PASSENGER JOURNEYS BY AIR BETWEEN PARIS AND LONDON TO BE INAUGURATED SUNDAY

Farman Machine, With Cabin Capacity for Fourteen Persons, to Leave Buc and Descend at Croydon, Service Being Weekly at First, Then Made Daily.

Paris, Jan. 22.—The first Paris to London air service probably will be inaugurated from the Buc airdrome next Sunday. A Farman airplane will be used. It will carry several passengers. All that is needed for the trip is the proper permit. The airplane is ready. It is now in its new airdrome and is called the Goliath.

The flying machine originally was built for bombing and has a carrying capacity of three tons and cabin room for fourteen persons.

A trial trip was made yesterday, the persons who made the first flight were delighted with the comforts and the stability the airplane afforded. The cabin is sheltered on all sides. The Goliath is equipped with two 270 horse power motors and can maintain a speed of 160 kilometers (one hundred miles) an hour.

If the permit is obtained, the start will be made from Buc at ten o'clock on Sunday morning. It is believed that the journey to London can be made in about three hours.

This is the itinerary: Buc Le Bourget, Compiegne, Creil, Breteuil, Amiens, Boulogne, Folkestone, Tun bridge and Croydon.

The return flight is scheduled for the following Tuesday.

At first the air service between Paris and London and return will be weekly. It is anticipated that eventually a daily service will be possible.

BELIEVED CANADA WILL DEVELOP ITS AIR SERVICE FORCE IN FUTURE

At a Banquet of the Imperial Air Force in London Much Praise Was Given Canadians for Their Part in the Air Work—Opinion and Hope Expresesd That Special Attention Would be Given Air Service in Dominion in the Future.

London, Jan. 22, (Canadian Press despatch from Reuter's, Ltd.)—A banquet of the officers of the Imperial Air Fleet to celebrate the victory of the British Empire in the war was held last night. Among those present were Generals Birdwood and Turner, High Commissioners Perley and MacKenzie and General Seely, undersecretary of the air ministry, and formerly commandant of a Canadian cavalry brigade.

General Seely dwelt on the part British airmanship had contributed towards winning the war. He said that Britain must be supreme in the air in order to secure the peace of the world. It must have one great air fleet. To help forward the air traffic of the future plans had been made in the most elaborate detail for the establishment of great imperial air routes. He did not see the reason why within the life time of the present generation, nearly all of them should not see the establishment of great air routes to all parts of the empire.

General Seely remarked that there was no evidence that the risk of fire was greater in an airship than in an airplane, as for 2,500,000 miles flown in war time only one British airship had been lost this way, and that was an experimental type. In regard to the weather. It was a fact that there were only nine days in 1918 when no airship flight occurred in the British Isles, which effectively contradicted the prevalent opinion that airships were only fair weather craft. Indeed an airship could often fly when an airplane could not—for example in fogs and thick low lying clouds.

The latest German rigid airship had a lifting capacity of over thirty-eight tons, which gave a theoretical endurance of a week if all the available lifting capacity could be used for carrying petrol. At a cruising speed of forty-five miles an hour, eight thousand miles would be covered in a week.

General Seely, of the Canadian cavalry said:

"Speaking as an individual and not as a minister I must confess my heart goes out to the Canadians. I never shall forget what I owe them for their steadfast determination in critical times during the three and a half years that it was my privilege to command some of them."

General Turner said that he could not state definitely what plans the Canadian government would formulate for the future of the war service, but he was sure special provision would be made for developing the air force of the Dominion.

ALLIED TRAVELLER CRITICIZES EBERT'S FATAL HESITATION

Determined Gov't Could Have Re-established Order in 24 Hours.

The Hague, Jan. 20.—A member of one of the Allied governments who has just arriedh ere from Berlin, where he had been on official business, gave the following impressions of conditions there at the time of his departure:

"It is very strange to see officers in the uniforms of all nationalities circulating freely in Germany. Most of those on official business are quartered at the Adlon Hotel, Berlin, where it is possible to live on seventy marks daily and get anything one wants.

"The streets are fairly calm in spite of the guerilla warfare now taking place. Groups of people stand on the street corners, others proceed calmly to work and soldiers with red armlets pass or stand in groups guarding public places or buildings.

