

The Weather

FORECAST

Maritime Provinces: Partly cloudy and cold with snow flurries; Friday, fair and mild-er.

Noon Temperature49
Today's low29

City News

ENTERTAINED

Mrs. B. S. Wood entertained last evening at her home in Regent Street in honor of Mrs. S. W. Jones of Halifax. Mr. Daniel Till of Niagara Falls, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Till of Buffalo, N. Y. The house was decorated with spring flowers. Piraez Bridge was played at four tables. Prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fleet. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. E. H. Jones and Mrs. W. R. Neill.

KING'S DAUGHTERS

The meeting of the Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters was held at the home of the President of the Circle, Mrs. W. M. Cahke on Wednesday afternoon, April 12th. Mrs. Clarke presided, and Mrs. W. C. Kierstead led the devotional period. Usual routine business followed. A very interesting paper was read by Mrs. W. A. Loudon concerning the attendance and work at the Baby Clinic at which members of the Circle were serving for the month of March. A large layette completed by the different members was handed in to be given to Miss Pond for her work. Among these articles was a large patchwork quilt made by one of the members. With these articles were personal donations, among which was an attractive baby blanket. A special donation of money was voted to Miss Pond to aid in the enlargement of her clinic service, in which movement the circle expressed much interest. The meeting closed with benediction.

Former Resident Of City Passes

Mrs. Fanny Rebecca Dyer, wife of Thomas Dyer, retired Canadian Railway employee, passed away yesterday afternoon at her late residence, 35 Celebration Street, Saint John, after a short illness, caused by a fall in her home.

Mrs. Dyer was 75 years of age, born in Fredericton and was the last surviving member of the family of the late John and Eliza Maxwell. The late Hon. Robert Maxwell was a brother. A sister, Miss Lillian Maxwell, well passed away on March 21.

Mrs. Dyer was of a loving disposition and had a large circle of friends. She was a member of St. Paul's (Valley) Church and in past years had been an active worker in various organizations of that church.

She is survived by her husband and several nephews and nieces. A funeral service conducted by Rev. A. F. Bate, assisted by Rev. Canon J. V. Young, was held in Brennan's Funeral Home last evening.

The body will arrive from Saint John on the 9.20 train tomorrow morning and will be taken to Christ-church Parish Church. Service will be conducted there at 2.30 Friday afternoon by Very Rev. Dean S. C. Gray. Interment will be made at the Rural Cemetery.

COMPLETION OF BOUNDARY SURVEY BY THIS WEEK

The first re-survey of the New Brunswick-Nova Scotia boundary since the first marking of the line 81 years ago will be completed before the end of the week.

The work was begun during the last week of March by a seven-man party of representatives of both provinces. Work on re-surveying the New Brunswick-Quebec border, commenced last fall, will be completed this summer, it was learned from lands and mines officials.

Because time has obliterated the old line in many places, relocation of both boundaries is being undertaken, officials state. Location of farms, tax and voting difficulties are under doubt under the present system, as well as allocation of game law violations under different provincial game laws.

Enables Port Pulp Mill To Re-Open

PORT ROYAL PULP MILL MAY NOW OPERATE

"No Impediment Now In Way Re-opening," Says Hon. J. B. McNair

Delegation Today Arrange Guarantee For \$200,000 Issue Of Bonds For Purpose

There is no impediment now in the way of reopening the Port Royal Pulp and Paper Co., Ltd., mill at Lancaster, according to a statement by Hon. Dr. J. B. McNair, Attorney-General, following a meeting this morning with Hon. E. J. Henneberry, K.C., President of the Executive Council, and a delegation from the Parish of Lancaster and Saint John County.

Mr. McNair stated that an agreement was drawn up today, and it is considered it will be signed by representatives of the New Brunswick government, Lancaster Parish and Saint John County, within a short time. The agreement will provide for a \$200,000 bond issue to finance the reopening of the mill.

The Parish of Lancaster last evening agreed to assume a \$40,000 share of the guarantee of the issue; the New Brunswick government will guarantee \$100,000 of the amount, and the Municipality of the City and County of Saint John will guarantee \$60,000 of the issue.

As the result of a meeting last night at Lancaster and the meeting with cabinet members today, it is expected that some 60 or 70 men will be put to work shortly for preliminary work. The reopening of the mill is expected to ease considerably unemployment conditions in Saint John County.

Members of the delegation which conferred with Mrs. McNair and Mr. Henneberry this morning were Councillors Clarence H. Quinton and E. Claude Seeley representing the Parish, and W. A. Ross, County Secretary, and W. A. I. Anglin, representing the Municipality.

