

News Briefs

CONDITION SERIOUS

The condition of Arthur Case of this city, who underwent an operation in the Hospital on Sunday, is reported as being quite serious, complications having set in.

RETURNS FROM ENGLAND

Brian W. C. Carter, of Bedford, Eng., returned to the city on Monday from the Old Country to resume his studies at the University of New Brunswick, where he is a Forestry student.

STILL IN HOSPITAL

Alan A. Glennie, fourth-year Engineering student at the University of New Brunswick, is still a patient of the Hospital following a mishap some time ago when he cut his leg with an axe.

RETURNS TO MCGILL UNIVERSITY

Dr. A. L. Cunningham, who has occupied the position of interne at the Victoria Public Hospital during the summer months, has returned to McGill University in Montreal to resume his studies.

AGAIN REMANDED

Douglas Fradsham of this city was remanded until tomorrow when his case came up before Magistrate Limerick yesterday afternoon. Brought into court yesterday morning, he pleaded not guilty to a charge of being intoxicated.

SUPPS BEGIN

Supplemental examinations at the University of New Brunswick began today, and will conclude on Friday, it was announced this morning by J. W. Sears, registrar of the university. Lectures are scheduled to start on Monday, Sept. 20.

ROTARY CLUB MET

The regular weekly meeting of the Rotary Club took place this afternoon at 12:30, with W. K. Tibert in the chair. The gathering took the form of the usual luncheon meeting and was addressed by Rev. Dr. J. W. Bartlett, who gave an interesting account of his recent trip to England. A good attendance was present, and the meeting highly successful.

DEAN OF NEWSPAPER MEN

James Powers of the staff of the Halifax Herald and Dean of newspapermen, is in the city on his annual visit to the Fredericton Exhibition. Mr. Powers who has been for fifty-seven years connected with the newspaper profession is the Dean of Sporting News in Canada. He is seventy-three years of age and attended St. Joseph's College whilst Mr. Rev. Msgr. Carney, the late R. S. Barker and George Hayes of Devon were attending that institution. Mr. Powers is receiving a hearty welcome from his many old friends in this city. Mr. Powers has in his library a collection of records of sporting events, which is considered the most complete and valuable in Canada.

140 OPERATIONS IN HOSPITAL LAST MONTH

Sets New Record For Number Performed In Single Month

The greatest number of surgical operations in any month on record was performed at Victoria Public Hospital last month, according to the superintendent's report read last night at the meeting of the Board of Trustees in the Council Chamber, City Hall. In all one hundred and forty operations were performed.

An increase in the number of patients so far this year over the number for the corresponding period last year was another feature of the report. The number of patients who have been admitted so far this year is 1,145, while 915 were admitted to date last year.

Luke S. Morrison, vice-president, occupied the chair. Others present were: Miss Areta Gerow, Mrs. D. J. Shea, W. G. Clark, M.P., Councillor Rowley Manzer, Councillor Howard Cameron, C. E. Boone, Dr. A. F. VanWart, Alderman B. R. Ross, Alderman Ray T. Forbes and City Treasurer Fred I. Haviland.

The detailed report for the month is as follows: Patients at the beginning of the month, 47; patients admitted, 196; patients discharged, 181; patients at end of month, 62; medical cases, 12; surgical cases, 156; obstetrical cases, 16; births, 11; deaths, 4; major operations, 55; minor operations, 94; X-rays, 117; X-ray treatments, 5; maximum number of patients in one day, 70; minimum number, 47.

The scarlet fever section is still open, having one patient. One patient was discharged from this section during the month and one admitted.

RAIN KILLS ATTENDANCE AT EXHIBITION

Races Postponed Until Tomorrow Because Of Wet Track

Brighter Today

Children See Almost Deserted Fair Last Night—Gate Free

Although the gray skies brightened up considerably this morning, holding out hopes for fine weather for the first day since the opening of the Fredericton Exhibition on Saturday, a drizzling rain continued to fall intermittently throughout the forenoon.

The attendance at the Exhibition yesterday afternoon was very small and last evening after eight o'clock the public were admitted free. Many children wedged their way in with the grown-ups and enjoyed the exhibition. Owing to the rain the different attractions on the midway were closed, but the small number of spectators present spent their time in admiring the different booths and the other attractions in the main building all of which are in order and present a very nice appearance.

No rain insurance is carried by the exhibition authorities, it was stated this morning by Secretary C. L. Sypher.

Races Postponed

Heavy rainfall last night and early this morning made necessary the postponement of the opening of the three-day race program, it was announced this morning by D. W. Griffiths, race secretary of the exhibition. The program originally scheduled for this afternoon will be held tomorrow.