"Suddenly a military lorry arrives with soldiers wearing other armlets and the groups of soldiers fire at each other. Sometimes a few are killed, but there are no big battles, only skirmishes which take place between small groups of about thirty each. The object is not to kill people but to take possession of public buildings, newspaper offices, Government stores, or any place considered to be a strategic point.

"If the strategic point is more important machine-guns are used, which sometimes cause serious material destruction.

"The chief characteristics of the Government troops, seen in Berlin, are their untidiness, disorder, and lack of co-ordination. This last, doubtless explains the fact that the Government's troops often pass over to the Sparacans. Troops have stated that they received no orders and that, therefore, they joined the Sparacans.

"The only enterprising troops are the marines, who have great audacity. These number only about 6,000, but are very firm and daring. It is always the marines who begin skirmishes. They are well commanded, well paid, well fed, and receive regular orders from Liebknecht. Their aim is to create disorder and impress public opinion.

Feels Need of Order.

"As a matter of fact, everyone feels the need of order, but none knows whence it will come, and all feel that up to the present time the Government leaders have not dared to make or could not make decisions. The Allied officers stated when I left Berlin that a determined Government could have re-established order and become master of the situation in twenty-four hours with a few regular troops, which Hindenburg certainly has at his command. The question is, why does not the general command intervene and take control.

"Many persons think that the Socialist parties are being allowed to weaken themselves politically by being discredited through the situation. It is ridiculous that in a country like Germany a few bands of Socialists should be allowed to take possession of Government buildings. It is generally supposed that reliable troops are waiting a politically favorable opportunity to resume control.

"An armored car which passed with a black, white and red flag through Liepzigerstrasse, was enthusiastically cheered. It was manned by strong young men, all of whom wore the iron cross of the first class and all were obviously officers in the uniforms of privates.

"German officers exchanging views with foreign offices stated that they were no longer receiving pay. 'What can we do if there is no military chance?' they ask. 'No one obeys us. I should like to go into the diplomatic service, but don't even know whom to address.'"

Children Can Serve By Saving

One of the great lessons of this War is the value of Thrift. Let the children learn it, too, by saving through a Bank of Nova Scotia account.

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NATIONAL COUNCIL ANNUAL MEETING

Representatives of Y. M. C. A. in Maritime Provinces Attend Session in Halifax—Many Important Matters Discussed.

The annual meeting of the Maritime Division of the Canadian National Council of the Y. M. C. A., was held in Halifax Tuesday last. Owing to the illness of the permanent chairman, C. J. Burchall, George E. Barbour of St. John presided.

One of the most important matters discussed under the classification of new business was the inauguration or development of community centres, in every village, hamlet and countryside throughout the dominion, where the young men, civilian and war veterans, can secure the social intercourse, entertainment, recreation and other facilities that have been so splendidly exemplified in the Red Triangle Club rooms and Y. M. C. A. huts.

The primary purpose of such centres will be to decrease as far as possible the constant exodus of young men from the small communities to the larger cities. Until the erection of other buildings is warranted, existing churches and halls will be used. This plan has already been adopted in Charlottetown under the direction of Mr. Sidenius, and it is expected that New Brunswick will be represented by many such communities in the very near future.

A feature of the session was a most interesting address by John Sumner of the Toronto delegation, who spoke on industrial Y. M. C. A. work. In particular he cited one case in West Charlotte Islands, B. C., of an aeroplane lumber-working camp in which the social work was carried on by two "Y" secretaries. The work which originally was under government control was taken over by private interests and with the change of ownership the Y. M. C. A. men found their services not required. When they left, however, the workmen refused to stick to their jobs until the social work was resumed and the "Y" men re-employed. Other cases were cited where it has been proved that the men in camp, industrial or military, demand social service in connection with their work. Employers and handlers of large bodies of men find the men more contented, happier and more tractable when they are provided relaxation and recreation, which the Y. M. C. A. provides in a helpful and religious spirit.

Another address was given by Major Fred J. Smith, in charge of "Y" physical work overseas, who talked most interestingly of what the Red Triangle physical equipment and classes meant to the boys overseas.

In this connection it was stated that the large Red Triangle club rooms, costing in the vicinity of $40,000 will soon be completed at Halifax and when finished will be almost a replica of the splendid companion structure now in operation at Dominion Square, Montreal.

