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WOULD CRIPPLE TRADE TO CANADA

Opposition to Emergency Tariff Bill is Voiced—Senator Stanley Gives Reason for Belief That it Would be Unwise.

Washington, May 27—(By Canadian Press)—Vigorous opposition to the emergency tariff bill was voiced in the senate recently by Senator Stanley of Kentucky, one of the democratic leaders on the ground that the untimate effect of such legislation would be to cripple trade with Canada.

Senator Stanley warned the senate that the passage of the emergency tariff bill would be the beginning of a war of embargoes. He put into the record tables showing the enormous totals of the commerce exchanged between the U. S. and Canada in recent years and he held it unwise statemanship now to proceed to a policy which would hamper that commerce. The senator said that the fear of the slumping of Canadian wheat upon the U. S. market was the only reason yet assigned in Congress for "this embargo upon Canadian commerce."

"Canada never has and she never can dump any material portion of her grain on the U. S. market" he said, "and if she did it could not appreciably effect the price in this country. The price of wheat in Canada, as in the United States, is necessarily determined by the price of the surplus from each country; this surplus being sold in the same market and under practically identical circumstances, it is a matter of small importance whether it is shipped from Montreal or Chicago. In each case, broadly speaking, it must necessarily bring the Liverpool price, less the cost of transportation.

From 1910 to 1920 inclusive Canada exported to the United States 58,468,248 bushels of wheat. During the same period she imported from us 50,406,748 bushels of wheat leaving a net excess for the ten year period of 8,061,503 bushels. In other words during that period Canada "dumped," on the average, annually into the United States a net excess of about 800,000 bushels. Just how 800,000 or 8,000,000 bushels, could disturb the general level of prices on six or seven hundred million bushels of American wheat is inconceivable."

Dwelling on the magnitude of the trade between the two countries and expressing surprise that the scope of trade was not more fully analyzed by the heads of great enterprises. Senator Stanley said:

"I maintain without the fear of successful contradiction that at this time we are in infinitely greater need of Canadian raw materials than of her markets; that we receive a greater benefit from the things we buy than from those we sell; that of the two, the loss of her imports involves a greater injury to American consumers than even the destruction of our vast export trade to Canada—approximately at this time, one billion annually."

Mr. Stanley read statistics showing that unfinished products sold by Canada to the United States during the year ending June 30, 1920, reached a total value of $253,989,155.

"It is a source of some surprise that the great manufacturing and industrial enterprises have not more earnestly and seriously analyzed the commerce between these great countries.

"Manufactured exports from Canada, consisting principally of iron and steel products, machinery and agricultural implements, amounted in 1920 to $34,112,228.

"On the other hand we exported to Canada in iron and steel manufactures, rolling mill products, machinery, vehicles, engines and agricultural implements a total of $140,272,568.

"The total of American imports for 1920, according to U. S. Department of Commerce figures, totalled $464,029,014, and our exports for the same period reached a grand total of $800,682,849.

"It is claimed that in the face of a sudden emergency the farmer must have instant relief from an inundation of agricultural products from Canada, and that the American consumer is to be impoverished by an excess of cheap foodstuffs for the Dominion. Those who make this claim are ignorant of the nature of this commerce or forget that our exports of agricultural products to Canada vastly exceed our imports.

"In 1920 we shipped to Canada 1,211,831 boxes of oranges valued at $6,006,962; 13,902,863 pounds of prunes, valued at $1,997,914, and 26,881,775 pounds of raisins valued at $4,890,294. Other fruits, fresh and dried shipped into Canada in 1920, amounted to $21,065,619.

For the same period we shipped 10,454,931 pounds of cotton and manufactures thereof, valued at $34,686,810; oil cake and oil cake meal valued at $6,606,854; our exports of tobacco were valued at $9,810,986; out tobacco imports for the same period amounted to $65,876. We exported onions to the value of $465,826, our imports for the same period being $7,389.

