### CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS ADOPT RADIO



The announcement by Mr. W. D. Robb, Vice-President, that the Canadian National Railways will equip all their hotels and transcontinental trains with radio receiving sets and broadcast to them messages, news and programs of entertainment, marks a distinct forward step in radio development. It is the first time that radio has been adopted as a part of the regular service of a rail transportation system. Mr. Robb, who is in charge of the radio department of the National System, is completing plans for the linking-up across Canada of a number of powerful broadcasting stations to be used by the railway in the regular distribution of its radio service. The photograph shows Mr. Robb in Montreal, delivering into the microphone, the instrument which broadcasts the voice by radio waves, a message to Canadian National Railways employees and the general public. This message was heard as far south as Carolina, as far west ar Chicago and as far east as Halifax.

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### HIGHLAND SOCIETY OBITUARY HELD ANNUAL

MEETING

Grants Made to Miramichi Hespital, Protestant Orphanage and For Charitable Purposes.

ed at 11 a.m. with Dr. J B Macthe chair

The Treasurer's report showed Bank of Nova Scotia stock.

The Curling Cup report showed that Newcastle had won over Chatham in 1923 by 20 points

The Annual Grant of \$250.00 the Miramichi Hospital was voted and an extra \$100 to the Building Fund of the Miramichi Hospital. \$25.00 was voted to the Protes-

ant Orhpanage in St. John, N.B. \$100 was voted to the Charitable Committee for 1924 (an increase 1 \$50.00) THEFT HOLE

Byron Fleiger of Chatham; N.B vas the successful candidate for Society's Scholarship at the University of New Brunswick fo

Mr. A.A. Davidson gave a good report of the work done by the Miramichi Hospital and W. A. Park spoke of the entertainment at New Glasgow on the 150th anniversary of the landing of Scots on the Ship Hector at Pictou. The celebration took place last July.

A committee was appointed to Treasurer-D. P. MacLachlan, bring in a report at the next annual meeting re change in time of meeting. Mr. George J Dickson of Chathem was a newly elected mem ber of the Society. ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR 1924

President—Charles Robinson, St. John. Vice-Presidenes-Jas. Stables, A.

G. Dickson; Davd Ritchie. Chaplain-Rev. L.H. MacLean;

## PERSONALS | Croup

JAMES RYAN

The death took place early Thurs day morning of James Ryan of Newcastle, N.B. following an illness treaatment in Dr. Moore's Private Hosof a few days. Deceased went to pital. St. John, a few months ago to spend the winter with his daughter; Mrs. J.A. Brayley; 195 King St., The General Annual meeting of East. He leaves to mourn besides the Highland Society of New Bruns- his wife; three daughters Mrs. A. wick at Miramichi was held at the E. Bernard; Gloucester; Mass; "ramichi Hotel, Newcastle, N.B.; Mrs. J.A. Brayley and Miss Ger-January 13th, 1924. Meeting open trude Ryan of St. John; four sons Wm. and Andrew Ryan of Newcas-Kenzie of Loggieville, president in the; Jas. B. Moncton; and John Washington. Mr. Ryan was a respected citizen of Newcastls and \$541.88 cash on hand and 23 shares has a great number of friends who will learn with regret of his death. ,The funeral took place Saturday morning from the residence of his son-in-law; J.A. Brayley, King St. East to the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception for requiem high mass and to the New Catholic cemetery for interment. Rev. J. Roy officiated at the service.

### MRS. MATTHEW RUSSELL

As we go to press, we have been informed by Mr. John Russell, who has just received a telegram from Vancouver, B. C. stating that his mother. Mrs. 'atthew Russell, died in Victoria B. C. last night. The late Mrs. Russell's many friends in Newcastle ill regret to hear of her passing. Mrs. (Dr) R. Nicholson is a daughter of the late Mrs.

Russell, and the sympathy of the community will be extended to Mr. Russell and Mrs. Nicholson.

Chatham Secretary -Allan J. Ferguson

Mawcastle. Piper-Howard Irving, Loggieville. Representative on Trustee Board Miramichi Hospital —Allan

Davidson, K.C.: Newcastle Charitable Committee-E.H. Sin clair; George Stables; R. Corry Clark; Rev. J.H.A. Anderson; Wm. Wilson; Jas D. Johnston.

U.N..B. Scholarship Committee

W.A. Park: D.P. MacLachlan Directors-Dr. J.B. MacKenzie; W.J.C. Scott; George Dickson; A. Milton Galloway; Wm. Corbett, Jr. Harold Ritchie, James Nicol, Wm. Anderson, Robert Murray, Dr. J.A. M. Bell, Dr. J.D. MacMillan, Claude Brown; Robert Galloway. t.A. Snowball; David Sadier; Ben son Robinson; John Elder; A.T. Ross; Dr. Robt. Nicholson; Logie; John Robinson Jr.: Willi Nicholson: W. A. Park; H.M

A pleasing feature of the gatherin' o Scots was the presentation of a sprig of heather to each member present by the secretary, Allan J. Ferguson which he had received direct from Bonnie Scotland. The annual meeting takes place in Chatham next year.

