

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS

To insure prompt change of ads, copy must be in the office not later than 8 a. m. on the day they are to appear.

POLICE COURT RECEIPTS.

The amount collected in fines at the Fredericton police court during July was \$225.30. This included penalties in two Scott Act cases.

INCORRECT REPORT.

A report was current this afternoon to the effect that Mr. Joseph Sussy had dropped dead. The report was without foundation.

RETURNED AFTER VACATION.

Pastor S. A. Baker has returned from Old Orchard and will preach Sunday morning and evening in the Reformed Baptist church west end.

AUCTION SALE.

Don't miss the auction sale at McGivney Junction on Saturday morning Sept. 3rd at 10 o'clock. Horses, harness, wagons, sleds, dry goods, etc., to be sold by D. J. Stockford.

SCOTT ACT CASES POSTPONED

The Scott Act cases against Stephen White and William Campbell have been postponed until next week. That against White will be heard on Thursday the other on Tuesday.

PROVINCIAL MINERAL EXHIBIT.

Dr. L. W. Bailey went to St. John yesterday to make arrangements concerning the mineral exhibition which the provincial government will show at the Dominion Exhibition which will open tomorrow.

WILL ADDRESS CANADIAN CLUB.

Bishop Ingraham who will visit Fredericton as one of the party of English bishops who will come here week after next will address the Canadian Club on Tuesday September 13th.

FOR AN OUTING.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wentz, of New York, arrived in the city last evening and are guests at the Barker House. They have made arrangements for an outing with Guide Henry Braithwaite for the Miramichi woods to spend a few weeks.

B. & B. CLUB DANCE.

About forty persons attended the dance at the B. & B. Club House last night. Haulon's orchestra was in attendance and furnished the music. The chaperons were Mesdames T. C. Allen, F. E. Winslow and Alex Thompson.

LATE JAMES F. DIBB.

The funeral of the late James F. Dobb will be held tomorrow afternoon from the residence of Mr. Fredrick Dobb, King street. Rev. Sub Dean Street will conduct the service at the house. Interment will be made at Forest Hill.

ENTERTAINED YESTERDAY.

Mrs. Wm. J. Scott entertained at tea yesterday in honor of her guests Mrs. W. A. Anderson of Vancouver, and Miss Robertson of Napan. About thirty-five were present. The drawing room was decorated with sweet peas and the tea room with yellow flowers. Mrs. H. F. McLeod poured and Mrs. Harris, Miss McKay, Miss Mesereau, Miss Anderson and Miss Robertson assisted in serving.

WORDY WARFARE.

Roadmaster McKay and Ald. Mitchell, chairman of the Road Committee, had a wordy engagement on Queen Street this morning. The argument arose over the methods used in laying Tarriva and attracted quite a number of eager listeners. It is expected that more will be heard of the matter.

METEOROLOGICAL STATEMENT FOR THE PAST MONTH

Chancellor Jones has issued the following meteorological statement for the month of August for the Fredericton Station.
Mean temperature—63.1 degrees.
Difference from average—1.0 degrees.
Maximum temperature—84 degrees.
Date—25th.
Minimum temperature—38 degrees.
Date—30th & 31st.
Rainfall—3.74 ins.
Difference from average—.2
Heaviest fall in month—2.31 ins.
Hours of bright sunshine—238.
Percentage of possible sunshine—54.
Difference from average—4.
Maximum percentage in one day—93.
Date—1st & 21st.
Days completely clouded—2.
Total wind mileage—4545.
Average velocity per hour—6.1.
Highest days velocity per hour—11.4.
Date—12th.
Direction—W. & N. W.

Judge F. W. Emmerson of Moncton is in the city today.

CITY COUNCIL WILL CONSIDER PALMER CO. PROPOSAL TONIGHT

R. W. McLellan Presented Company's Proposition Last Night—Favorable Consideration Seems Likely.

The City Council in committee last night heard the application of the John Palmer Company, Limited, for aid from the city in the form of a free site, free water, exemption from taxation and a loan of \$10,000. The aldermen discussed the matter and decided to hold another meeting tonight at which representatives of the company will give more detailed information concerning its business. The opinion expressed by the aldermen was that an industry as important as that conducted by the John Palmer Company should be kept in the city, but some of the aldermen desired more information on certain points before making any decision.

THOSE PRESENT

The members of the City Council who were present were His Worship Mayor Thomas, Ald. Hooper, Ald. Mitchell, Ald. Calder, Ald. Osborne, Ald. VanWart, Ald. Walker, Ald. Harrison and Ald. Jewett.

The delegation representing the company was composed of the following gentlemen: R. W. McLellan, W. A. McLellan, Chas. K. Palmer, Edward Moore and John Kilburn.

MR. R. W. McLELLAN

Mr. R. W. McLellan, presented the company's case. He gave an account of the history of the business now conducted by the John Palmer Company, Limited, and spoke of the relations between the company and the Bank of New Brunswick. He stated that affairs had reached such a position that the bank demanded an increase in the company's capital as a condition to its further support. Mr. McLellan stated that with such increased capital the company could erect a new building which would aid in the reduction of the cost of production of the goods manufactured. He stated that for several years past the company had had a surplus each year and that there was no doubt that the business could be made more profitable by the enlargement of the market and the lessening of the cost of production. The company asked for a free site, free water, exemption from taxation for ten years, together with a loan of ten thousand dollars, which would be repaid to the city without interest in a period not less than ten years.

