

The Weather

FORECAST

Moderate winds, warm today and most of Tuesday.

Noon temperature 64

City News

TWO ARE FINED

Two charges of violation of city by-laws were contested today in the Fredericton police court. Convicts were found in both cases. One party was fined \$3 for riding a bicycle on the sidewalks, and another fined \$10 for allowing a dog to run on the streets.

MEETING TONIGHT

The Fredericton Twentieth Century Liberal Association is meeting this evening at the Community Y rooms at 8 o'clock. The meeting will feature several speakers including Hon. J. B. McNair, Attorney-General of the province. In addition to business, a short entertainment will be featured including a chowder. A large attendance is expected.

CONTINUE SEARCH

Royal Canadian Mounted Police were today still hunting Roderick Le Breton who escaped from Sunbury County Jail last week while he and other inmates were carrying wood and water to the Burton jail. "Black Lux", R.C.M.P. dog found Le Breton's trail, but lost it again on the highway, indicating that the escaped prisoner, who was awaiting trial on a charge of breaking and theft from a hot dog stand at Fredericton Junction got a ride on a passing motor vehicle.

DIED THIS MORNING

The death occurred this morning of John Feeney, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mary Rowan, 201 York Street. The deceased, who was 25 years of age was well known in the city and highly respected. He is survived by two sons, Patrick of St. George, and Beverly of Boston, and five daughters, Mrs. James Jamieson and Mrs. May Rowan of this city, and Mrs. Alice Dooley, Mrs. B. Valentine and Mrs. John Huntley of Detroit. Also surviving are 18 grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

CHILDREN BAPTISED

Last evening at St. Margaret's Chapel of Ease, Rev. Carl Fairweather held a baptismal service when the following children were baptised: Stanley Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Barret, whose godparents were Mrs. Harry S. Clarke and Bertram Timms, George Albert, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Timms, whose godparents were Miss Mary Timms, Bertram Timms, Charles Albert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clark, whose godparents were Mrs. Harry S. Clark and Albert Clark, Roy George, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy McQuinn, whose godparents were Miss Mary Timms and Roy McQuinn.

GETS REMAND

James Belyea was remanded to May 17 when he appeared in police court charged with theft of a bracelet and a diamond ring from Mrs. Thomas Fowler of this city. The offence was alleged to have taken place last February when the accused was rooming at Mrs. Fowler's home. Belyea pleaded guilty to the theft of the bracelet but "not guilty" to the theft of the ring. He elected trial by the magistrate. Belyea was picked up by Moncton police and brought to Fredericton by Patrolman Osborne Brown of the City Police.

Devon Mink Ranch Has Unusual Record

Mink ranchers in other parts of the province are looking with envy on the record established this year by the Just-A-Mere Fox and Mink Ranch Devon, owned by Murray Quartermain and E. M. Young, this city. The ranch produced sixteen litters of mink this year, with a grand total of 80 kittens. The unusual part of the record is in the fact that some of the litters had seven, eight and nine kits, and others four and five, while the usual number is much below this record.

Friday Is Saturday This Week

STORES CLOSE ON SATURDAY, OPEN TO 10 P.M. FRIDAY

Week-end Market Will Be Held Friday To Assist Farmers

King's Birthday, May 20

May 24 A Holiday, And Stores Close 12 to 3 p.m. On June 13

This week in Fredericton, Friday becomes Saturday, according to a resolution passed at the meeting of the Fredericton Retail Merchants' Committee of the Board of Trade. Because of the King's Birthday falling on Saturday, May 20, the stores will observe Friday as Saturday, remaining open in the evening until 10 p.m. The week-end market will be held on Friday also, and farmers are urged to bring their produce to the city on that day.

At a busy meeting of the committee held in the City Hall at 10 a.m. today, the Saturday holiday question a matter of contention for the past few weeks, was settled. Another motion passed, ruled that in the future all holidays will be observed in Fredericton on the day they are scheduled to fall and no changes will be made.

Mayor C. Hedley Forbes will announce the plans for the Saturday holiday. The observance of the day has already been proclaimed, and every store in Fredericton will be closed on the day, and penalties are provided. It was stated today, for stores failing to close on that day.

Observe Victoria Day

Wednesday, May 24, will be observed as a holiday. It had been previously suggested that the King's Birthday be celebrated on May 23, bringing two holidays in the middle of the week.