After the regular committee reports the election of representatives was taken up, resulting in three more members being added to the St. John standing committee: G. L. Warwick, W. K. Ganong and A. R. Cruikshanks.

The members were the guests of the Halifax Rotary Club at a special dinner and were generally delighted with their visit.

NOT SO CONFIDENT IN GERMANY

Estimates on the Elections to the National Assembly Indicate Social Democrats Slipping a Little.

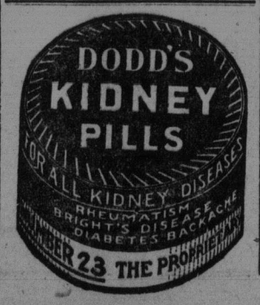
Berlin, Wednesday, Jan. 15.—With the elections to the National Assembly less than four days off, the Bourgeois parties are bending every effort to rally both male and female voters in a gigantic protest against Bolshevism.

Two weeks ago the indications pointed to a comfortable majority for the Social Democrats, with the aid of the votes of both the Scheidemann and the Haase party. The Spartacan ebullition in Berlin, however, has brought about a revision to the election estimates, the revised view being strengthened by the results of the local elections in Bavaria, Baden, Wurttemburg and elsewhere.

It is now considered highly doubtful if the radicals, jointly, poll more than 45 per cent. of the total votes, with the chances that it may be a considerably less percentage. The Bourgeois German Democratic party, according to the estimates, is likely to poll fifteen per cent. of the vote, and possibly more. The Clericals and Conservatives are being allowed thirty per cent. in the figures, while the former National Liberals may secure ten per cent.

FIVE OF CREW DIED

Stockholm, Jan. 22 (Canadian Press despatch from Reuters)—Five men of the crew of the American lake boat steamer Castalia, wrecked off Sable Island, January 11th, and who were picked up by the Norwegian American liner Bergensfjord, died from exposure. The Bergensfjord saved forty-seven men from the Castalia.



SWITZERLAND WANTS ACCESS TO SEA VIA RHINE, RHONE AND PO

The Country Also Desires to Obtain the Right of Traffic Over Important Railroads to the Sea and to the Eastern Countries of Europe—Approves Project of League of Nations.

Paris, Jan. 22—The views and desires of the Swiss Federal Council, whose president, Gustave Ador, is now in Paris to present to President Wilson, Premiers Lloyd George and Clemenceau, and other allied statemen, include particularly a request for international compacts giving Switzerland access to the sea by way of the Rhine, the Rhone and the Po.

Switzerland also desires to obtain the right of traffic over important railroads to the sea, and to the Eastern countries of Europe.

The Swiss government, as its views are expressed in sources close to its president here, not only approves the project for a League of Nations, but desires and expects admission to the peace negotiations as far as the deliberations on this project are concerned, as well as on other problems of general interest, and questions in which Switzerland is particularly interested.

Although international military pressure may, it is recognized, be necessary, as a last resort under the League of Nations plan to prevent disputants resorting to arms, Switzerland is represented as unable to be a participant in any military measures, owing to constitutional provisions, and her peaceful traditions, Switzerland, it is declared, believes that the league should provide for the compulsory reference of disputes to special arbitration tribunals, or to a permanent international court.

ST. JOHN MEN AT MEETING

Attend Annual Gathering of Shareholders in Bank of Nova Scotia at Halifax.

Special to The Standard.

Halifax, Jan. 22.—Two St. John men, one of them not a shareholder, but a good customer, and the other a shareholder, were among those who spoke at the annual meeting of the Bank of Nova Scotia today. The non-shareholder was John E. Moore.

President Archibald asked him to speak, and to say something about the lumber outlook in New Brunswick. Mr. Moore replied with an interesting comparison of prices now and before the war, showing the enormous increase. He said that shipping was still impossible to obtain, and that the British Government continued to operate the lumber business on the other side. He hoped, he said, in three or four months, that conditions would be back to normal. Mr. Emmerson congratulated the bank on the statements by the directors and the general manager. He said when the Bank of New Brunswick was merged with the Nova Scotia bank the people had feared there would be less financial accommodation, but these fears had proved to be groundless, and they were as well served as ever before in the days of the old bank. Mr. Manchester was present as a director at the meeting.