"Our total exports of the articles enumerated above amounted to $85,114,545 and our imports to $78,268, giving the U. S. Agriculturist a balance of $84,967,488."

Senator Stanley produced a complete summary of the interchange of agricultural products between Canada and the United States from 1910 to 1920. For the year 1920 this summary showed an excess of U. S. exports over imports of $62,967,488.

"And now," he said, in conclusion, "this half-baked and so-called emergency bill proposes to relieve the farmers and gardeners of the United States by the instant and utter demolition of this splendid balance in their favor."

MARINE NOTES.

The R. M. S. P. Chaleur sailed from Halifax this morning for Bermuda and the West Indies. The Chignecto will leave here tomorrow for Halifax enroute to the West Indies. William Thomson & Company are the local agents.

The Furness liner Digby sailed from Liverpool on May 21 for Halifax via St. John's, Nfld., with passengers and general cargo. Furness Withy & Company are the local agents.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN.

SURPRISE ACT AT OPERA HOUSE

Three Webber Girls Have Something New for Patrons—Lots of Good Comedy.

The new programme at the Opera House tonight should be highly entertaining, as it has a number of pleasing and novel features. The acts will be as follows: The Three Weber Girls, who will present "A Vaudeville Surprise," combining novelty acrobatic feats and some interesting variety dancing; Jones and Johnson, "Darktown's Brightest Entertainers," in a snappy comedy singing and dancing skit; Adele Oswald, who will present a novel singing skit, written by George Rosener, "A Song Cycle of Manhattan"; Sweeney and Rooney, in comedy songs and eccentric dancing, a great mixture of mirth, melody and motion; Jack McGowan, "The Man of the Hour," in a comedy monologue. There will also be another episode of the serial drama "Bride 14," and a Pathe Weekly.

Missing Maidens.

(Los Angeles Times.)

More than 65,000 girls were reported "disappeared" last year in America. Doubtless a majority of them merely answered the call of sex and left the old home and family ties of their own volition. At the same time, this is a very heavy toll to be taken from the roll of known and numbered and placed in the column of the missing. Books and plays have been written about "why girls leave home"; but there is no break in the outgoing procession. Taking the country as a whole, more than 200 young women disappear from their usual haunts every day in the year. A generation ago the complete disappearance of any girl of good parentage might become a country-wide sensation. Now the belle of the town may absolutely disappear without leaving much more than a ripple. She has either run away with a sweetheart, gone to the big city for a career or sought a job in the movies. In either case she has seen fit to sever the family tie and possibly take another name. But there is still an army of lost ones who are not so favored and have passed forever from the recognition of their kindred. It is to lessen this sad toll that reclamation measures are now sought and desired. Can every mother answer the question: "Where is Mary tonight?" If the parents were of the old-fashioned kind they would keep tabs on Mary a bit better. Mary isn't wild, but maybe she is lonesome. Directly or indirectly the parents are themselves to blame for at least half of this shocking toll of missing maidens.

QUEBEC CHURCH BURNED

St. Chrysostome, Que., May 27—The beautiful Catholic church here was destroyed by fire last night. Built sixty years ago, it was valued at $100,000.

THE DOLLAR TODAY.

New York, May 27—Sterling exchange weak. Demand 387 1-2; cables 388 1-4. Canadian dollars 11 per cent. discount.

Ottawa's Fire Chief Dead.

Ottawa, May 27—Fire Chief Graham died here early this morning.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents.

BIRTHS

QUINLAN—To Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Quinlan, May 22nd, 1921, at 192 Guilford street, St. John West, a son.

MARRIAGES

CAMPBELL-FORBES—At St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, St. John, N. B., on May 27, by the Rev. F. S. Dowling, Algar Finlay Campbell, of Western Australia, to Bessie Lovatt Forbes, of this city.

DEATHS

MUCKLER—At his residence, 31 Carleton street, on May 26, 1921, Frank A. Muckler, leaving his wife, one child, his parents, two brothers and one sister to mourn.

