

THREE SECTIONS OF VALLEY ROAD READY THIS FALL

121 Miles May Be Operated

Chief Engineer Sees No Difficulties in Completing the Road from Gagetown to Centreville By Oct. 1, and L. C. R. Beginning the Service.

Fredericton, April 8—The Valley Railway, according to present expectations, will be completed and under operation from Centreville, Carleton county, to Gagetown, Queens county, by Oct. 1...

MARITIME HORSE SHOW AT AMHERST

Many Entries of High-Class Steeds from Various Districts

NO FORMAL OPENING

Some of the Prize Winners—Eleven-Year-Old Son of Nappan Station Master Struck by Train He Was Trying to Cross in Front Of, and He Died in Amherst Hospital.

Amherst, N. S., April 8—The fourth Maritime Horse Show opened here this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The trains today carried large crowds of exhibitors and horse lovers to this city and the indications point to a most successful show.

There was no formal opening in connection with the show other than to exhibit the horses in the different classes. Frank Power, of Halifax, acted as announcer and as usual, his services were very satisfactory.

CIVIL SERVICE "REFORM" IN CAPE BRETON

More Facts About Hazen's Efforts to "Purify" Politics

PLEADS IGNORANCE

Minister of Marine Says He Didn't Know That Capt. A. Landry, Rejected for One Job Because He Was a Forger and Capt. Andrew Landry Appointed Wharfinger About the Same Time, Were One and the Same Person.

Ottawa, April 5—Once again have the Tories and Nationalists united to express their complete approval of the manner in which Captain Andrew Landry, the convicted forger, of Desoussa, was appointed to government office while still in jail, and then liberated, apparently, so that he could take up his post as wharfinger.

This complaint was brought up by G. W. Kyte, Liberal member for Richmond (N. S.), since it was at the solicitation of his defeated Tory opponent, J. A. Landry, that the scandal arose, owing to the government's plan of helping defeated candidates by giving them local patronage and the influence to remove Liberal office holders to make room for their own friends.

Mr. Kyte produced letters and documents to show that in December, 1911, Captain D. R. Boyle, an efficient, but Liberal, fisheries inspector, was summarily dismissed on the usual charge of partisanship. He was dismissed by Mr. Gillis, who asked that Captain Landry be substituted. A few days later Father Boucher, parish priest at Desoussa, wrote Hon. Mr. Hazen, protesting against this.

DEATH OF FORMER CHIEF JUSTICE TUCK TUESDAY

Had Reached Age of 82—On the New Brunswick Bench for Twenty-three Years, and Was Chief Justice for Eleven Years.

Fredericton, April 11—The late Chief Justice Tuck died at his residence, 86 Orange street, yesterday at the age of 82.

He had been failing in health for nearly a year and on Tuesday morning took a turn for the worse, although he was able to get up and around for a while each day even up till Monday, last night it was seen that he was gradually sinking and the end came about 8.30 o'clock yesterday morning.

His family consists of a wife and two sons and two daughters. The sons are: Hon. William Henry Tuck, formerly chief justice of New Brunswick, died at his residence, 86 Orange street, yesterday at the age of 82.

On June 5 following Landry was convicted on four charges of forgery, and sentenced to a year in jail. Several days before this sad event on application of the judge, the Conservative candidate, Captain Poitier, a Liberal, was deprived of his contract for the carriage and harness business at Desoussa and the carriage was turned over to Captain Landry, the pay being \$1,000 a year.

Such a crime as a false sentence, however, was not allowed to deprive the country of his services, and his friends arranged that he would soon be free and back on the job. The department made arrangements to re-engage him, but the local patronage monger was taking delay in making the arrangement to be home in a few days. This was less than a month after Landry started his sentence.

Then the department of justice came in. Petitions were sent the minister demanding that Landry's family need his support, and that his health was so bad he might die unless immediately released for medical operation. No particular effort was made to discover the facts, and on Aug. 3, Landry was released by Hon. Mr. White, acting minister of justice, thus serving 69 days instead of a year.

