

NESBITT ON WITNESS STAND

Toronto, July 27.—Dr. Beattie Nesbitt, former president of the defunct Farmers' Bank, made his long expected appearance in the witness stand when Sir William Meredith resumed the investigation into the affairs of that institution this morning. Under advice of Hartley H. Dewart, K. C., his counsel, Dr. Nesbitt refused to answer questions relating to the bank's affairs after oral examination, owing to the court proceedings against him in connection therewith now pending. In answer to questions as to his familiarity with the bank's affairs previous to organization, Dr. Nesbitt declared that he had no knowledge that any part of the \$30,000 deposited with the government to secure the charter had been borrowed from an institution which Hon. J. B. Stratton was connected. He strongly disapproved of Stratton, and had no idea that such was a fact, he declared. Travers could never have persuaded him to have anything to do with the bank.



DIED.

CHAMBERLAIN—In this city, June 26th, Jennie M., wife of Walter W. Chamberlain, and daughter of the late Nathan and Jenn Clark, of Model Farm, Kings County, leaving besides her husband, four brothers and two sisters to mourn. Funeral at Jubilee, Kings Co., on Friday after arrival of 12.15 train from the city. (Boston and Fredericton papers please copy.)

PARK—In this city on the 27th inst. Thomas Park died suddenly of heart failure, aged 65 years. Funeral from his son's residence, 77 Park street at 2.30 Saturday.

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He believed that the money deposited with the government had been secured in a legitimate way from subscribers, he declared, and knew nothing of any being received in any other way. He disclaimed all knowledge of irregularities.

FOISTS PROGRESSIVE LEGISLATION.

Continued from page one. Belmont and Ryan as despots, interested in their control of money interests. The New York and Virginia delegations of which Belmont and Ryan are members, were challenged to take a poll to see if a majority would not demand their withdrawal. Cheers and hisses from delegates and hand clappings from the galleries greeted the challenge, and the police repeatedly were called upon to quell disturbances.

Representative Flood of Virginia rushed to the platform to answer Ryan, and the cheers were deafening. Flood and Ryan were angrily exchanging during the disturbances. "I for one am not willing that Ryan and Belmont should come here without their attorneys and seek secret conference with the managers of the party," continued Mr. Ryan. No sense of politeness would keep me from protecting my party. "In the name of that sovereign state of Virginia," shouted Flood, "I accept the insolent proposition made by the only man in this convention who wants to destroy democratic success."

The voting began amid confusion and the disorder soon became such as to make the calling of the roll impossible and Chairman James ordered the aisles cleared and the delegates seated.

Excitement High.

Each delegation had gathered in an excited group in an effort to poll the vote. The issue caused an argument in each state's representation. When some semblance of order was restored, the chair ordered the proposition started again, and made it plain that a two-thirds vote was necessary to pass the resolution. The roll call was then begun again. Virginia voted 23-12 aye, 12 no. Then New York was called and the disorder was hushed for a moment as Charles F. Murphy standing in the centre aisle, shouted, New York votes 90 ayes. August Belmont is a member of the New York delegation.

The crowd cheered the announcement. Missouri, Champ Clarke's home state, voted 24 ayes; 2 noes. Regarding the 1-2 vote from Virginia, it was that of Robert Tunstall, Mr. Tunstall announced this himself when there were shouts that it was the vote of Mr. Ryan. After New York and Virginia had voted, half a dozen states demanded an opportunity to "correct" their votes. Indiana shifted 21 votes from the no to the aye column. Several other states endeavored to shift before the end of the roll call. At this time it became apparent that the states were generally shifting to favor the resolution. The conservative leaders went from delegation to delegation, working for delay. Evidently they passed the word that resolution as modified was not objectionable. The success of the proposition then was certain.

BETTER FARMING SPECIAL POPULAR.

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Others again and especially women took the most interest in poultry and here the provincial poultry expert, Seth Jones, demonstrated his special fitness for this important position which he holds by his ability to get close to the people and impart information in such a clear and forcible way as can be readily understood and appreciated. Every farmer is interested in poultry raising and every farmer's wife knows that it pays to keep hens if they are the right kind and are rightly handled. One mission of the agricultural school on wheels is to show farmers of this province how to make poultry keeping profitable and pleasant. One most important feature of the entire exhibit is the interest being manifested by the school children and at every place where stops are made the scholars through the cars and listen to the lecturers with the deepest and most intelligent interest. This is particularly true of the department over which Prof. Lockhead of McDonald College, and Wm. McIntosh, acting provincial entomologist, are in charge, and in which instruction is given on injurious insects, their prevention and control. In this car is an extensive and valuable exhibit of mounted insects which are of never-failing interest to the children. The gentlemen in charge give very full and lucid explanations regarding the injurious insects which are detrimental to the farmer and also point out those which are beneficial.

Brown Tail Moth.