Funeral on Saturday morning at 9.15 to the Cathedral for Requiem High Mass. Friends invited.

MELVIN—Suddenly, at Lawrence, Kan., on May 23, Alice Melvin, eldest and beloved daughter of Dr. Geo. G. Melvin of Fredericton, N. B.

Notice of funeral later.

FAULKNER— At the residence of H. G. Enslow, No. 144 Leinster street, on May 26th, Eliza Faulkner, widow of Captain B. Faulkner, Halifax, leaving one daughter, Mrs. H. G. Enslow, to mourn.

Funeral took place this afternoon.

DOUGHERTY—At her residence, 248 Duke street, West End, on May 27, 1921, Persis, beloved wife of William H. Dougherty, leaving her husband, one son and one brother to mourn.

Notice of funeral later.

EVANS—At Hamilton Mountain, Queens county, on May 25, Thomas, son of the late John and Mary Evans, of Milford, leaving to mourn four brothers and two sisters.

Funeral Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from the residence of his brother, William, to St. Rose's church for requiem high mass.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Anderson and daughter wish to thank all friends and relatives, for sympathy and kindness shown in their recent sad bereavement, and also those who sent floral tributes.

WEST SIDE HOME BAKERY

127 Union street. Baked beans, 18 cents pint. Steamed brown bread, 10 and 15 cents a loaf. Full line strictly home cooking. Pure milk in sanitary sealed bottle, 10 cents a quart. 'Phone West 29. 5-30

LOCAL NEWS

NOT HER SON.

The Times is requested to state that the young man who is variously named Furlong and Ritchie is not a son of Mrs. Thomas Furlong, 259 Germain street.

SQUAD COMMITTEES

The committee meetings of the Anglican Synod, were concluded this afternoon with a meeting of the executive presided over by Bishop Richardson.

APPRAISE FIRE DAMAGE.

Captain A. J. Mulcahy has been appointed representative of the fire underwriters to appraise the loss sustained yesterday by fire and water to the cargo in the steamer Canadian Trader.

MR. TWEEDDALE HERE.

Hon. J. F. Tweeddale, chairman of the New Brunswick Board of Liquor Vendors, arrived in the city at noon today to confer with other members of the board.

TRIBUTE TO JUDGE WHITE.

The flag outside the American Consul's office is flying at half-mast on account of the death of Chief Justice White, which occurred on May 19. It is the custom in cases of this kind to carry the flag at half-mast for thirty days.

COUNTY COURT.

Donald Owens was found guilty of escaping from the Boys' Industrial Home at the session of the county court this morning. The case of Owens and Levine on other charges is being proceded with. W. M. Ryan appeared for the crown.

FOR BRIDE TO BE

About thirty girl friends of Miss Elizabeth Chapman gathered last evening at the home of Miss Luella Folkins and tendered a novelty shower to Miss Chapman, in honor of her approaching marriage. She received many useful and beautiful gifts, and the evening was spent in games and dancing. Towards midnight refreshments were served.

BOY INJURED

Norman Alderman, young son of E. Alderman, 65 Chesley street, while playing about one of the wharves on the Strait Shore last evening, fell over and struck his head on the rocks. He fell about twelve feet and received a rather nasty cut over one eye. Dr. L. M. Curren found it necessary to take four stitches. The lad was conveyed to his home where he was reported to be resting easily today.

MRS. ELIZA FAULKNER.

The death of Mrs. Eliza Faulkner, wife of the late Captain B. Faulkner, occurred yesterday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. H. G. Enslow, 144 Leinster street. Mrs. Faulkner was a resident of Halifax for many years but had lived in this city with her daughter for the last four years. She leaves to mourn one daughter, Mrs. Enslow, and a host of friends. The funeral took place this afternoon from her daughter's residence.

MRS. WILLIAM H. DOUGHERTY.