HAVE FEARS OF DOUBLE TAXATION

If New Tax Bill in Washington Becomes Law Hardships May Follow Canadian Companies.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 22.—It is believed here that there is a danger of double taxation of Canadian branches of American companies if the draft revenue bill, now before the United States Senate, is passed.

Under clauses of the bill it is thought that the business of companies located in Canada, whose stocks are controlled by American ratepayers, might be assessed in the United States.

The Canadian Re-construction Association has received advices from Washington that the bill is being construed as applicable to such companies in Canada, and that, under the new legislation the United States may be able to impose income and business taxes upon companies operating in the Dominion, and incorporated under Canadian laws, the stocks of which are held in the United States.

It is stated that legal advices, secured by the Association, confirms the view that the bill is dangerous to Canadian companies, and, after conferences with commercial and industrial interests here, the Association has urged Washington to reconsider its proposed company taxation. Sir John Willison, President of the Canadian Re-construction Association, has telegraphed Senator Simmon and Congressman Claude Kitchen, and Dr. Adams, the taxation adviser of the Administration, protesting against any double taxation of the Canadian branches of American companies.

LAUDER FINED ONE DOLLAR

Breaks Law of the Toronto Rotarians and Takes His Fine Smilingly.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 22.—Harry Lauder was presented with a gold fob by his fellow Rotarians at a luncheon given in his honor by the Rotarian Club of this city today. Lauder was fined one dollar for having started to smoke before the toast to the King was proposed, according to a rule of the Rotary Club. Promptly he put his signature on the dollar bill, and it was then auctioned off on behalf of the Lauder fund for maimed Scotchmen. It was knocked down to E. A. Rood, at $125.00.

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SOLDIERS GET AWAY SPEEDILY

Eight Trainloads Sent Away from Halifax in Quick Order.

Halifax, N.S., Jan. 22.—The returning soldiers from the Empress of Britain got away as speedily as any of their predecessors this season. The first five trains got off within two hours. There were eight trains altogether, but documentation was put through on the last three trains, and more time was necessarily taken.

The first five left between ten a.m. and twelve noon, going to Quebec for documentation, their ultimate destinations being Alberta, British Columbia, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Toronto. The three remaining trains, documentation of which was done here, left as follows:

Kingston and London at five p.m.; St. John at six p.m.; and Montreal at 7.45 p.m. Besides these the documentations of the Nova Scotians was put through. This is as good time as at anything before in the history of disembarkation at this port.

The hospital ship Essequibo will arrive off the port at 8 o'clock Friday evening. She will dock at eight o'clock Saturday morning, providing the Aquitania is not in along with her, which is expected. Should they come together, precedence will be given the Aquitania, that is, the big ship would not be allowed to lose time by having the smaller one at the pier ahead of her.

WHEN A FAMILY NEEDS A FRIEND

In the Absence of Doctors Nobly Gone to War, After Influenza, the Grip—Those wonderfully useful medicines, Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills, are warmly recommended.

Hood's Sarsaparilla, taken before meals three times a day, and Hood's Pills, taken at night as needed, are reasonably sure to keep a family in health and prove to be reliable and always ready friends. They purify the blood, relieve and prevent biliousness and constipation, build up and begin treatment at once.

Get both, or either one, as you think you need, from your druggist today strength and regulate the system.

CANADA FISHERIES SHOW BIG INCREASE

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—The value of the total catch of sea fish in Canada during the month of December, 1918, at the point of landing, was $1,173,648, as compared with $1,023,553 in the same month of 1917.

The total catch of cod, haddock, hake and pollock on the Atlantic coast was 84,900 cwt. against 82,200 cwts. in December, 1917.

The results from lobster and smelt fishing were also somewhat better than a year ago, and the scallop beds in Chester Bay gave 3,435 barrels, as compared with 500 in December, 1917.

EUGENE BROSSEAU DEFEATED McKAY

Former Canadian Amateur Champion Scored First Professional Knockout in Montreal Last Night.

Montreal, Jan. 22.—Eugene Brosseau, former Canadian amateur welterweight champion, won his first professional bout tonight, when he defeated Donald McKay of Brooklyn by a knockout in the third round of a ten round bout at Sohmer Park. Brosseau showed more science and after the first bout always had the fight well in hand.