Mr. McIntosh is giving special attention to explanations regarding the brown tail moth which has wrought such havoc to fruit trees in other sections and which has made its appearance in New Brunswick. The manner of distinguishing this moth, how to destroy it and how to prevent it are subjects upon which the children are receiving much valuable information and if no other good was accomplished by visits of the farmers' special than to disseminate information regarding this destructive pest and the manner of its destruction and prevention the expense and trouble of the demonstration train would be well worth while.

When the train arrived at Rogersville at half past four about five hundred people were assembled about the station. The cars were quickly filled, and for two hours they were thronged. Prof. Joe Simard, of Quebec, a graduate of McDonald College, gave an address in French on the subject of soil cultivation and crop-growing. This proved to be one of the best features, and the speaker was congratulated most heartily by his audience, which filled the lecture car to capacity.

Barnaby River was the next stop, and the last for the day. Although it was half past seven when the train arrived here, the police and crowds which assembled at Koshmer meat shops, where a boycott has been in progress for a week, because of high prices. Several persons were slightly injured.

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Agriculture, and W. W. Hubbard, Secretary for Agriculture, accompanied the train today, and by their attendance and assistance contributed to the success of the day.

RUSSIA RECONSIDERS CANAL TO BLACK SEA

London, June 27.—The closing of the Dardanelles, with the losses which this event in the Russo-Italian war has inflicted on Russian commerce, has revived the idea of the construction of a waterway between Riga, the great Russian port on the Baltic sea, and Kherson on the Black Sea. In an article in the Pall Mall Gazette it is stated that there can be little doubt that effect will soon be given to this project.

The stoppage of traffic due to the control by Turkey of the outlet from the Black Sea has forced Russian statesmen to give immediate consideration to the danger and loss to their country which is entailed by the present position of Russia in the Black Sea, and which the construction of the proposed canal would do much to ameliorate.

The route of the canal has already been surveyed by engineers. Its estimated length is 1,700 miles, but this will not be by any means entirely constructed canal way, for the courses of both the Dvina and Dnieper rivers will be followed to a very great extent. The course of the Dvina will be followed from Riga to a point near Vitebsk. From here ten miles of canal way will have to be constructed to Kopya where the junction with the Dnieper will be made. A number of locks will be necessitated at this point as the land lies nearly 400 feet above sea level. From Kopya to Kherson, the terminal on the Black Sea, use will be made of the river Dnieper. The breadth proposed throughout the waterway is 140 feet, with a depth of 14 feet.

The carrying out of this scheme will affect very extensively the commerce of Russia. The grain trade of the Black Sea provinces will find a direct outlet to the Baltic, and the timber of the north of Russia will find its way to Odessa and Kherson and other Black Sea ports in greatly increased quantities.

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Are You Coming Home for the Big Celebration?

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New York, June 27.—Schrs. Neva, Digby, N. S.; Lawson, Eatonville, N. S.

Liverpool, June 27.—Stmr Corsican, Montreal.

OFFERED \$30,000 FOR BOUT

Las Vegas, N. M., June 25.—Hugh McIntosh, the Australian promoter, has written Jack Johnson and offered him \$30,000 for a bout to be fought in Australia within the next year. It is supposed Johnson's prospective antagonist is Sam Langford, though the name of that colored fighter is not mentioned. McIntosh offers to post at once a forfeit of \$10,000 as a guarantee of good faith. Johnson has not decided whether he will accept.

Re-opening of Christ Church Cathedral
Fredericton, June 25.—The formal re-opening of Christ Church Cathedral will take place on Saturday, 24th of August. It is expected that the Duke of Connaught will be in attendance.

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Pongee Silk Dresses, worth \$25.00..... Sale price \$18.00

Pongee Silk Dresses, worth \$12.00..... Sale price \$9.00

100 Black Vicuna Cloth Skirts, worth \$2.50..... for \$1.50

Venetian Cloth Skirts, all colors, worth \$4.50..... for \$2.50

Black Voile Skirts, worth \$12.00..... for \$8.00

Black Voile Skirts, worth \$10.00..... for \$7.00

Black Voile Skirts, worth \$8.00..... for \$5.50

35 Pairs Children's Rompers, worth 50c..... for 39c.

45 Pairs Children's Rompers, worth 75c..... for 49c.

75 Pairs Children's Rompers, worth \$1.25..... for 75c.

100 Ladies' Wrappers, worth \$1.25..... for 79c.

Ladies' Tailored Shirtwaists with fancy front, worth \$1.50, for \$1.00

Ladies' White Lawn Shirtwaists with low neck and short sleeves, worth \$1.50..... for 98c.

200 Net Waists, silk lined, in black, white and cream, worth \$4.50..... for \$2.98

Long Silk Gloves, in black and white, worth 50c..... for 35c.

Long Kid Gloves, in black and tan, worth \$2.50..... for \$1.75

Long Kid Gloves, in black and tan, worth \$1.75..... for \$1.25

300 White Underskirts, worth \$1.35..... for 98c.

White Underskirts, worth \$2.75..... for \$2.00

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Ribbons, all colors, worth 25c..... for 19c.

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