The death of Mrs. Persis Dougherty, wife of William H. Dougherty, took place at her residence, 248 Duke street, West St. John, this morning. She leaves to mourn, besides her husband, who for years was employed in the Customs House, one son, William, and one brother, John Seeley, all of this city. She was a life-long resident of the West Side, and the sympathy of many friends will be extended to the bereaved relatives.

PERSONALS

Mrs. F. T. Eldridge, of Eastport, Me., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Kenneth E. Fairweather, Britain street.

Miss Walsh, V. O. N. for the West St. John district, is back on duty after three months sick leave.

Thomas Nagle left last evening for Montreal and New York.

H. Price Webber left yesterday for his home in Augusta (Me.), but is expected to return to St. John in about two weeks.

J. H. Conlon of the marine and fisheries department, Ottawa, arrived in the city yesterday to spend a few days with his parents.

Mrs. George W. Stegman returned yesterday from St. Stephen.

Hon. William Pugsley arrived in the city today from Ottawa to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Josephine E. Humphrey. He was accompanied by Mrs. Pugsley.

H. J. Doore of St. Stephen arrived in the city today on a visit to his son, Dr. J. C. Doore.

H. S. Adams, of the headquarters staff, Atlantic Sugar Refineries, Ltd., Montreal, arrived in the city this morning.

J. Willard Kitchen of Fredericton, is in the city.

RED CROSS HOSPITAL COMMITTEE.

Reports of committees were presented this morning at a meeting of the hospital committee of the Red Cross, with Mrs. J. V. Anglin in the chair. The treasurer reported expenditures for the month of $265.97. There were also reports from Mrs. W. P. Bonnell, Mrs. E. R. Taylor, Mrs. W. H Shaw. A vote of thanks was passed to Charles McDonald for American beauty roses sent to the hospital. It was anounced that each patient at East St. John had received a card from Mrs. F. B. Ellis in Italy. A vote of sympathy in her bereavement was passed to Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley.

BECAME MEMBERS OF THE N. S. GOVERNMENT

Halifax, N. S., May 27—D. A. Cameron, K. C., and J. W. Comeau, were sworn in today as members of the executive council.

BRIAND WINS IN CHAMBER BY A BIG MAJORITY

(Canadian Press Despatch)

Paris, May 26—The Chamber of Deputies today endorsed the government's policy on German reparations payments by the substantial vote of 419 against 171.

This followed a three days' debate in which Premier Briand championed the government's attitude on the Silesian and other important foreign questions.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

The following real estate transfers have been recorded:

Elizabeth A. Doig to H. O. R. Bealey, property in Lancaster.

F. L. Foley to C. H. Townshend, property in Wright street.

A. C. Jarding, trustee, to A. Wakim, property in Brussels street.

W. A. Nelson to Wing Hem. property in Fairville.

Annie L. Peterson to D. Carleton, property in King street.

St. John Real Estate Co. to J. E. Beyea, property in Garden street.

Sterling Realty Co. to G. D. Burkee, property in Water street west.

Ellen Tait and others to W. M. Sherwood, property in Brookville.

Kings County.

W. L. Belyea to G. S. Harvey, property in Greenwich.

Heirs of John Burgess to Beckwith McKnight, property in Studholm.

W. H. Brantness to Welton Goddard, property in Cardwell.

P. E. Cowan to Susie M. Gillies, property in Springfield.

Harry Fowler to A. L. Kierstead, property in Springfield.

Alfred Gorham to W. L. Belyea, property in Greenwich.

R. G. Haley to John Gallagher, property in Westfield.

John Jameson to A. W. Robinson, property in Norton.

John Kirkpatrick to C. C. McAvity, property in Rothesay.

Soldiers Settlement Board of W. H. Brantnell, property in Cardwell.

RECORD DROP IN DAIRY PRODUCE

(Sussex Record.)