COST WILL BE SMALL

The interest on that amount would be \$500 per year. By the payment of that sum the city could retain an industry which gave employment to a large number of workmen who in turn paid to the city a large amount in taxation. A first mortgage on the company's building would give ample security on the loan as the building would cost \$25,000.

Giving data concerning the company's business Mr. McLellan said that for several years past the weekly wages paid by it would average \$1,000. Up to Saturday last 95 men were employed and of that number 58 were heads of families. Should the factory be closed there was no doubt that the men would seek employment elsewhere.

EARLY DECISION REQUIRED

In reply to the Mayor Mr. McLellan said that the granting of the concessions asked would have great influence on the future of the company and might determine whether or not the business would be carried on.

Mr. Chas. Palmer stated that the number of employees could be increased fifty per cent. if the company were reorganized and the scheme outlined by Mr. McLellan carried out.

Mr. McLellan stated further that a reply from the city was desired within a few days.

After the delegation had withdrawn the aldermen discussed the matter. The fact that concessions had been given the Hartt Boot & Shoe Company was mentioned and the opinion expressed that the aid given that company had been a good investment for the city.

ENGINE JUMPS TRACK; THREE MEN INJURED

A light engine on the Transcontinental Railway, jumped the track near Napadogan this morning and rushed down an embankment.

Three men including driver Bailey, who formerly worked on the Washington County Railway and Edward Logan of Gibson were injured, but how seriously could not be ascertained. The locomotive suffered considerable damage.

Miss Reba Howard of St. Mary's, is the guest of Miss Mary Brophy—Woodstock Sentinel.

LATE DR. H. C. CREED LAID TO REST THIS AFTERNOON

Funeral Largest Seen Here in Years—Under Masonic Auspices and Attended by High Court Officers, I. O. F.—Able Address on Departed by Rev. J. H. MacDonald.

The funeral of the late Dr. H. C. Creed took place this afternoon and was one of the most largely attended that has been seen in the city for some time. The funeral was under the auspices of the Masonic Order, but was also attended by representatives of the High Court, I. O. F., by representatives of the Maritime United Baptist Convention, by the staff and male students of the Provincial Normal School and by church bodies in addition to the general public. All united to pay the last tribute of respect to a man who had been a most exemplary citizen, a prominent churchman and successful educationist.

The funeral left the late residence of the deceased, Charlotte Street, at 3.30 and proceeded to the Brunswick Street United Baptist Church, where service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. H. MacDonald, assisted by Rev. Dr. W. H. Porter, of Toronto, a life-long friend of the late Dr. Creed. Rev. Mr. MacDonald paid tribute to the excellent qualities of the deceased in an address in which he dealt with his career as a teacher, as a citizen and as a member of the church.

REV. MR. MACDONALD'S ADDRESS

The address of Rev. Mr. MacDonald in part was as follows:

"Death has again invaded our ranks and we are today bereft of one who for eight and thirty years was a familiar figure in this church and in this city. It is not my purpose to pronounce eulogy upon the departed. It is the mission of this pulpit to exalt only one—our Lord and Saviour, whose name is above every name. But when a man of outstanding goodness passes away it is the part of wisdom to look at those qualities of mind and heart which have made his life a blessing and which we ourselves may do well to emulate. We may think of Dr. Creed in three relationships in which the salient features of his character stand out, namely, in his profession, in his fellowships and in the church of Christ.

IN HIS PROFESSION.

"Herbert Clifford Creed was born in Halifax, September 23rd, 1843. He received his preparatory training in Halifax Academy, studied for a time at Dalhousie College and afterwards

entered Acadia, from which institution he was graduated in 1865, taking his M. A. degree in 1869. In 1902 he had conferred upon him the honorary degree of D. Litt. by his Alma Mater.

"He chose for his life's work the teaching profession and entering upon his career was in turn head master of the Sydney Academy, principal of the Yarmouth Seminary and principal of the English High School, Fredericton. In 1894 he was appointed on the staff of the Provincial Normal School of this city, and for a period of 35 years continued a member of the faculty of that institution till his retirement a year ago. During the forty years he stood behind the teacher's desk more than 3,000 students passed under his instruction. It is safe to say he led into the devious pathways of knowledge more students than any other teacher in all Canada. Dr. Creed was pre-eminently a scholar. He had the scholar's instincts, the scholar's tastes and the scholar's plodding patience. He began his work in the Normal School in the department of mathematics, but as the years came and went one subject after another was thrust upon him, and it came to pass he had taught not only mathematics, but science, pedagogy, language, literature, elocution, drawing and penmanship. In fact he gave instruction in all subjects in the curriculum save one and that with scholarly ability.

"The late Dr. Theodore Harding Rand recognized in him just the kind of man he needed to supplement his own work and to bring it to completion, so in inaugurating the public school system of the two provinces he sought the help of Dr. Creed to give expression in the work of tabulation of his own great organizing skill. Though the public knows it not, most of the statistical forms and schedules still employed in the school systems of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia were prepared by Dr. Creed.

AMONG HIS FELLOW MEN.

"Dr. Creed could never be classed as a man of the world—indeed he was not worldly-wise. Yet he was an ardent lover of his kind. What means his membership in the fraternal orders and societies to which he belonged. (Continued on page five.)

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