Brosseau came from his corner with a rush in the third round. He forced McKay to the ropes and as the latter bounced off Brosseau landed a left hook that sent McKay to his knees for the count of eight. When McKay resumed he was groggy. Brosseau followed him to his corner, landing right and left almost at will. McKay backed to the centre of the ring. Brosseau then drew McKay open with a left hook and put over a right cross that scored his first professional knockout.

GERMAN MUNITION PLANT EXPLODED

Brussels, Jan 22—(Havas)—A former German munitions depot at Quatrecht, southeast of Ghent, exploded today and the populace fled hurriedly in all directions. It has not yet been learned if there were any casualties. Communication by railway, telegraph and telephone has been interrupted.

SPORTING GOSSIP

FREDERICTON WON FROM THISTLES

Five Rinks a Side Curled Yesterday—Curlers from Capital Victorious—Score 65 to 62.

The Fredericton curlers came back in fine shape yesterday when they retrieved their defeat at the hands of the St. Andrew's team by beating the Thistles by the close score of 65—62.

Two rinks were curled in the afternoon and the other three last night. Following are the scores:

Afternoon.

Fredericton.		Thistles.	
Capt. McGibbon		H. W. Stubbs	
A. A. Shute		E S. R. Murray	
N. Doherty		J C. Chesley	
H. E. Fowler		F. A. McAndrews	
skip	10	skip	7
C. Barry		T. C. Ledingham	
C. W. Hall		E. P. Howard	
H. B. Colwell		R. S. Orchard	
T. A. Wilson		S. W. Palmer	
skip	12	skip	14

Night.

Fredericton.		Thistles.	
J. McFadyen		W. H. Gamblin	
W. McKay		W. J. Currie	
A. M. Staples		W. J. Shaw	
T. L. Fowler		H. C. Olive	
skip	16	skip	13
A. Kitchen		D. L. Currie	
E. A. McKay		R. C. Crawford	
R. B. Vandine		F. Watson	
T. A. Belmore		W. A. Shaw	
skip	13	skip	12
Ralph Hogan		R. Reid	
T. A. Taylor		J. A. Sinclair	
N. Doherty		A. D. Malcolm	
F. P. Hatt		J. S. Malcolm	
skip	14	skip	16
Totals—	65		62

After the game a warm luncheon was served to the visitors.

LOCAL BOWLING.

STARR'S TEAM WON.

There was an exciting bowling match on the Victoria Alleys last night between the team representing R. P. and W. F. Starr, and that of the Dominion Coal Company. The Dominions won the first string and the total, while their opponents won the second and third strings, making two points each. In the roll off the Starr aggregation won. This is the second game rolled, and the Starrs won both.

After the match the teams enjoyed a banquet at Bond's.

The scores for the game follow:

R. P. and W. F. Starr.					
Mocory	64	72	68—204	68	
Logan	67	74	73—214	17 1-3	
Johnston	78	85	72—235	78 1-3	
Grearson	70	82	64—216	72	
Scott	67	76	70—213	71	
Lee	72	75	97—244	81 1-3	
	418	464	444	1326	
Dominion Coal Co					
Murray	61	65	62—188	62 2-3	
Roberts	68	71	72—211	70 1-3	
Hamilton	72	76	78—226	75 1-3	
T. O'Leary	76	95	79—250	83 1-3	
Strange	81	60	72—213	71	
M. O'Leary	89	90	77—256	85 1-3	
	447	457	440	1344	

THE SENIOR LEAGUE.

On the Y. M. C. I. Alleys last evening the Robins and Owls met. The Owls took all four points. A feature of the game was the highest individual average of Fitzpatrick, of the winning aggregation, who marked up 112 in his third string. Duke, of the losing team, was a close second with 105 in his first string.

