News Briefs

FINED YESTERDAY

A resident of Kingsclear was fined $25 when he appeared before Magistrate Walter Limerick yesterday, charged with departing from the scene of an accident without leaving his name and address. The accident happened in this city on Saturday night last, when the two cars sideswiped each other.

LEFT HOSPITAL

Mrs. Harry Wilson of South Tay, who has been confined to the hospital for the past two weeks as a result of injuries received when their car swerved in avoiding a child on the road, and overturned, pinning the occupants, was discharged from the hospital on Thursday, and has returned to her home.

PASS THROUGH CITY

"A" Company of the Royal Canadian Regiment passed through the city a few days ago enroute to St. John's, Quebec, where it will hold a reunion with "C" Company, which is stationed there. The contingent, which was nearly 100 men strong, travelled by motor truck. It was under command of Major Victor Hodson, M.C., O.C. of the Halifax garrison. The Company expects to spend about a week in St. John's.

SOLD AT AUCTION

Three properties were sold at public auction at noon today in front of the County Court House. The estates of James and John Maloney, New Maryland, were sold to W. Russel Evans, while the property of the William R. Keetch estate was sold to B. R. MacDonald. Purchase prices were not divulged. C. N. Goodspeed, high sheriff of York County, conducted the sale.

LEFT FOR HOME

Alan A. Glennie, senior civil engineering student at the University of New Brunswick, who has been a patient in the local hospital for the past month, suffering from a badly cut leg, has recovered sufficiently to return to his home at Saint John. Mr. Glenie cut his leg with an axe when working as a junior engineer on a section of the permanent road paving program at present being conducted by the provincial government. It is doubtful if he will be recovered sufficiently to allow his return to the University on Monday, when lectures will be resumed.

P.N.S. APPOINTMENTS

Since the New Brunswick Board of Education is not expected to meet for about two weeks, and two vacancies exist in the staff of the Provincial Normal School which must be filled before the institution opens on Sept. 27, it is believed that temporary appointments will be made by Hon. A. P. Paterson, Minister of Education, Federal and Municipal Relations which appointments will be either confirmed or rejected at the next meeting of the Board. Vacancies exist in the department of physics and chemistry, and in the position of librarian. F. E. MacDiarmid, teacher of physics and chemistry, is in the local hospital suffering from injuries received in a recent motor accident, while Miss Margaret Scott resigned to accept a position as teacher of mathematics at the Strathcona Lodge School for Girls at Shawnigan Lake, Vancouver Island, B.C. Mr. MacDiarmid is not expected to be able to resume his duties for another five months.

TODAY'S MARKET

The largest market in weeks was assembled in Phoenix Square this morning as farmers from the surrounding districts flocked into the city for the advantage of attending the market and at the same time spending a day at the Exhibition. Trading was brisk, and the large supply of produce on hand was moving quite fast. Prices ran about the same as those of last week. Prevailing prices were:

Parsnips, 10c per bunch
Cranberries, 20c per pk.
Bog cranberries, 15c per qt.
Celery, 10c per head.
Eating apples, 20c per peck
Cooking apples, 20c per peck
Crabapples, 35c per pk.
Tomatoes, 30c per basket.
Green tomatoes, 20c per pk.
Cucumbers, 10c. per dozen.
Pickling cucumbers, 35c per peck
Dill, 10c. bunch.
Peppers, 2 for 5c.
Squash, 2c. per lb.
Pumpkin, 2c per lb.
Potatoes, 20c. per pk.
Cabbage, 5c per head
Turnips, 5c. each.
Onions, 5c per bunch.
Carrots, 5c per bunch
Beets, 5c per bunch.
Cauliflowers, 15c each.
Butter, 30c per lb.
Eggs, 35c per dozen.
Chicken, 30c per lb.
Fowl, 20c. per lb.
Pork, 12c and 15c per lb.
Lamb, 15c. and 20c. per lb.
Mutton, 8c. and 10c. per lb.
Veal, 6c and 11c per lb.
Wood, $7.00 per cord.

CROWDS THRONG TO EXHIBITION ON CLOSING DAY

Directors Hope For Profit In Spite of Bad Weather, Disease

Races Highlight

Exhibits and Vaudeville Most Elaborate Ever, Is The Belief

Climaxing the finest exhibition in years, considering the hardships imposed by threatening weather and the prevalence of infantile paralysis, the largest attendance of any day so far is expected by the directors of the Fredericton Exhibition today, the last day of the big show. Judging of exhibits was completed yesterday, leaving the livestock parade, the concluding vaudeville performances this evening, and the final midway activities to wind up the show.