There was a record breaking drop in the price of cheese and butter at the meeting of the New Brunswick Cheese and Butter Board held in the Agricultural School building, Sussex, on Thursday afternoon, the 19th inst. There were 509 cheese boarded, and some butter. Penobsquis, Pearsonville, Norton, Lower Ridge, Cornhill Corner and Cornhill C. & B. cheese sold for 14½ cents; Collina, Belleisle, Havelock and Head of Millstream, fourteen cents. The very best price the auctioneer could extract from them for the choice creamery butter boarded was twenty-seven cents. The offering of the Petitcodiac factory was disposed of at that figure, but Victoria Mills did not sell. The prices obtained for cheese and butter at last week's Board meeting were in marked contrast to that of the Board meeting held last year on May 21st. At that meeting P. M. Proctor of Smith & Proctor, Halifax, paid thirty cents for cheese and 57½ cents for all the butter offered.

HARDING CONSULTS BIG MONEY MEN

Washington, May 27.—A meeting of "best financial minds" has been inaugurated by President Harding and his advisers as a means of considering the industrial outlook, with particular reference to the question of extending further loans of United States capital to foreign governments.

The foundation for a series of discussions on these subjects was laid at a White House dinner on Wednesday night. With Secretary Mellon of the treasury and Secretary Hoover of the commerce department, the president had as his guests J. P. Morgan, Paul Warburg and a half dozen other men of great influence and power in financial circles.

LOCAL BASEBALL

St. Peter's and the Pirates will meet in the City League fixture on St. Peter's diamond this evening. The line-up of St. Peter's will be: Dever, catcher; Corvec, pitcher; McGovern, first base; Mooney, second base; O'Regan, third base; Gibbons, short stop; Doherty, left field; Riley, centre field; Callaghan or Milan, right field.

The Western Union baseball nine were defeated yesterday afternoon on St. Peter's diamond, the C. P. R. Telegraph team winning by 14 to 6. The game went five innings. During the first four innings the game was very close and some good plays were made by both sides. The score at the end of the fourth inning was 4 to 3 in favor of the Western Union, but in the fifth the balloon went up. Cullinan got a pass, Henneberry followed with a single, sending Cullinan to third; McLaughlin followed with a three base hit, scoring Cullinan and Henneberry. Henneberry also got a three bager with two men on bases. The Western Union got two runs in their half of the inning, when, with two on bases, Hunter poked the ball to deep centre for a two base hit. The features of the game were the fielding and batting of Judge, who secured three hits out of four times up. Henneberry did well in the box as well as at the bat, having four hits to his credit. Lannen and Langbein made some good catches in the field. The line-up follows:—

Western Union—Cox, c.; Beckett, p.; McLellan, 1st b.; Connor, 2nd b.; Campbell, 3rd b.; Bailly, s.s.; Stanton, c. f.; Hunter, l.f.; Langbein, r. f.

C. P. R.—Flaherty c.; Henneberry, p.; Judge, 1st b.; McLaughlin, 2nd b.; McCormack, 3rd b.; Atkinson, s.s.; Lannen, l. f.; Cullinan, c. f.; Pearman, r. f.

The North End Victors defeated the Millidge Avenue Stags on the Victoria Square diamond last evening, 1 to 0. The batteries were:—For the winners, Cowans and McCormack; losers, Trice and Curran.

President Pilsudski has accepted the resignation of Prince Eugene Sapicha as minister of foreign affairs of Poland. John Dombski, under secretary for foreign affairs, has been named interim minister.

PLEBISCITE ON THE HARBOR ON AUGUST 1

(Continued from page 1).

Mr. Bullock said that the question should be decided at once. He said in these days when traffic through the harbor was not up to the average, little hope could be held out for an increase. Although Hon. Mr. Ballentyne said he would do what he could for the port regarding the ferry, the matter was not mentioned in the act and he thought that the city could only take as authoritative the words of the act.

He said Quebec had a deficit of $500,000 in interest alone last year and the government had apparently taken care of it. The people there were not worry about it, so he thought that this city should not worry under similar conditions.