Ferguson.

## WEDDINGS

LEBANS-STURGEON

At the Manse Doaktown or Dec. 26th. 1923, Elridge Robert Lebans of Blackville. and Mamie Barbara Sturgeon of White Rapids were united in marriage. Rev Alex. Firth performed the cer-

### VICKERS-UNDERHILL

At the Manse Doaktown on January 16th. George Vickers of Blackville, and Alice Underhill of the same place were united in marriage. Rev. Alex. Firth performed the ceremony.



town today on professional busines

Mr W. E. Fish has returned from Stan ley, N. B. where he was undergoing

Miss Annie Corbett left last week for Waverly, Mass, where she will study the nursing profession

The Misses Elizabeth and Ella Parker have gone to N. Y. to spend the balance

Misses Margaret Lawlor of Ottawa and Dorothy Lawlor of N. Y. arrived home last week, owing to the serious illness of their father Mr. J. R. Lawlor.

Mrs. Charles Delano left this morning for St. John, to visit her daughter Nellie who is undergoing treatment in the City Mrs. Andrew Duncan is in town to day n-soute to Boston, Mass where Mr Duncan has accepted a position and where they will reside in future.

Miss Elizabeth S. Gremley, R. N. left on Saturday's Ocean Limited for Montreal, to resume her duties as nurse in the government hospital there.

Mr. Thomas Clarke, manager of the local branch of the Royal Bank of Canada has returned from a three week's vacation spent in Halifax, and has again resumed his official duties at the Royal

Friends of Mr. Joseph E. Petrie of St. John, and well known here, will be pleased to learn that he is making favorable progress towards recovery, after undergoing a serious operation recently at the St. John General Hospital.

Miss Helen Armstrong leaves to morrow for Augusta, Maine, to resume her duties in the Augusta G She will be accompanied by Miss Bella

Russell, who will spend several months visiting her sister Mrs. Wm. Stilkey.

## Here and There

Protection of migratory birds has been added to the duties of the Canadian Pacific Railway's con-stabulary.

Airplanes attached to the On-tario Forestry Department are now equipped with radio sending appa-ratus so that they can keep in con-stant touch with the chief and other rangers.

There was an increase of sixty-three per cent in the number of im-migrants to Canada during the last three months as compared with the corresponding period of last year.

Canadian Pacific agents in Britain recruited mearly five thousand men for work in the harvest fields of Western Canada and, through lack of steamship accommodation closed their doors on as many more who, attracted by the special harvest rate, sought to enter Canada.

The branch lines program of the Canadian Pacific Railway carried out this year will bring into operation on the prairies a larger mileage than any one year since 1914. Of the 481 miles of line under construction, 281 miles will be ready for handling grain in the Fall, and of the balance, 115 miles will be ready for steel by the winter freeze-up.

A building has been acquired by the University of Toronto to be entirely devoted to the manufacture of insulin. This will be the only factory in Canada to manufacture the curative fluid in commercial quantities and, although it is manufactured in the United States, Great Britain and Denmark, the Canadian product will be sold throughout the world.

Dawson City recently celebrated the twenty-seventh anniversary of the discovery of the Klondyke. In an exhibition of Yukon products cabbages 16 inches in diameter and weighing thirty pounds, potatoes as big as a man's head, pumpkins as big as watermelons, wheat, oats and barley bore witness to the fertility of the Yukon soil. Side by side with these ranged gold nuggets, gold dust and silver bars.

Dr. James Inches, Commissioner of Police, Detroit, and a guest at the Canadian Pacific Bungalow Camp at Nipigon, holds the record for the biggest speckled trout caught in the Nipigon Biver this season, having captured a fish weighing 7½ pounds. This catch was above the average, but a large number of six pounders have been taken from the Nipigon this season. Several years ago, and from practically the same place, Dr. J. W. Cook, of Fort William, caught the world's record speckled trout, which weighed fourteen and one-half pounds, and was more than two and a half feet long.

A record was established recently when one of the latest type of Canadian Pacific locomotives drew a train of 42 cars of newspriat, weighing more than 1.100 tons, from the plant of the Abitibi Pulp and Paper Company, North Bay, to Toronto, without mishap. Ordinarily, it would have taken two passenger engines to haul such a load for the 320 miles. After proving its worth by this feat the huge engine, together with an all steel train consisting of the latest model touries, disting and alsoping cars, and a beggage and compartment car, formed part of the Canadian Pacific exhibit at the National Exhibition at Toronto.

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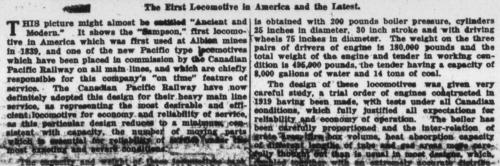
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