc speaks both French and English fluently. The purpose of Miss LeBlanc's present work is to help to increase the Canadian demand for fish foods by making their exceptional dietary value better known and showing to housewives how easily fish and shell fish may be prepared for the table. Miss LeBlanc was with the department in this province from January 3, 1924 until October 15, 1926, and made many friends in this city.

DAYLIGHT TIME TO BE CONSIDERED SPECIAL MEETING

Possibility That Plebiscite May Be Held by City Council—If Adopted Will Commence After Closing of Public Schools.

At a special meeting of the city council likely to be held next week, the matter of Daylight Saving Time for the months of July and August, will be up for consideration.

At a recent meeting the city council discussed the matter briefly, some being in favor of the adoption of Daylight time, and others being against it. There was a general consensus that a plebiscite should be held on the matter to learn the opinion of the majority of the people.

Asked today concerning the matter Mayor G. Willard Kitchen intimated that the council would take the matter up shortly. He was uncertain as to whether a plebiscite would be held or not. The Fredericton Board of Trade has already through the passage of a resolution expressed itself as in favor of Daylight Saving Time for the summer months.

Last year the plan was adopted with general satisfaction, although there was opposition in some quarters.

Most of the merchants and store clerks are in favor of the summer time. There had been some opposition last year, a few claiming that the new time interfered with train schedules, and interrupted commerce in the surrounding district, since all these places were not the same.

But generally the advantages of Daylight time were realized and the working man, although he went to work an hour earlier in the morning, had an extra hour of daylight in the evening to do with as he saw fit.

It is not likely that Daylight Saving Time will be adopted until after the closing of the schools, as this would interfere with the school hours of the children of the public schools. If a plebiscite is held it will be some time within the next two weeks.

AT THE QUEEN

Guests registered at the Queen Hotel today include: T. H. Higginson, Montreal; W. D. Brown, Saint John; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. V. Armstrong, J. E. Armstrong, Miss Emery, Perth; Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Boyer Victoria; H. R. Allen, Saint John; H. C. Carter, Woodstock; A. M. Buraglia, Saint John; T. G. Davis, Montreal; C. H. Gillen, Toronto; T. W. Bedwin, Moncton; F. H. Copp, M.P.P. Port Elgin; J. R. Carten, Toronto; E. H. Blois, Robert Treven, W. A. McDonald, Guy D. Sutherland, Halifax; T. B. Richardson, Hartford, Conn.; J. J. Gray, Amherst; C. A. Laverty, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Saboy, St. John's, Que.; J. R. Theberge, Quebec City; H. A. Whittaker, Saint John; Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Tremblay, and son, Montreal; R. W. Baird, Napadogan; R. R. Holland, Montreal; W. S. Tomlinson, Winnipeg; H. A. Carr, K.C., Campbellton; J. H. Stafford, D. A. Lowry, Toronto; C. J. Jones, K.C. Woodstock; A. T. Snodgrass, Saint John; V. L. Alward, Chicago, Ill.; J. E. Harper, Saint John; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hanlon, Montreal; Miss Agnes M. Kitchen, Vancouver, B.C.; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. H. Teed, Saint John.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Mathieu Dobbeltsteyn and family wish to thank all relatives and friends for their many acts of kindness during their recent sudden bereavement, also for the floral tributes, Mass cards, and those who loaned cars and in any way helped to comfort them in their sorrow.

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CAR OVERTURNS AT OROMOCTO, TWO INJURED

Samuel E. Carr, 70, Suffered Injuries to Chest—Fred Carr, Oromocto, and George J. Badcock, Saint John, Drivers.

Tragedy was narrowly averted for several people this morning near Oromocto, when the car owned and driven by Fred Carr of Oromocto, overturned into a ditch, as another car driven by George J. Badcock, of Saint John, attempted to pass it one mile the other side of Oromocto. The accident occurred at 7.45 o'clock, and the Carr automobile was occupied by five people, only two of whom were injured.

Samuel L. Carr, aged 70, suffered injuries to his chest when the car overturned, and Mrs. Fred Carr received a slight cut on her leg. The other occupants, Solomon Carr Sr., Vincent Carr, and the driver, Fred Carr, were uninjured.

Badcock, who was driving alone, was not injured, his Essex car not being damaged. The Saint John man stopped and assisted the injured ones.

Constable Matchett of the R.C.M.P. who investigated the accident reported that neither party was to blame. The police constable assisted at the site of the overturned car.

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