The directors are most pleased with the results of the week, and have hopes that the fair will yet show a profit. Three days of racing drew bumper crowds, and gave the patrons their money's worth with some of the finest racing ever seen in the Dominion. Hundreds were thrilled on the first day of the card as Walter Dale sped around the fast oval to give the track and Canada a new record of 2.02 1-2.

On Wednesday they packed in again to see Federal, Don Fino and Millie Kalamuck turn in more fast heats. Yesterday the crowd exceeded that of any year since the time of the illustrious Single G., Sir Roch, and Margaret Dillon. The grandstands roared as Walter Dale tore down the stretch in 2.05 1-4 closely followed by Tracey Hanover and Marjorie M.

Clukey again earned the cheers of the crowd by reining Renown in to win the 2.22, while John Dean in winning the free-for-all trot, brought the fans to their feet in excitement.

Vaudeville Good

The vaudeville acts were prime favourites with the crowds all through the week. The Tip-Top girls in their dazzling display of tumbling, the five Albani's and their aerial motorcycle act, the trained goats and their wire-walking stunt and other feats, and the rib-cracking humor of the bicycle act and the Wonder Horse gave a show that has never been equalled in the province.

Local talent was also brought into play and added to the sparkle of the program. Petite Violette Darlington "tapped" her way to wide recognition, while the Fredericton Male Quartette was ranked as one of the fine features of the show.

Exhibits Outstanding

The commercial displays have been lauded by hundreds, while the agricultural livestock, orchard, and flower exhibits have met with the hearty approval of all.

The big affair will tonight feature a great display of fireworks, another vaudeville show, a concert by the "A" Company Band of the Carleton and York Regiment, under the direction of Bandmaster E. M. Beatty, and a dance in the recreation hall of the main building.

Passing Of Oldest Resident of the Town of Devon

The death occurred of Mrs. Exalina McKenzie at her home in Devon yesterday afternoon, after a lingering illness of many months. The widow of the late Robert McKenzie, she had spent many years of her life in Devon, and was the oldest resident of that town, being 96 years old at the time of her passing. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. John Howe of North Devon, with whom she resided.

N. B. INSURANCE ACT, 1937, WILL BRING INSURANCE BUSINESS IN THIS PROVINCE UP TO DATE

E. B. MacLatchy, Superintendent of Insurance For N. B., Addresses Life Underwriters at Saint John on Canada's Most Modern Insurance Legislation

"The administration of the 1937 New Brunswick Insurance Act is being carried out with a view of bringing the insurance business in this province up to date as quickly as possible without causing too drastic a dislocation of established business connections," stated E. B. MacLatchey, superintendent of insurance for New Brunswick, in an address delivered yesterday noon at Saint John at a luncheon of the Canada Life Underwriters' Association of New Brunswick.

Privy Council Decision

Taking as his subject "The New Insurance Act," Mr. MacLatchey pointed out the necessity in this province of the government's taking over the regulation and control of the insurance business. The Privy Council decision of 1932, he stated, definitely allocated this matter to the provinces and not to the Dominion.

The new act, the speaker said, consolidates all the statutory insurance law in this province into one statute. Previous to the passing of the act at the last session of the House of Assembly, there had been seven different statutes dealing with insurance, with consequent repetition contradiction and confusion.

Most Up to Date

"The act we have brings insurance regulations in line with all the other provinces in Canada," Mr. MacLatchy stated. The new act, which includes all the uniform legislation of the old acts, is the most up to date insurance statute in Canada today, he added. New Brunswick has been fortunate in being able to profit by the experiences of other provinces in drafting the act, the speaker noted.

One of the outstanding items in the act as pointed out by the insurance superintendent was the one providing for an advisory board. This board is comprised of a representative of the superintendent, a representative of the insurance agents and a representative of the insurance companies. The board was formed so that agents might be brought up for the inquiry into their activities or before which the agent may appeal if the superintendent refuses to grant a license or cancels his license.

The act also includes sections prohibiting rebating, trafficking and twisting.

