

## LOCAL NEWS

## BANKER RETIRES.

Mr. E. M. Shadbolt, manager of the St. John branch of the Bank of Montreal, announces his retirement from the bank's service on April 30th.

## HYDRO ELECTRIC BILL.

The Hydro Electric Bill is to be before committee tomorrow and great interest is manifested in it. Local people are expected to appear in support of the bill.

## LOCATED AT MCADAM.

Mr. Lawrence White, formerly with C. A. Burchill, druggist, of this city, has purchased the drug business of the late William F. Logan at McAdam, and is now located there. His friends will be pleased to learn that he is prospering.

## FUNERAL AT WAASIS

The funeral of the late Eben H. Nason which took place at Waasis yesterday afternoon was very largely attended. It was under the auspices of Lincoln, L.O.L. the members of which attended in large numbers. The service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Corey. Interment was made at Waasis.

## INVITATIONS TO FIREMEN.

The Fredericton Fire Department has been invited to send representatives to the Tournament and Summer Carnival to be conducted by the Halifax Fire Department at that city August 3 to 8 next. The local firemen also have an invitation to assist the Fire Department of Houlton, Me., in celebration on July 4.

## MAY OPPOSE IT.

There are rumors to the effect that there may be opposition to that portion of the City of Fredericton Election Bill which proposes a two-year aldermanic term, after 1915. It is reported that many citizens are of the opinion that a one-year term would continue to be satisfactory and that there may be organization to oppose the bill before the House.

## AROUND THE HOUSE.

The members of the legislature who spent the week-end at their homes, will return to the city this evening. The House resumes work at eight-thirty o'clock. Hon. John Morrissey who has been confined to his home by illness, is back on the job and may have something to say in reply to the criticism aimed at his department during his absence by Messrs. Swim and Stewart.

## MADE BIG SEIZURE.

Coffin World—Rev. R. H. Starvert of the Dominion Alliance, swore out a warrant this morning authorizing a search of the Intercolonial freight shed for liquor and proceeded to the station with Provincial Constable Broecker. They overhauled barrels and cases, opening all of them that looked suspicious and took possession of seven barrels and fourteen cases, which they carted away. While they were at work a citizen called and got a box containing two cases, removing the goods under their noses without attracting their attention. The seized packages were carted off to the police court.

## DIED LAST NIGHT.

Andrew Murdock, a well known resident of this city passed away last night at his home King Street after a lingering illness. The deceased was aged thirty-two years and is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Murdock, three sons, two daughters and seven sisters. The children are Eugene, Clarence, Joseph, Constance and Kathleen. The sisters are Mrs. Lillian Foster of St. Stephen, Mrs. Joseph Clark of Lewis ton, Me., Mrs. Fred Austin, of Fredericton, and the Misses Grace, Daisy, Dorothy and Alma of this city. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning, leaving the house at 8.45. Solemn High Mass of Requiem will be celebrated by Rev. Father Carney at St. Dunstan's Church at nine o'clock. Interment will be made at the Hermitage.

## LATE COLIN CAMPBELL.

The funeral of the late Colin Campbell took place this morning from his late residence, Brunswick Street, and was largely attended. Solemn High Mass of Requiem was celebrated at St. Dunstan's Church by Rev. Father Carney. Interment was made at the hermitage. The pall-bearers were N. Ivory, John E. Carten, Edward Hurley and J. Fred Ryan. The deceased was eighty years old, and passed away Saturday afternoon from the infirmities of old age. The late Mr. Campbell was a native of Inverness, N. S., and came to Fredericton early in life. He was connected with the Queen Hotel Livery Stables for many years and was well known throughout the city. He had the distinction of driving as coachman all the distinguished members of the New Brunswick Legislature for upwards of thirty years. Three daughters survive. They are Mrs. Daniel Elliott and Miss Ada Campbell of Fredericton and Mrs. A. Hanlon, of Boston who arrived here Wednesday.

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IN ASSESSMENT

City Council Will Consider Matter in Committee Thursday Night—Chief of Fire Dept. Will ask for Improvements

The City Council is to meet in committee Thursday night to discuss various matters connected with the city's business. The assessment for the ensuing year is one of first importance. It is stated that the assessment, which was \$90,000 last year, will be increased by at least \$20,000. The mayor and aldermen will discuss the various items Thursday night. It is probable that the proposal to have a revaluation of property in the city will also be discussed Thursday.

The heavy increase in assessment is not unexpected as various items of public expenditure have been undertaken. The placing in the assessment of an item of \$2,500 as an annual grant for publicity purposes accounts for a portion of the expected increase. The new central fire-station and the new Smythe Street School to be built next summer also add to the assessment. In addition there will be increased expenditure on the schools and increases in certain civic departments may also be made.

## FIRE DEPT. IMPROVEMENTS.

The City Council at Thursday night's meeting will also have before it Chief H. C. Rutter of the Fire Department. Chief Rutter is to ask for various improvements in his department, particularly in the matter of equipment. He will again urge the purchase of a combined motor hose-wagon and chemical-engine. There are other matters which he will bring to the attention of the aldermen.

SCARLET FEVER  
DISCOVERED IN YORK  
STREET SCHOOL

Three Cases in That School--Will be Closed for Disinfection Tomorrow  
---All Schools Will Then Have Been Fumigated

Three cases of scarlet fever have been discovered in primary grades at the York Street School and as a result of the discovery the school will be closed tomorrow to permit of disinfecting under the direction of the Board of Health. The entire building which is occupied by the Fredericton High School, the York Street School and the Manual Training Department is to be closed for the day to permit of complete fumigation.

The York Street School is the last of the four larger schools of the city to be closed for disinfection, scarlet fever having appeared in all of these. The discovery of the cases in the York Street School caused considerable excitement and the school attendance has suffered in consequence. The health authorities claim to be at a loss to discover the source of the disease which seems to be well scattered throughout the city.

## A NEW SECRETARY.

Mr. R. E. Armstrong, editor and proprietor of the St. Andrew's Beacon and one of the cleverest newspaper men in the province, has been appointed secretary of the St. John Board of Trade, in succession to Mr. Hoag, resigned. Mr. Armstrong is a native of St. John and was at one time on the staff of The Globe. He seems to be the right man for the position.

Miss Campbell, of Sackville, is a guest at the Queen.

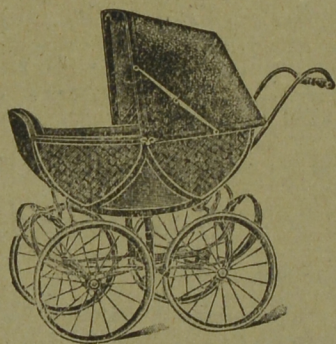
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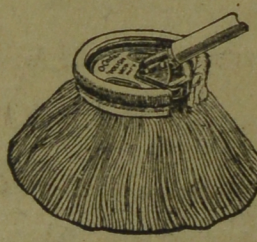
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