LOCAL SCOUTS COLLECT 2,263 EGGS FOR DISTRIBUTION

On Easter Saturday the Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs observed Easter with their annual Community Good Turn, the Egg Day, distribution to the needy of eggs collected during the preceding week.

Springhill Scouts and Wolf Cubs, assisted by Girl Guides, made an outstanding contribution of 39½ dozen, led by Glen Nicholson, 17½ dozen, whose contribution was largest, next being the team of Gerald Waddelow and Barron Clarke with 13½ dozen, George Bolden, 11½ eggs; R. Cole and J. Scammell 114 eggs, James Clowater and Leonard Bird 114 eggs; Charlie Cole and Daryl Bruce 110 eggs; Walter McAdam 110 eggs and many other collections under the double cypher mark.

The following also added to the collection:

Harold Clowater and Douglas Murray, Albert Miles and Billy Miles, Herbert Lipshetz and Herbert Taylor, Douglas Bailey and Charlie Clarke, Louis Melanson and Pat Cain, Bob Schofield and Gardner Wade, Jerry Pincombe, G. Tedford and C. Libby, Robert Bird and Dick Dykeman, Adrian Hale and Ken Carroll, Bob Nason and Doug Timms, Grant Sansom and Bill Targett, Lorne Steeves and Robert Myles, Pat Ryan and Walter Davis, Alan Gorman, Bob McWilliam, Gib Miles and Don Miles, Donald Clowater and Gordon Brewer, W. Cumming, Wylie, Lawrie Davis and Billy Lee, Robert Wigmore and Ronald Armstrong.

A total of 2267 eggs was collected and distributed, much credit for the skilful organization of collecting and distributing being due to the Rover Scout Crew. Prizes for work in collecting and distributing have been awarded by the judges to Boy Scout Team James Clowater and Leonard Bird, Wilnot Troop; Wolf Cubs, Bob Nason, St. Anne's Cub Pack.

A. A. COLTER VOCATIONAL BOARD MEMBER

Appointed At Meeting School Board Held Last Evening

Ashley A. Colter was appointed to the Vocational board of the Fredericton schools at the meeting of the school board held last evening. He replaces the late William Glen, former superintendent of Fraser's Mill, this city.

The Secretary's report for the month showed attendance in various schools to be: Regent 94.2 per cent, Charlotte 94.4 per cent; York 95.3 per cent; Smythe 93.6 per cent; Model 90.9 per cent; Morrison Mill 95.8 per cent. Two truants were reported to the truancy officer and taken to school. Eleven teachers lost time through illness and other causes. The superintendent held one meeting of Principals and made fifteen calls to various departments.

Several applications for positions on the staff of the Fredericton schools were received. Applications were filed from S. H. Harvey, Fredericton; W. C. Scott, Dalhousie; Miss M. E. Nodwell, Fredericton; and Miss Adelaide McNair, Jacques River.

Trustees present were: P. J. Hughes, K.C., chairman, Mrs. W. G. Clark, Mrs. Charles Cremin, Prof. A. F. Baird, S. L. Colpitts, W. G. Quinn and Dr. A. F. VanWart.

RETURNED TO CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chestnut returned to Fredericton yesterday from Florida. They spent the winter in the Southern United States.

COUNCIL OF EDUCATION MEET

A meeting of the Fredericton Branch of the National Council of Education will be held this afternoon to discuss the question of a "Youth Sunday" in Fredericton. Brigadier General F. W. Hill will preside. Major F. J. Ney of Toronto, Secretary of the National Council, is in the city today, but is confined to his room at the Queen Hotel due to illness.

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IMPORTANCE OF VEGETABLES TO CANADA

Production Worth About \$100,000,000 Annually

Not including potato production, Canadian vegetable production annually is worth about \$100,000,000, it was stated this morning by T. R. Ritchie, Chief Assistant in charge of vegetable crops, Dominion Experimental Farm, Ottawa, addressing the New Brunswick Fruit Growers' Association.

Mr. Ritchie spoke of the importance of Canada's vegetable growing industry and its worth in dollars and cents. This afternoon Mr. Ritchie was scheduled to speak on improvement of vegetable production by breeding.

M. P. Harrison of the small fruits division of the New Brunswick Department of Agriculture, spoke on small fruit production in the province, and R. P. Gorham, of the staff of the Entomological Laboratory, spoke on small fruit insects, particularly those of strawberries and raspberries. This afternoon he was expected to address the Fruit Growers on vegetable insects.

S. F. Clarkson of the local Dominion Experimental Station will also speak this afternoon, on diseases of small fruits and vegetables.

FIREMEN'S CARD PARTY

The weekly Fredericton Fire Department card party was held last evening in the Department recreation room. Prize winners were Roy Maston, Murray Murdoch, Stanley Colwell, Arthur Irvine, Robert Boyce won the chair prize.

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