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**PORT FACILITIES  
ARE DISCUSSED**

T. W. Caldwell, M.P., Meets  
Local Committee—Large  
Potato Shipments.

Port facilities and charges were discussed at a meeting of the port committee held this morning at the office of Mayor Potts, at which T. W. Caldwell, M. P., for Carleton-Victoria, and Alex. Gray, resident engineer of the public works department, were present. Mr. Caldwell stated that he believed there would be larger shipments of potatoes through his port this year than last and he wanted to look over the facilities for handling them before going to Ottawa.

Mayor Potts presided and others present were A. P. Paterson, D. W. Ledingham, Hon. W. E. Foster, M. L. A.; Commissioner Bullock, G. L. Warwick and L. V. Lingley.

After the meeting Mayor Potts said Mr. Caldwell had expressed himself as satisfied with the present facilities for handling potatoes and he felt sure there would be no delay in sending forward the shipments, which would be heavier than last year.

His Worship said the matter of exchange of the so-called C. P. R. wharf and No. 6 extension was touched upon, but not discussed at any length as this matter was being arranged.

Harbor Commission.

It is understood the matter of harbor commission and a lessening of the port charges was brought up and discussed. It has been suggested that all the wharfage charges on grain be removed, making it a free port so far as this is concerned, but this is opposed by Commissioner Bullock, who contends that the city would lose out in two ways, especially on the eastern side of the harbor, where the only grain berths are owned by the city. Should a grain vessel be at one of these berths and a general cargo steamer arrive it would be necessary to place her at the wharf, which is government property and on which the city would not collect any top wharfage.

Asked if he would give up the matter of nationalization of the harbor while he was in Ottawa, Mayor Potts said he did not expect to have the time, but he expressed the opinion that with the number of different interests in the harbor it was time to do something along these lines soon.

**No Papers Monday**

Monday, Sept. 1, being Labor Day, a public holiday. The Telegraph-Journal and The Evening Times-Star will not be published.

**ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN, AUG. 29.**

A.M. High Tide . . . 11:07 Low Tide . . . 5:16  
P.M. High Tide . . . 5:16 Low Tide . . . 11:07

Sun Rises . . . 5:42 Sun Sets . . . 7:00

**LOCAL NEWS**

**CITY HALL PAY DAY.**  
Today was the fortnightly pay day for City Hall, the sum of \$127,000.00 being paid out, as follows: Harbor, \$4,032.50; water and sewerage, \$3,208.20; public works, \$5,120.49; ferry, \$294.

**HARBOR REVENUE.**  
The harbor revenue for the month of August is quite an amount lower than for the same month of 1923. This year the receipts will not exceed \$10,000, and last year they were about \$9,000.

**ON SAD MISSION.**  
Sister M. Hermes arrived in the city yesterday to attend the funeral of her father, the late Charles O'Hara. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Mary I. McMenamon, daughter of Mrs. Charles McMenamon, 64 Harrison street.

**NEW HALL OPENED.**  
A large crowd was present at the opening of the new hall at Lock Lane last evening and all spent a most enjoyable time. Mayor Potts was present and delivered a short address. After the formal opening a social and concert was held and this was followed by a dance.

**GETS LINEN SHOWER.**  
A number of friends of Miss Marjorie James, 104 Wright street, met last evening at the home of Mrs. Ronald Munro, 59 Hasen street, and tendered her a linen shower. The rooms were nicely decorated in yellow. Those who assisted in serving were Miss Corinne Comeau, Miss Olivia Gregory, Miss Helen Fleming and Miss Mildred James.

**RETURN TO STUDIES.**  
Joseph Owens and Gerald Crowley, of St. Peter's school, returned yesterday afternoon to resume their studies for the priesthood after spending a few days on vacation with relatives in this city. Both are entering their fourth year. John Harrington and Edward Moore accompanied them and will begin a course of studies. Rev. James Cloran, C. S. R., rector of St. Peter's church, took charge of the boys. He went to Brockville, where he will preach a retreat to the students.

**PRESENTATION.**  
On Monday evening about 75 relatives and friends of Miss Etta F. Whelpley gathered at her home, 242 Paradise row, and gave her a very pleasant surprise in honor of her departure on the near future for Nyack-on-the-Hudson, where she will take two years' course in missionary work. The evening was very pleasantly spent in games, singing and music. During the evening the rector, Rev. R. Taylor McKim, on behalf of those present presented her with a beautiful umbrella and a purse of gold. At the close of the evening refreshments were served. Those who served were Mrs. C. V. Giger, Miss Elsie Suelle, Mrs. E. S. Giger and Mrs. A. E. Whelpley.

**A TRAFFIC MIX-UP.**  
To choose between running over Thomas Cosgrove, a New Brunswick Power Company street car inspector, or traffic policeman McInerney was a snap decision which a woman automobile driver had to make yesterday afternoon at the intersection of Highmarket Square and Prince Edward street. As she approached the crossing she sounded the klaxon and received the right of way from the traffic policeman. Just as the automobile started to pass a street car Thomas Cosgrove stepped out and the driver swerved to avoid running over him. In so doing she grazed him and he went head-over-heels while the auto proceeded to pass over the feet of the policeman. When the excitement had subsided Inspector Cosgrove found that he was none the worse for his mishap although the traffic policeman was that one of his toes had been injured.