Tonight the Eagles and Falcons meet. Following is the score of last evening's game:

Owls.				
McCafferty	91	90	85—266	88 2-3
Fitzpatrick	88	79	112—279	93
McCann	98	79	91—268	89 1-3
McDonald	95	88	93—276	92
Garvin	99	87	99—285	95
	471	423	480	1374
Robins.				
Duke	105	92	90—287	95 2-3
Stevens	99	83	98—280	93 1-3
Stack	89	87	70—246	82
Driscoll	88	79	85—252	84
Cusack	88	79	85—252	84
	469	420	428	1317

WANTS PLAYERS RELEASED.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Ban Johnson, president of the American League, called at the War Department today in connection with his efforts to get baseball players out of the army in time for the spring training, and preparation for the coming season. So far as is known they will not be specially treated, but the same treatment will be accorded to them as to all other soldiers. It will be left to their commanders to pass upon the baseball players' application for discharge. However, commanding officers are authorized to discharge without delay where military efficiency would not be injured by that action.

Basketball Game.

An exciting game of basketball was played yesterday afternoon at the Y.M.C.A. when the Loyalists went to defeat before the superior skill of the Chippewas. The line up was as follows: Chippewas—Goselyn, McKean, Ree, Naves and Patterson; Loyalists—Thomas, Wilson, Humphrey, Ryder and Robinson. These teams are members of the High School League.

St. Andrew's vs. Carleton.

Followers of the "roarin' game" in West St. John are looking forward to Monday, when Rinks from across the harbor will compete with the St. Andrew's Curling Club, at the latter's rink, Charlotte street.

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THE WEATHER.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 22.—A little snow has fallen today in the Ottawa Valley, while elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fair or cloudy. The temperature has been higher than it was yesterday in Eastern Canada, and also in the Western Provinces, while in Ontario there has been little change.

	Min.	Max.
Prince Rupert	36	44
Victoria	40	46
Vancouver	40	46
Calgary	26	52
Winnipeg	10	22
Port Arthur	20	44
Parry Sound	30	38
London	30	44
Toronto	34	47
Kingston	20	38
Ottawa	10	12
Montreal	14	26
Quebec	16	28
Halifax	4	20

Forecasts — Maritime — Moderate winds; mostly cloudy and milder, light local rain.

Washington, Jan. 22—Northern New England: Rain or snow Thursday, colder Thursday night; Friday probably snow. Moderate variable mostly south winds

BORN.

TAYLOR—On January 21st, 1919, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred. R. Taylor, a daughter.

DIED.

COOKE.—In this city on January 21, Elizabeth, widow of Samuel Cooke, leaving three sons and two daughters to mourn.

Funeral on Thursday at 3.30 p.m., from her late residence, 29 Cranston Ave. Boston papers please copy.

COUGHLAN—On January 20, in the St. John Infirmary, Rev. R. J. Coughlan, Parish Priest of Johnville, Carleton County, leaving his mother, two sisters and two brothers to mourn.

Funeral from the Cathedral on Thursday morning at 8.30 o'clock after Solemn Pontifical Mass.

NEWCOMB—On the 22nd inst., at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Maclauchlan, 31 Goodrich street, Maria, widow of the late W. R. Newcomb of Andover.

McCAVOUR.—On January 22nd, inst., after a short illness of pneumonia, Percy McCavour, aged 34 years, leaving his wife, mother, two sisters, and four brothers to mourn. Funeral from his late residence, 130 Charlotte street this (Thursday) afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

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NOTICE OF MEETING

A Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Prince William Apartments Limited will be held in the office of the undersigned, No 39 Princess Street, City, on Friday, January 24th, at 4 p.m. for the purpose of considering and ratifying an agreement and lease of the Prince William Hotel and the conditions therein contained.

L. P. D. TILLEY,
Secretary-Treasurer
The Prince William Apartments Ltd.

NOTICE

A general meeting of the Weirmen's Association will be held in the Imperial Theatre, St. George, N. B., at 1.30 p. m., Jan. 30th.

A delegation from the Maine Weirmen's Association is expected. All our weirmen are urgently requested to be present.

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RESTIGOUCHE REJECTS HEALTH AC

County Council Doesn't Believe in Laying Hands the Government Child.

Special to The Standard.

Dalhousie, N.B., Jan. 22.—The Re gouche County Council yesterday ed down, by a vote of eight to the new Health Act on motion Councillor Montgomery, seconded Councillor Archibald Murchie, on ground that the government, be father to the child, should not be dered in the working of the act by person other than by its own pointees. Mr. Arthur T. Leb our M.L.A., addressed the council the excellency of the act. During discussion Dr. Desmond, Dist Health Officer, who was on hand railroad the voting of estima through the council, announced on part of the government that it had A. G. Ferguson as its old local bo a few years ago, because of the judiced manner in which he had b performing and not performing duties.