Long Act

The 1937 Act is one of the longest ever passed by the New Brunswick Legislature, consisting of 15 parts and 295 sections, a number of which sections contain ten and more subsections.

The Canada Life Underwriters' Association of New Brunswick, which Mr. MacLatchey addressed yesterday at the Admiral Beatty Hotel, would more properly be named the Association of Saint John, since all of its members are of that city. However, when the charter was granted to the body, it was the only such organization in the province, and hence the name.

J. Stuart Angevine, president of the association, presided at the luncheon. About seventy members were present.

Outbreak of Poliomyelitis Nearly Over

That the infantile paralysis outbreak in New Brunswick is on its last legs is the general opinion of official sources today, but although the spread of the disease is practically at a standstill, the greatest precautions are still being urged, and the vigilance of the Department of Health is not being slackened. One new case, believed to be in the Saint John district, was reported at noon today, but the frequency of outbreaks has greatly lessened.

No more deaths have been reported for the past few days, which further bears out the point that the disease is of a mild type. Only three deaths have been reported to date in the province.

Confusion Exists

A confusion as to the exact number of cases in the province exists. Some sources claim that the total, including the case reported today to be 66, another has set the figure at 63, while according to records kept by The Daily Mail, the total number is now 58. This discrepancy of figures was not cleared up today, an attempt to contact Dr. William Warwick in Saint John by telephone this morning being unsuccessful.

As reported this week, the schools will be closed until Sept. 27. This was the third time that the opening has been set over, it being believed that conditions do not warrant the opening of the schools as yet.

Hospital Crowded

In the city of Saint John it is reported, although not from official sources, that four children in one family are suffering from the disease, and that the entire epidemic ward of the General Hispital, taking up one entire floor of the institution,

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U. N. B. OPENS FOR 117TH CONSECUTIVE YEAR MON.

Largest Enrollment In Many Years Expected In Forestry Course

Supps Finished

Dr. L. W. Harkness, Prof. Donald B. Marsh, New Staff Members

Although no records as to numbers of new students enrolled are expected to be broken as the University of New Brunswick opens for its 117th consecutive year on Monday, the number of students is not expected to be any smaller than it has been during the past four or five years. Early registration has been small this year, but ninety some new students are expected to enroll in the various courses at the provincial institution—arts, science and civil, electrical and forestry engineering.

A larger enrollment in the forestry course than has been the case in many years is expected by Dr. C. C. Jones, president of the University. A partial explanation for this is thought to be the fact that during the past two or three years, while the depression was still with us, every bachelor of science in forestry who has graduated from the local institution has landed a position almost immediately.

Residence Full

The Lady Beaverbrook Building, the men's residence on the Campus, will be full to overflowing for the second consecutive year since it was opened in 1930. As was the case last year, there will be a large waiting list, it was indicated this morning by Registrar J. W. Sears. The same management will have charge of the residence: Mrs. Helen Hubbard, matron, and Prof. W. G. Jones, as dean of residence.

Supplemental examinations at the University concluded today, having started last Tuesday. Students, both old and new, have been arriving back in Fredericton during the past week, and a large influx is expected over the week-end.

Changes In Staff

The University staff will be the same as last year, with the exception that L. W. Harkness, M.Sc., Ph. D., will replace Dr. Brian Priestman as professor of physics, and Donald B. Marsh, Nashwaaksis, will replace B. S. Kierstead as professor of economics and political science.

Dr. Priestman has secured a year's leave of absence to go abroad, while Prof. Kierstead has accepted the position of assistant professor of political science at the University of Arizona.

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PROGRAM OF FREDERICTON EXHIBITION

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

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.
Sellout night to be observed by various merchandise stores on the grounds and in building.
10.30 p. m.—God Save the King.

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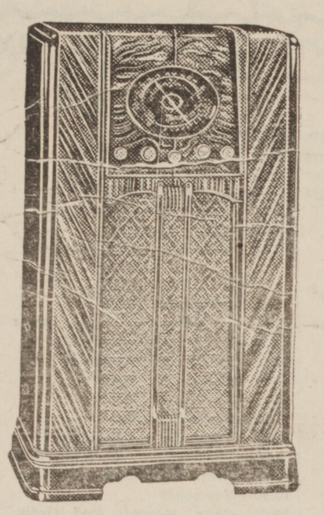

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