

News Briefs

LEAVE FOR HOMES

The cabinet members who were in the city this week have all returned to their homes. All Except Premier Dymally and Hon. A. C. Taylor left earlier this week, while Hon. Mr. Taylor left by car this morning and Hon. Mr. Dymally left at noon today.

RETURNS THIS EVENING

Arthur McF. Limerick, who has been in Halifax for the last few days attending the annual meeting of the council of the Public Affairs Association of Dalhousie University, is expected to return to this city this evening.

1938 LICENSE TAG

In 1938 the motor vehicle license tag will have an aluminum background with black letters and figures, and the half-rate truck plates good until June will be maroon with white letters and figures, it was announced today by the Motor Vehicle Branch of the Department of Public Works. The announcement also gave notice that all commercial and convertible motor car licenses expiring December 31 have been extended to March 31, 1938; and all passenger car licenses and drivers' licenses expiring on December 31 have been extended to April 30, 1938.

THREE FIRES

A busy weekend was experienced by the Fredericton Fire Department last night when the fire fighters answered three calls in seven hours. The first came at about five o'clock yesterday afternoon from the home of George Thom, 204 Queen Street. An overheated pipe occasioned the call. No damage resulted. At about 10:15 last night a call rang in from Box 25 occasioned by a chimney fire at the home of Cecil Noble, Brunswick St., in which no damage was done. The third call, a still alarm, was sent in from the home of Mrs. Clara Hanlon Charlotte Street, when an overheated pipe caused some alarm. There was no damage done.

The Daily Mail intends to mention one outstanding window display each day from today until Christmas.



TO-DAY

We liked the Xmas Display Windows of the

Royal Stores, Ltd.

Because the attractive appearance of quality MEN'S WEAR and the bright colors of the articles on display blended artistically to form a window display whose appeal was irresistible to the puzzled seeker of an appropriate Man's Gift.

BEAUTIFUL FLORAL DISPLAY AT ADA M. SCHLEYER'S LTD

The Ada M. Schleyer's Ltd. are displaying a magnificent showing of flowers for the Christmas season. Table centres stressing reindeer, candles are being very much admired. Get one for your Christmas dinner table. Latest ideas from New York are being carried out with all kinds of Christmas flowers and wreaths. The public is cordially invited to visit the store at 603 Queen Street or at the Green houses, 326 Charlotte Street. Phone 1453 and 217. Members of F. T.A. will deliver flowers to all parts of the world.



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Board Again Warns Dairy Proprietors

Industry Discussed At Meeting

Overtime and Rest Days Clauses Not Complied With

A circular threatening dairy operators at Saint John with penalties provided under the Fair Wage Act unless they fully comply with the regulations laid down by the Fair Wage Board as a result of the recent strike in that industry at Saint John was issued this morning.

Well-established reports have reached the Fair Wage Board that its order, No. 8, issued to apply to the dairy industry at Saint John, has not been fully complied with by some of the proprietors. The Board finds the following matters were not complied with:

"First in the matter of payment of overtime clause No. 3 of the order. 'Second, in the matter of two days' rest per month (clause No. 5 of the order).

"Such non-compliance has necessitated a recent investigation by the Fair Wage Officer, who has made the necessary adjustments to conform with the order.

"Any violation of the order cannot but reflect upon the industry generally, even though the violation is committed by a small number of units comprising the industry."

Employees can familiarize themselves with the particulars of order No. 8 posted in each plant, and the co-operation of employers and employees will eliminate any difficulty and obviate the necessity of invoking the penalties of the Act, it was said. This order is issued to the dairy industry and is signed by A. B. MacKinnon, chairman, and H. R. Pettigrove Fair Wage Officer. It is dated December 18.

UNDERWENT OPERATION

Miss Audrey Woodworth, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Woodworth, Charlotte Street, was rushed to Victoria Public Hospital this morning where she underwent an appendix operation at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

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J. S. MAVOR, K. C., VISITING FORMER HOME IN THIS CITY

Calgary Barrister Once Declined Place On Alberta Bench

It is not every day that a lawyer turns down a judgeship after he has been coaxed to take it by his party. The incident of one young lawyer refusing a judgeship is recalled by the visit to the city this week of J. S. Mavor, K.C., prominent Calgary barrister, who is visiting his old home here.

