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In the Evening. This was followed by a meeting in the evening in Beveridge Hall, at which there was an attendance of fifty-four. Donald Innes presided. W. W. Hubbard opened the meeting with a short address, urging the importance of more live stock husbandry. If, he said, the hay and grain with the ad-dition of a few turnips now raised in Victoria county farm, was fed to stock, potato growing could be con-tinued as largely as at present and mich more economically. A half ton of fertilizer per acre when coupled with the application of barnyard manure to the previous crops, would give surer crops of potatoes and better maintain the soil than a ton applied under present conditions. The farm-er would then, by having other strings to his bow, be somewhat independent of low markets. He would not have bis ceres all in the one basket. he to his bow, be somewhat independent of low markets. He would not have his eggs all in the one basket, he would give more employment. The feeding of all the hay and grain grown in Victoria and Carleton counties to good stock would, he said, treble the population of those counties with all that would mean in the increase of general business.

Tables were then spread by the la-dies of the Andover Agricultural Soci-ety and a bountiful repast served to all in attendance.

In the Evening.

stream, to discuss soil cultivation, said Mr. The object of cultivation, said Mr. Illoit, were to make a seed bed bring at the fertility of the soil to the lant and to conserve moisture brough the dry portion of the sea-

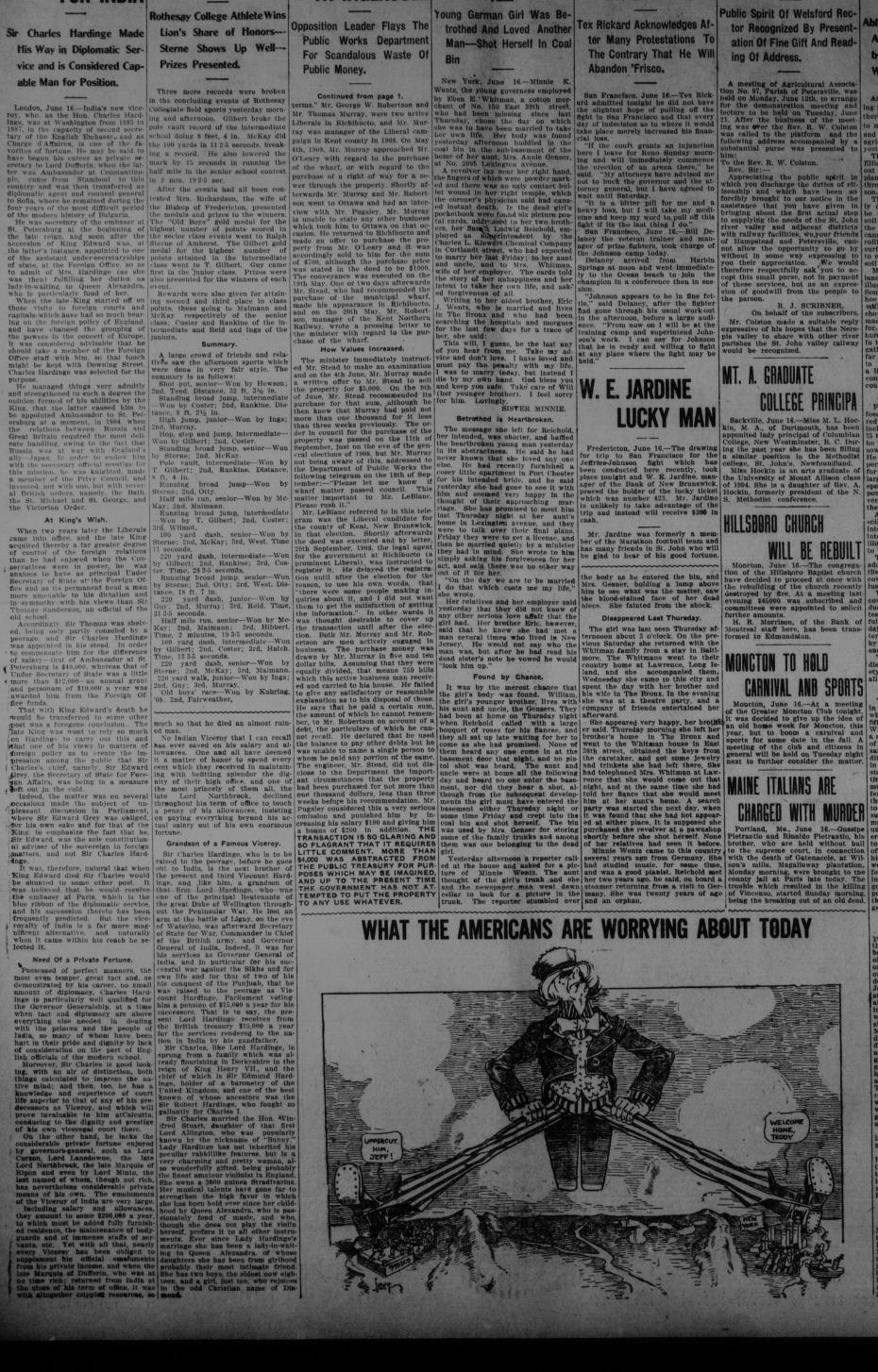
hrough the dry portion of the sea-on. The soil should be worked until finc-y divided and loose, then it should be compacted as unless the worked soil is pressed closely against the the sub-soil the moisture from below cannot come up to the plants. After orling, however, for this purpose, the surface of the soil should be harrowed to make a soil mulch and prevent the soil mosture from evaporating. Mr. Jamers had prepared a plece of and for turnip seeding and Mr. Elliot Illustrated his talk as he went along Some drills were made with the hors hoe and Mr. Elliott then made som with a single mvid board plow showing why he preferred the dri made by one trip of the single plov for.a seedbed, to that made with horse het or double mould board plow In the latter case the surface soil wa

for.a seedbed, to that made with a horse hot or double mould board plow. In the latter case the surface soil was gathered up in a loose heap and was far too open for the small turnly seed. in the former case there was only a little loose earth thrown upon the compacted soil and a firm seedbed could be had.

Wider For Heavy Crops.

Great Opportunities

. Mr. Elliott spoke of the great op-portunities before the farmers of



the St. John valley. He had, he said, been in nearly all the river valleys of North America, and there was not one in his opinion, that for scenery, or for opportunities of agricultural development, compared with the St. development, compared with the St. John. He strongly urged more live stock as a necessary adjunct to profit-able farming and with this must go an intelligent rotation of crops. Clover was the great soil rejuvenator that should have a place in every rotation. Mr. Elliott went finto many practical details and concluded an eloquent ad-dreas by warmly recommending the adoption of the Women's Institute or-ganization in the province. This or-ganization of the Women's fustitute or-ganization any other agency. The farm home was the basis of the country's prosperity and the women who understood its best management would raise a generation of boys and girls that would prefer farm life to any other. Wednesday Messrs, Elliott and Hubbard held a similar meeting at Cassville and on Thursday at Cen-treville On Friday an evening meet-ing will be held at Debec with an afternoon and evening meeting at Harvey.

Away on European Tour.

Away on European Tour, Dr. B. C. Borden, principal of the Mount Allison Ladies College, passed through the city yesterday with Mra. Borden and others on his way to Montreal. He will leave tomorrow for his European tour. Those who joined from St. John are Mrs. J. Wil-lard Smith, Miss Annie Smith, Miss Faith Hayward, Miss Lillian Ander-son, Miss Marjorie Knight and Miss Nora Knight.