PROGRAM OF FREDERICTON EXHIBITION

TUESDAY

7.30 p. m.—Band of A Company Carleton-York Regiment parades from Court House Square to the Exhibition Grounds.

8.00—Vaudeville attractions in front of Grandstand

9.00—Band Concert in front of Main Exhibition Hall.

9.30 p. m.—Dancing in Amusement Hall.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 15

9.00 a. m.—Gates open; judging continues in all departments.

1.30 p. m.—Band of A Company, Carleton-York Regiment, parades from Court House Square to Exhibition Grounds.

2.00—Horses called for first heat of racing programme.

2.15 p. m.—First heat of racing programme; vaudeville attractions between heats.

7.30 p. m.—Band of A Company, Carleton-York Regiment, parades from Court House Square to Exhibition Grounds.

8.00 p. m.—Vaudeville attractions in front of grandstand.

9.00 p. m.—Fireworks.

9.30 p. m.—Band concert in front of Main Exhibition Building.

9.30 p. m.—Dancing in Amusement Hall.

SCHOOL TEACHERS GET PAID IN IDLENESS

All school teachers who have contracted to teach during the present academic year, and who have been unable to do so as yet, by reason of the closing of the schools by order of the Department of Education, Federal and Municipal Relations because of the prevalence of infantile paralysis in the province, will be paid during their term of enforced idleness by the trustees with whom they contracted, and will also receive their usual provincial grants, it was stated by Dr. A. S. McFarlane, Chief Superintendent of Education for New Brunswick.

The Provincial Education Office has received a number of enquiries during the past two weeks from teachers throughout New Brunswick who were uncertain of their position as regards salaries. The entire question is treated in some detail in The New Brunswick Schools Act, c. 5, s. 122.

The section states, however, that "no teacher shall have a claim" for wages because of the compulsory closing of schools "for a longer period than three months from the closing of the school; or to the date of the termination of his contract, in case the contract shall terminate in less than three months from the closing of the school."

Council To Meet To Consider New Bond Issue

A special meeting to present to the City Council correspondence from different bond houses concerning the \$10,000 3½% bond issue authorized at last meeting of that body has been called for tomorrow afternoon by Deputy Mayor Ray T. Forbes, in the absence of His Worship Mayor G. Willard Kitchen. The issue is to be floated for the financing of the sidewalk building programme which is being carried out by the City this fall.

TWO MORE CASES INFANTILE FOUND SINCE YESTERDAY

One In York County and One at Saint John Raise N. B. Total to 54 — No New Deaths.

Two new cases of infantile paralysis were reported in New Brunswick since press time yesterday, one in the afternoon from upper York county and another this morning in Saint John. Both cases are of the mild type. The patients have been treated with anti-paralysis serum, which is expected to bring about a rapid improvement in their condition.

The total for the province is now 54, and for the City of Saint John, 28. There have been only two cases reported in this county since the beginning of the outbreak, one two weeks ago, a ten year old boy at Boiestown, and yesterday's case. There have been no new deaths since that reported at Plaster Rock yesterday.

According to a statement by Dr. William Warwick, the situation in New Brunswick is very encouraging. The number of cases is not increasing as rapidly as it might, and very satisfactory response has been received by the provincial Department of Health and Labor in its drive to locate possible blood donors.

FIVE CASES WERE HEARD TODAY BY SUPREME COURT

Court of Appeals Opened September Session In the Supreme Court Chamber.

One motion paper and two Crown papers were read this morning as the September Session of the Court of Appeal of the New Brunswick Supreme Court opened. This afternoon another Crown paper, and an appeal paper from the County Court occupied the attention of the Court. Chief Justice J. B. M. Baxter, Mr. Justice W. C. H. Grimmer, and Mr. Justice W. H. Harrison presided.

In the motion paper of Philicien LeBlanc vs. Solomon Jake, no one appeared for the appellant, LeBlanc. Because of this fact, the application for security for costs was held in abeyance. Senator A. J. Leger, K.C., Moncton, appeared for the defendant.

The case of The King vs. Mrs. Annie Clark was argued, judgment being reserved. E. B. McLatchey, a counsel from the Attorney General's department, spoke for the prosecution, while H. M. Groom, St. Stephen, appeared for the accused, to support appeal, under the Intoxicating Liquor Act, from judgment of the Judge of the York County Court.

An appeal from Charles Edward Robinson, on the grounds of severity, from a two years sentence by Judge A. W. B. Bennett of Westmorland County, was heard. R. Dwight Mitton, Moncton, represented the accused.

This afternoon E. Allison MacKay spoke for the accused to support appeal from conviction before the Judge of the Sunbury County Court in the case of The King vs. Raymond Legere.

R. M. Palmer spoke for the defendant this afternoon to move that the verdict entered for the plaintiff be set aside, and a verdict entered for the defendant on his counterclaim in the appeal from the County Court of Emily Gallant vs. Raymond Legere.