In 1914 when the Conservatives were in power at Ottawa a district judgeship became vacant in the Calgary district. At that time Mr. Mavor was a young lawyer in Calgary and Bassano. Even then he had achieved prominence both in the legal profession and in the councils of the Conservative party. The position of district judge became vacant, and Mr. Mavor was offered the judgeship. He declined, stating that his practise was more important to him.

Every lawyer supporting the Conservative party was asked in turn to accept the position, but in those days, when money was flowing easily and lawyers made large returns from real estate as well as law, a man who retired from active practise for the sake of obtaining a judgeship was considered crazy.

Given to Liberal

Mr. Mavor was requested by the Administration of Justice Department at Ottawa to try to get a lawyer who would go on the Bench. Finally, after a canvass of the city he asked a young lawyer, who was an ardent opponent of the Conservative party if he would take the appointment. The young lawyer who has recently arrived from the East and who had not acquired a very extensive practise,

Appoint Adviser For Reorganization N. B. Treasury Dept.

The addition of a financial adviser to the Provincial Treasury Department to assist in the reorganization of that branch of the government was announced last night by Premier A. A. Dymally. A. P. B. Williams, who was deputy provincial treasurer of Quebec for 12 years, has been engaged by the New Brunswick Government for a period of one year, it was stated.

Because of Mr. Williams' wide experience in financial affairs, the Premier said, he is admirably equipped for the task of assisting in the reorganization of the Department.

"This is a step that has been in contemplation by the government for a long time," said Premier Dymally, "but it was necessary to await the opportunity to secure the proper man. The public, especially business men, will appreciate the needs of the situation and will agree that any delay has been justified by eventually securing a man of the calibre of Mr. Williams."

Before entering the service of the Province of Quebec, Mr. Williams was connected with nation-wide financial institutions for more than 20 years. He was secretary-treasurer of the investment house of Charles Meredith & Co. Ltd., and secretary - treasurer, also director of the succeeding company the United Financial Corporation Ltd.

The increase in the different services and in the various departments and the large increase in the amount of work in recent years have made it necessary that additional facilities and reorganization be provided in the Comptroller-General's office.

He said: "If you are not joking and trying to pull my leg I will certainly take the judgeship, but I do not believe the Conservatives will give it (Continued on Page Five)

DR. H. H. HAGERMAN TO RETIRE AT END OF ACADEMIC YEAR

Changes In System At Normal School Are Contemplated

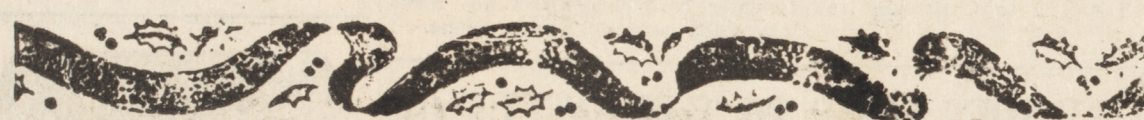
It is understood that Dr. H. H. Hagerman, Principal of the Provincial Normal School, will retire at the close of the present academic year, next June. Dr. Hagerman has been principal of the school since the death of Dr. H. V. B. Bridges, nearly ten years ago. Previous to that time he was a member of the Normal School staff, and is also a former member of the staff of the Fredericton High School and a former principal of the Charlotte street school.

Dr. Hagerman was graduated from the University of New Brunswick in 1892 with the degree of bachelor of arts. He received his master of arts degree in 1899 from U.N.B. and an honorary degree of doctor of science in 1924. He has been a member of the University Senate at different times, and has given good service to the cause of education in this province.

It is understood that several important changes which will tend to modernize the Normal School system are being contemplated.

ALDERMANIC NOMINATION

Roland G. Loughlin is the latest aspirant for civic honors. Today Mr. Loughlin filed his nomination papers as a candidate for King's Ward, in opposition to Ald. Ivan McKnight. Those who signed Mr. Loughlin's nomination paper were W. R. Evans, D. W. Oils, Arthur Shute, D. F. Campbell, W. A. Vanwart, Charles R. Barry and H. E. Harrison. Ald. F. S. Mundie has added his name to those nominating His Worship Mayor Kitchen.



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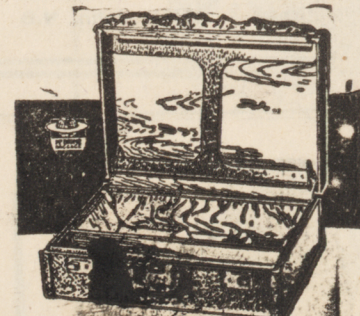
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