On June 13, the day the King and Queen visit Fredericton, the stores will close at 12 o'clock and remain closed until 3 p.m. This motion, which was adopted unanimously, defeated a previously suggestion that the stores be closed all morning and remain closed until 3 p.m.

On June 12, the day before the Royal visit, the usual Saturday hours will be observed, the stores remaining open in the evening until 10 p.m. This was approved to allow householders to do their days shopping so as not to interfere with their plans for the day of the visit.

The Information Bureau of the Board of Trade will open on June 10. The officers in charge of the bureau have not been decided upon. At the meeting this morning, Kenneth Staples, chairman, presided.

The regulations concerning the closing of the stores next Saturday and the observance of the market day on Friday will be advertised by all the merchants in their advertisements in the press, and through the courtesy of Fredericton's radio station, C.F.N.B., will be announced daily over the air.

SCHOOLS MUST INFORM COMMITTEE FOR FREE SEATS

May 20 Deadline For Reserving Seats For School Children

Civic authorities in charge of the Royal Visit plans today warned the public that May 20 is the deadline for making reservations for seats for school children to view the Royal procession. The City Treasurer, Fred L. Haviland must be notified before that date by the various schools as to how many children will be coming to Fredericton for the occasion so that stands can be erected accordingly.

At present, it is tentatively believed that 6,000 children will be accommodated. All the schools have not been heard from, it was stated today. Those in charge of arrangements in the various school districts are urged to notify authorities here immediately so as to avoid disappointment.

Baccalaureate Sermon Delivered Rev. C.H. Atkinson

The Baccalaureate Service of the University of New Brunswick was conducted yesterday by Rev. C. Harry Atkinson in the Brunswick Street Baptist Church to usher in Encaenia Week. Members of the University Senate, the faculty and graduating class, and undergraduates marched in a body to the church where Mr. Atkinson extended a welcome on behalf of the congregation. He delivered an inspiring address on the subject, "The Right Use of Power."

Rev. Mr. Atkinson urged upon those who have been trained for leadership to come to a full realization of their responsibilities and to accept these responsibilities with determination.

Inventions and development of industry have brought about the centralization of our industrial life, and, with this centralization, control of great enterprises tends more and more to come under the direction of fewer persons, which control becomes more remote and impersonal in its treatment of individuals, he said.

The speaker said that industry has developed until today the numbers of employees have increased until the welfare of the individual is lost in a mass called labor. When instruments of power such as financial control, radio, the moving picture industry, and the daily press, through whose instrumentality public opinion may be formed, become financially dependent upon powerful interests whose moral integrity does not arise above the temptation to use them selfishly, they are a serious menace to the public welfare, he remarked.

"If the so-called news is conditioned by big interests who pay the price, if editorial opinion is given over to telling the official bedtime stories of the privileged powers of the economic world, if our moving pictures are colored by vivid but subtle misleading propaganda, then the rank and file of our people are in danger," he said.

"Today we are face to face with the results of misused independence," Rev. Mr. Atkinson continued, "and we are called upon to engage in a great task of spiritual engineering. We need men of keen minds to detect the fallacies of self interest. We need men with imagination and so-

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76-YEAR-OLD WOMAN LOST IN WOODS THREE HRS.

Mayflower Expedition Escapes Tragic End By Scant Margin

An innocent Mayflower picking expedition escaped what might have been a tragedy yesterday when Miss Elise Fielder, 76, stumbled out onto the road near Blissville just before dark last night after having been lost in the Geary woods for three hours. She was suffering from fatigue and wet feet when she met her would be rescuers.

Miss Fielder and Mrs. W. H. Robinson accepted the invitation of Mr. and Mrs. William Poole to drive out into the country after spring flowers. Also in the party were two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Poole.

They topped about 25 miles from Fredericton near the farmhouse of Austin Webb. Engrossed in hunting flowers Miss Fielder became separated from the others, and when her absence was noticed, the parties called to bring response.

Aided by residents of district and R.C.M.P. from this city, the search was begun at approximately 5 o'clock. "Black Lux," famed R.C.M.P. dog was brought to the scene and had just picked up the scent when the police received word that Miss Fielder had managed to find the road again. It was at about 7.30 just when dusk was falling that her safety was reported.

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