ASSISTING TO COMBAT PARALYSIS

Lawrence Saunders, popular C.P.R. Telegraph messenger, is assisting in the fight against the spread of infantile paralysis as a blood donor, to supply serum against the disease. He went to Saint John yesterday for this purpose and returned last evening.

DEER HUNTING SEASON OPENS IN N. B. TOMORROW

Finest Sport In Years Predicted As Deer Are Reported Plentiful

Bear Numerous

Increase In Water Lilies Bring Moose Back In Larger Numbers

The finest deer hunting in several years is promised with the opening of the deer season tomorrow, according to reports received from guides and sportsmen in this and other parts of the province. The prospect of a good year is further substantiated by a statement made by H. H. Ritchie, chief game warden for New Brunswick. From all reports, he said, deer are very plentiful in all parts of the province, and the number of fawns this year seems to have increased greatly over the number in past few seasons.

It is claimed by several sportsmen that the deer have not been so plentiful since the fall of 1933, which was a record year in this province. In the winter of that year particularly adverse weather conditions killed off a great number of animals, but in the past two years, the reports indicate that they have greatly overcome the depreciation in numbers.

Winter Mild

The last winter was kind to the deer in the forests, being very mild while improved feeding conditions have also done much to encourage the increase.

Hunting licenses were put on sale yesterday, but no report on the number of sales has been received as yet. It is believed that an increase in the number of hunting parties this fall over last and accordingly a greater number of licenses sold due to the favourable reports from the deer country.

Partridge and woodcock are also very plentiful this year it is understood. The winter was also favourable to the partridge. Very few failed to withstand the cold resulting in a greater number of chicks being hatched last spring.

Bears have been reported all summer as being numerous in the rural districts. Indeed, some have become so bold as to attack humans, it has been learned. A man and his son were each chased by a bear on two occasions earlier in the summer, the man later killing one of the bruisers.

Moose Coming Back

The moose are slowly coming back into the country, according to local guides. Water lilies, which form a great part of the diet of the big quadruped, are slowly increasing in num-

FISH AND GAME ASSN. MEETING HERE TOMORROW

Convention To Discuss Best Opening Date for Duck Season

Over 100 Delegates

New Constitution and Bye-Laws to be Taken Up At Meeting

Between 100 and 150 delegates, representing the 23 branches and 3900 members of the New Brunswick Fish and Game Protective Association will assemble in this city tomorrow for the annual convention of the association which will be held in the Chamber of the City Hall.

The convention will open at ten o'clock. The morning session will be taken up mainly with registration of the delegates. A business session is also slated for the morning, but from the number of delegates it is believed that this will not get underway before tomorrow afternoon.

Duck Season Discussion

The opening of the duck shooting season will be one of the major items of discussion before the convention it was stated by F. Cedric Cooper, Secretary of the body. Last year the association moved for the late opening of the season on Oct. 1, but it has been found that the late season is not favourable to many sections of the province, and it is believed that a motion will be passed rescinding the former motion, and requesting that the opening date be moved back to Sept. 15.

Another highlight of the business session will be the report of a committee on the proposed new constitution and bye-laws of the Association. Several other matters respecting the game regulations will be brought up, it is understood, but the exact nature of these will not be known until the session convenes.

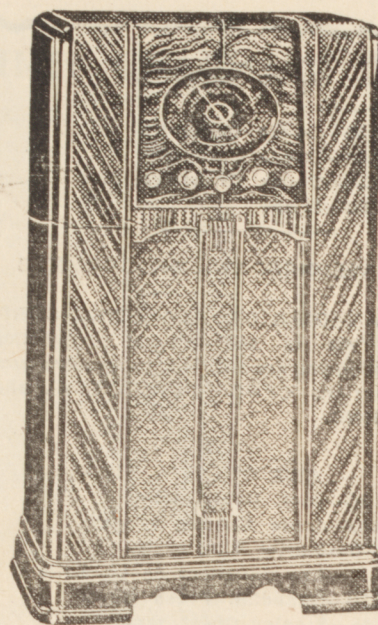
One of the features of the day will be the visit of the delegates to the Association booth at the Fredericton Exhibition. It is understood that, as in former years, the delegates will be attending the fair. The convention will close tomorrow evening with a banquet at the Waverley Hotel.

Dr. E. H. Cook, provincial president of the association, will preside at the meetings. Arrangements for the convention are being made by Mr. Cooper.

ber in the lakes and ponds of the province. With the return of the lilies comes a return of the moose.

This fall, like last, will be closed to the hunting of the big game animals. Although they are returning to the province, it is thought that they are still too few in numbers to have open season declared upon them.

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