With freedom came a marvelous recovery. Instead of going to a hospital to have his life saved by an operation Landry hastened to Desoussa and started work as wharfinger, his first step being to send out a bill for \$20, which he offered on behalf of the government to compensate for his spot cash. Shortly after he dropped the government service and went on his job at the Sydney Steel Works, where his health was no indication of danger which so opportunely rescued him from jail.

On Oct. 13, 1898, Judge Tuck entered the law office of L. A. Wilton, in Fredericton, as a student at law, and only two days later he began his public career by taking an active part in the election of Mr. Wilton. For the fifty-six years since he has always had an active part in public life.

He was elected to the position of chief justice of the province in 1902, and held the office until his death. He was a member of the first legislature of the State of Maine. The father of Judge Tuck coming from that state, was a resident here for upwards of half a century.

WILSON PLEADS FOR HIS POLICES ON SENATE FLOOR

CUT TO PIECES BY C. P. R. TRAIN

President Breaks Precedent 112 Years Old

Walter Saunders of Halifax Fell from Freight Car Under the Wheels

WAS STEALING A RIDE

Companion Fared Better, as He Rolled Down an Embankment and is Now in Woodstock Lockup Charged With Drunkenness—Pathetic Letter of Mother on Body of Victim.

Distinguished Audience Hears Him Declare for a New Deal in Legislation and Laws That Will Give Equal Rights to All and Special Favors to None.

Washington, April 8—President Wilson today bridged the gap that for more than a century has separated the public galleries crowded with privileged ticket holders, by seeming after all what he said he was "A human being trying to co-operate with other human beings in a common service."

When the much-heralded incident was over, congress seemed pleased and the president was delighted. He expressed himself to friends as impressed with the dignity of the occasion, and some of his confidants later declared that he left the capitol greatly relieved to think that, after all, his presidential-making had not been so cataclysmic as some older heads predicted.

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LARGE GAIN IN EXPORTS TO THE U. S. FROM HERE

Report of American Consul for Quarter Ended March 31 Shows Increase of \$124,546.57.

The exports from St. John to the United States during the quarter ended March 31, 1913, show an increase of \$124,546.57 over the corresponding period of 1912.

Quarter Ended March 31, 1913.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity, Value. Includes Fish, Lumber, Wool, etc.

"After this pleasant experience," the president declared, "I shall feel quite normal in all our dealings with one another."

As those words fell from the president's lips the house and senate applauded. Then the president's daughter and other representatives joined from the executive gallery, Ambassador Bryce, of England, looked on with evident interest. So did Ambassador Jusserand, of France, and other representatives from other nations. Where a few moments before the event had seemed unusual, almost unreal, it now appeared perfectly adjusted to conditions and not at all dramatic.

REV. R. H. STAVERT HEARD IN CHATHAM

Presbytery of Miramichi Called to Raise \$8,000 for Church Purposes.

The services of R. H. Stavert, of Harcourt, were greatly appreciated by the congregation of St. Andrew's church yesterday. Mr. Stavert preached two exceptional sermons full of evangelical fervor, and his presentation of the duty of the church in its relation to home and foreign missionary enterprises at the evening service was regarded by the congregation as a masterpiece.

"How did the moving picture of the wedding fare?" "Oh, splendidly. They caught the bride when she was knocked unconscious by being hit with an old shoe, so that it is just as natural as life."

ad Blood... Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

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SOAP... Easy Home Dye... Colors are even, free

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PROVINCIAL PERSONALS

Richibucto Review—Dr. Townsend, specialist of River Glade Sanatorium, was in town last week. Mrs. Alex. Leggat, of St. John, is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. William Bell. G. A. Hutchinson, visited St. John last week. A. E. O'Leary visited St. John last week. Miss Debble J. Lamont, of Harcourt, left for St. John last week. Rev. R. H. Stavert left for St. John, Saturday, when he held service Sunday.

POINT DU CHENE-SUMMERSIDE SERVICE OPENS

Moncton, April 8 (Special)—Steamer Empress made her first trip of the season today between Summerside and Point du Chene and the boat will begin daily trips tomorrow. This is one of the earliest dates in years for the opening of the Summerside-Point du Chene route. Last year the steamer made the first trip to Point du Chene April 23.

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