On the announcement that Dr. F guson had been chosen, Council Montgomery stated to the council t he had been assured that Dr. Fer son had refused to report contagi diseases to the Chairman of the Lo Board, and had even refused to rep to Dr. Desmond. The latter admit that he was aware of that fact, added that Ferguson had reported Dr. Melvin at St. John. Questio by Councillor Montgomery if thought the disease could not be m effectually dealt with if reported the chairman of the local Board, N Doucet, Dr. Desmond was dumb.

When the Patriotic Account ca up in the Municipal Council yester there was considerable discussion to the amount assessed over above what the Patriotic Commit of Ottawa had asked for, and as what the local government intended do with the surplus which was, w out a doubt a direct taxation, and first move in that direction by government.

After a lively debate Council Montgomery moved that the acco pass, provided that the Provin Government use the $79,000 patri fund in their hands to pay the salar and cost of administration of th new Health Act, claiming that it patriotic to protect the health of public, and that it was the only le imate purpose to which they co apply the money which had been essed over and above the amount quired for the fund. They could th give their act a fair trial without ting any further burden on the p ple. The resolution was carried by vote of eight to six, the warden voting.

HAD ENJOYABLE TIME.

At Bond's on Monday evening l Victor Scott, chairman of the Luke's Church Musical Committee, tertained his committee, the Rect Rev. R. P. McKim and Mrs. McK and the Church Choir, at dinn Covers were laid for about fifty-f and an enjoyable evening was spe Mr. Scott presided, and after the past was partaken of, the evening spent in music and speeches. So were sung by Mrs. A. G. Brown, M Leslie Watters, Mrs. Steiper, M Hathaway, Miss Craft and the Mess H. Marley, Dennison and W. Smith. Speeches were made by Rector, the Vestry Clerk, H. D. M tin, and the Choirmaster, H. Bromfield. A Brunswick gramophc and an orchestra added much to pleasure of the guests, and one of most delightful gatherings the ch has known was brought to a close the singing of the National Anthe

THE RECALL CASE.

In the supreme court chambers y terday morning before His Hon Chief Justice Sir Douglas Haz counsel appeared in the matter of application on the part of Jacob Tobin for a writ of quo warranto a also for a writ of certiorari to ha the elections of Commissioners Tho ton and Jones set aside. When t matter came up for hearing this mo ing Dr. W. B. Wallace, K.C., and R. Scott appeared in behalf of the plication, and Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, Co., on instruction from the City St. John, appeared on behalf Messrs. Thornton and Jones, and so for the common clerk of the ci The question arose as to whether t Chief Justice had the jurisdiction grant a writ of quo warranto, and was decided by counsel engaged withdraw the present application a to take the matter to Fredericton a have the argument before the co en banc.

ROTARIANS DINE.

A splendid dinner was prepared the Salvation Army officials at No. 1 Citadel last night when ov 60 members of the Rotary S. A. Dri committee gathered to discuss plans for today—the big day of drive. Excellent addresses were delivered by Rev. E. P. Loose, chairm of the campaign committee and oth prominent workers and the greate enthusiasm was evident. Hearty a plause greeted the statements th Campbellton is going well over its objective, and that Amherst, Moncto and Charlottetown will be well ov their respective objectives by no today.

MAJOR MORGAN SPOKE.

A large audience listened to a go speech last evening at the Empre Theatre, delivered by Major Morga on the Salvation Army Appeal. T committee who have had this wo in charge are most grateful to th management of the Empress Theat for permission to speak before th audiences. The speeches have bee well received on all occasions.

ROTARY CLUB WAGER.

H. M. VanBuskirk, president of th Charlottetown Rotary Club, has pla ed a wager with the St. John Club the effect that the Charlottetownia will go sooner and higher over the S. A. Drive objective than the local H. D. Campbell has accepted the wa er and all the local Rotarians a behind him to help win the bet. Th local objective is $25,000 and that Charlottetown $7,000.