He moved the following resolution:—

Whereas the question or harbor commission has been before the people for a long time; and

Whereas, the government under date of July 7, 1919 passed an act relating to the harbor of St. John, wherein they agree to take over all the city's rights, powers, titles and interest in the harbor for the sum of $2,000,000, and appoint a board of commission to administer and have control of the harbor property and privileges; and

Whereas, the matter is of importance, and by act of the legislature is subject to a vote of the ratepayers, be it therefore

Resolved that a plebiscite be taken for or against harbor commission on Monday, August 1, next and that the mayor prepare a brief statement of the terms upon which the said harbor property and privileges are to be conveyed to His Majesty, and that all previous resolutions on the matter be rescinded.

Commissioner Jones said the harbor had been operated since 1785, but was not being operated to advantage. Between 1915 and 1919 the harbor had been operated at a loss, and he thought the government should be allowed to operate it. He understood that the government intended to nationalize the port as it had done with Montreal, Quebec and Vancouver harbors. The only thing he did not like was the fact that if the charges did not pay the cost, the commission would raise the charges, but the city would have to do the same if it retained control.

Commissioner Thornton said he was not in favor of the bill as it stood, particularly regarding the ferry rights and the boundaries which extended from Green Head to Red Head. No provision he said, had been made regarding the rates. "What would happen," he asked, "if the rates discriminated in favor of Halifax?" He thought also that the city should have the assurance that the commissioners should be local men.

Regarding the deficits in harbor revenue, Mr. Thornton said the city had been called upon for some heavy expenditures during the last few years.

He said that the city should deal with the bill itself and disregard any provisions made by Hon. Mr. Ballentyne or any other man. He thought Mr. Ballentyne's promises should have been incorporated in the bill.

Regarding plebiscites, he said that when daylight saving was up, only about one-third of the people turned out. He present act before the electors. Unless the council could do this he did not think the electors should be asked to vote on it. He thought that with a minister of the crown representing St. John, the amendments could be obtained now as well as at any time.

Regarding the 1911 agreement, the mayor said the C. P. R. was willing to put in added facilities just so soon as traffic warranted it, but that they were not necessary at the present time.

Commissioner Frink said that he would not stand in the way of having the people express their opinion on the matter. He was not prepared to express his own opinion on the bill at the present time.

Commissioner Thornton said if the bill was put before the people and voted down, that settled the matter so far as the city was concerned. If the people voted in favor of it, it was the duty of the city, he thought, to put the bill into effect.

Commissioner Frink said the agreement of 1911 stood as an act, and the obligations of the government were carried out until 1916, since when nothing had been done, and he thought that since the matter of harbor commission was brought up the 1911 agreement seemed to have been forgotten. He said if the people voted against commission, the 1911 agreement would stand; otherwise he took it that the 1911 agreement would be superceded.

The mayor said he did not see why the matter could not be revived at some future time if the people voted against it now.

Commission Frink said that when Hon. Wm. Pugsley was minister of public works he expressed dissatisfaction with a proposal for harbor commission made by the council in 1919, believing it was unsound and unwise; that shipping entering the port of St. John should be saddled with financial obligations which would be not only burdensome to the ships but would drive away the ships to a cheaper port.

The resolution was put and carried, Commissioner Thornton being the only member voting "nay."

IN WALL STREET.

New York, May 27—(10.30)—Dealings were dull with irregular price changes at the opening of today's market. Attendance of members on the floor of the exchange was unusually light in anticipation of the impending protracted recess. Rails and oils were the firm features, especially Chicago and Northwestern, St. Paul preferred, Mexican and Pan-American Petroleums, General Asphalt and American Linseed. Motor, tobacco, sugar and leather issues were lower by fractions to a point. Preliminary exchange quotations on London indicated a further reaction. Brokers looked for continuance of yesterday's high money rate.

BROTHER'S KEEPER OR PUBLIC ENEMY?