**BOY BURGULARS  
APPEAR IN COURT**

**Third Member of Party Believed to Have Run Away.**

Two juveniles were brought before Magistrate Henderson this morning charged with breaking and entering the Harris Abattoir Co., Ltd. warehouse in Main street last evening. A third had been summoned and his father appeared and announced that he had not been home all night and he feared he had run away. The boys present were eight and 10 years of age and one in telling his story put the entire blame on his companion. He acknowledged that he was present but denied having entered the building.

**TARS READY FOR  
ANOTHER GAME**

Another large crowd visited the U. S. S. Detroit at Sand Point yesterday afternoon and were shown through the cruiser by members of the ship's crew. Last evening the powerful searchlights were operated—playing the skies for imaginary enemy aircraft. The Detroit still awaits word to proceed to Boston for her final acceptance trial. Commander Jensen said he did not expect any definite word until the gloating airmen reached Pictou. This would be early next week, he thought.

**EXECUTIVE PLANS  
ACADIA CAMPAIGN**

The executive of the United Baptist Women's Missionary Union of the Maritime Provinces met in a special session this morning in the German street Baptist Institute to plan the campaign for the drive to raise \$50,000 among the women of the three provinces to aid along the forward movement campaign for Acadia University.

**\$420 COLLECTED  
IN LIQUOR FINES**

As a result of information elicited from a man who appeared in the police court this morning charged with drunkenness, Michael Vassiloff was brought to court and fined \$200 for selling liquor in his place of business in Main street, and Henry O'Brien was fined \$200 for selling liquor in his shop in Water street. The latter was fined an additional \$20 for receiving a watch from the informant as a pledge for liquor sold. Both fines were paid. William M. Ryan represented the Crown and Inspectors Crawford and Garnett were present.

**TENNIS STARS TO  
PLAY AT ROTHESEY**

Willard Crocker, J. Wright  
and Others Appear  
Next Week.

Willard Crocker and Jack Wright, members of the Canadian Davis Cup team, will appear in exhibition matches on the courts of the Rothsey Tennis Club next Tuesday and Wednesday, according to an announcement made this morning by Cyrus F. Inches, president of the Rothsey club. Crocker and Wright were here last year and created a fine impression of their ability. According to a telegram received by Mr. Inches this morning from John M. Miller, president of the Quebec Tennis Association, Crocker and Wright will be accompanied by D. R. Morrice and Louis Robert.

The party will leave New York Saturday morning for Halifax where they will play a picked Nova Scotian team on Monday and will leave Halifax Monday evening for Rothsey where they will play a similar New Brunswick team on Tuesday and Wednesday.

On Davis Cup Team.

Messrs. Crocker and Wright are members of the Canadian Davis Cup team which defeated Cuba this summer 2-2 and which was later defeated by Japan 4-1. Mr. Crocker is also the Quebec and Ontario champion this year. In the Canadian open championships he was defeated by George Lett, Jr., of Chicago, the junior champion of the United States who furnished the sensation of the tournament. Crocker and Wright are playing in this tournament and will meet William T. Tilden 2nd, the American champion.

Wright was Crocker's doubles partner in the Davis Cup matches. Morrice and Crocker played together in the Canadian open doubles. They were defeated in the finals by Lett of Chicago and S. Hardy of New York.

It is the policy of the Canadian Lawn Tennis Association to promote the best interests of the game by sending some of the best Canadian players to the U.S. Open.

Wright, Crocker and Robert were members of the team which came last year. The team to meet them has not yet been picked by the committee appointed by the New Brunswick Lawn Tennis Association for that purpose but it will undoubtedly include Hagen Short and "Bert" Halliday who have shown such improved form in the Provincial and Maritime Championships at Sackville. Mr. Miller suggests playing two doubles and one double together with exhibition matches on Tuesday, with a similar programme on Wednesday.

**CAMPAIGN WILL  
COMMENCE SOON**

"Buy-at-Home" Committee  
Hears Encouraging Report  
from Secretary.

A meeting of the executive committee of the "Buy at Home and Maritime Made" campaign met yesterday and the progress report was submitted by the secretary.

The committee members present were Hon. W. E. Foster, chairman; R. T. Hayes, M. L. A.; J. G. Harrison, W. C. Allison, F. W. Hesch, R. A. Macdonald, J. E. Mackenzie, E. H. Butler, secretary, J. M. Robinson was out of town and unable to attend.

Hon. W. E. Foster said that he was firmly convinced that the "Buy at Home and Maritime Made" movement would be the means of righting many of the wrongs of this part of Canada, and with a ready response from the public he looked forward to a material improvement in Maritime industry.

In view of the satisfactory report submitted it was decided by the committee to immediately commence campaign activities as a part of the general organization work.

The work of the secretary and the field organizer was reviewed, and further plans formulated. It is expected that Mr. Macdonald will proceed to Moncton within the next few days for the purpose of organizing business interests there.



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