(By the Executive Officer of the Massachusetts-Halifax Health Commission.)

One constantly hears charges of personal liberty being curtailed when the welfare of neighbors demand restriction of their actions. Usually the complaining individual is the first to insist that his neighbor be restrained under similar conditions. Any community contemplating a modern health programme must resort at times to drastic measures, and exact of individuals what may seem at times curtailing of liberty. This must be done when the protection of the masses demands that such action be taken. Liberty unrestrained often leads to license.

Quarantine for the various infectious diseases is a typical form of restriction to which the loud shouting claimant of individual liberty objects if applied to himself, but demands that it be executed of his neighbor. Nuisances detrimental to health must often be handled at the curtailment of individual liberty. The man who pollutes the air of his premises of his neighbor's premises by maintaining a foul-smelling nuisance must not be allowed the liberty of annoying his neighbor. For civic reasons we often require the removing of an "eye-sore" even though the preacher of individual liberty insists upon the right to do as he pleases with his own property.

The principle enunciated by Blackstone is as applicable today as when enunicated, "Use your own that you will not injure another." It seems strange that people, otherwise worthy, should permit selfish interests or carelessness to keep them from doing their duties as good citizens. No doubt the ignorant or careless citizen often has no real appreciation of the dangers arising from his neglect and carelessness. The good citizen, the worth-while citizen, always co-operates with the health authorities, and sets a good example by trying to comply with any restrictions imposed. He follows the golden rule whether it be to limit the spread of a contagious disease or abate a nuisance, that might directly or indirectly breed or promote disease.

When the public fully appreciate that the man who maintains a manure heap for more than ten days in the vicinity of his dwelling house in a city or town is a public enemy by such conduct, that such person directly contributes toward the death of infants, health authorities will not have so much difficulty in having manure removed from the city twice a week, say from the middle of May to the first of November. It is well known that this simple procedure in handling manure will certainly and definitely so reduce the fly population of the community that serious diseases will be prevented among infants and young children, and many fatalities will be averted. "Am I my brother's keeper" or am I a public enemy? Let each householder apply the lesson to himself and keep his premises accordingly.

FOREST FIRES

(Special to Times.)

Fredericton, N. B., May 27—Forest fires have been reported on the Yoho stream in York county, and at Dumbarton, Charlotte county. Fires on the Richibucto Road, Kent county have been put out.

Two fires have been reported from Gloucester county. One on Big River has been put out. Another has been reported on the Tetengouche.

F. Leslie Wood, recently appointed to the New Brunswick Dept. of Agriculture, is ill in Guelph, Ont.

Gerald Herbert Allen, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Allen of Bridgewater, MaMine, died on Thursday at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Stevens.

SEND RIFLE TO ELDON MERRITT IN THE ARCTIC

Early in the week a communication was received by Rev. G. A. Kuhring from Eldon Merritt, formerly of this city, but now of the Anglican mission in the Arctic circle, 1,000 miles east of the Mackenzie river, among the copper Eskimos discovered by the great explorer Stefansson. In his letter Mr Merritt asked for a rifle to be sent him. Canon Kuhring placed the request before the congregation of Stone Church with the result that the necessary amount was quickly subscribed and the rifle sent away. Miss Evelyn Roberts, daughter of L. H. Roberts, Garden street, left on Sunday night for Ottawa en route to join the mission. Miss Roberts was formerly a missionary in India.

QUEENSTOWN IS ISOLATED

Belfast, May 27—Queenstown was completely cut off from communication with the surrounding districts. The wires have been cut.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, May 27—Opening: Wheat, May 1.66; July 1.26 1-2. Corn, July 68 1-8; Sept. 65 3-8. Oats, July 40 5-8; Sept. 42 3-8.

"UNCLE RUBE" TONIGHT.

Don't forget 4 act play, "Uncle Rube", City Hall, West St. John, tonight. Under auspices of St. Columba Y. P. S. C. of Fairville.

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