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WILL MAKE ANOTHER MOVE FOR ATHLETICS HERE

Campbellton Commercial Travellers' Association Formed—Last Week

NEW ORGANIZATION FORMED AT ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING OF TRAVELLERS ON SATURDAY

Large Gathering At Chateau Restigouche Discuss Plans—Officers Elected—Suitable Quarters For New Association Located—Outlook Good—Another General Meeting on Saturday.

At a well attended and representative meeting of local commercial travellers held at the Chateau Restigouche on Saturday afternoon last the proposed travellers' organization was duly formed. This new association will be known as the Campbellton Commercial Travellers' Association. So far thirty commercial men who make Campbellton their headquarters, have enrolled for membership and it is expected that within the next week or so this number will be nearly doubled.

Enthusiastic Gathering
The meeting at the Chateau on Saturday was an enthusiastic gathering and the local interest shown in the undertaking promises well for the success of this new organization. When a chairman and a secretary of the meeting had been appointed, the object of the gathering was taken up with a view to preliminary matters were disposed of without a hitch.

The Officers
Keen interest was taken in the election of the necessary officials and the following officers were elected by ballot: President—F. J. Arnold. Vice President—G. O. Milligan. Sec. Treas.—S. P. McKinnis.

The Directors
The following Board of Directors, which, with the other officials constitute the Executive Committee of the association were also elected by ballot: Messrs. J. B. Levesque, A. F. Blais, H. J. Currie, E. J. Collier and A. C. Belle Isle.

The Object
The object of the new association will be:

- To secure the co-operation of its members in furthering and protecting their interests, general welfare and prosperity.
- To guard the interests of its members as may be assailed by Federal, Provincial or Municipal Legislation.
- To visit its members when sick, amusements, reading rooms, and other conveniences as may be deemed advisable, and to promote all other lawful games and exercises.
- To visit its members when sick, and to aid them when necessary.
- To cultivate friendship and goodwill, to promote social and business intercourse and development among its members, to encourage all good fellowship with all true friends of civil and religious liberty.

Meeting Place
The matter of securing suitable quarters for the new association was also discussed and the Executive Committee was authorized to look into this matter and have something definite to report at the next meeting which will be held in the Reed Company's office on Saturday afternoon. This committee was also authorized to go into the matter of the bye-laws of the new association and report to the general meeting on Saturday.

Progress Made
Since then this committee has made very satisfactory progress with the work assigned to it. The spacious flat in the A. E. English building on Water Street has been decided on by the committee as the most suitable premises available. Necessary alterations and improvements will be made and these quarters will provide a spacious meeting room, large enough to accommodate a well attended whist party, a library or reading room and kitchen, bath etc.

From the satisfactory way in which preliminary organization work has been carried out it seems evident that the Campbellton Commercial Travellers' Association is destined to be a real live organization and one that every local traveller will wish to be associated with. The next meeting will be held on Saturday afternoon at the Reed Company's office and all travellers are cordially invited to attend. At this meeting only necessary committee work will be transacted and everything arranged to get the new association on a working basis.

At the close of last Saturday's meeting a heavy vote of thanks was accorded to Mr. J. B. Levesque, who had been in place one of the parlor of the hotel at the disposal of the meeting, for some well earned praise when Mr. H. J. Currie referred in glowing terms to the splendid service given to officials of the Imperial Oil Company upon himself and the Chateau during their recent convention here.

HON. DR. PUGSLEY DIES AT TORONTO

Toronto, Ont., March 4.—Hon. William Pugsley, for more than forty years prominent in the political life of Canada, at one time premier of the Province of New Brunswick, of which he was later the lieutenant governor, and Minister of Public Works in the government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier from 1907 to 1911, died here last evening. Dr. Pugsley, as war claims commissioner, was on his way to Vancouver to hear cases there when he was stricken with pneumonia here. Although hopes were held out that he

would recover, and yesterday his condition was reported as favorable, his age told against him and he succumbed. He had been ill only ten days. Mrs. Pugsley and her son John were in Toronto during the illness of Hon. Mr. Pugsley, but the latter, on Friday, believing that his father was out of danger had returned to St. John. He leaves to mourn his wife, formerly Miss Gertrude MacDonald, of St. John, and two sons, John A., of St. John, and William G. of Ottawa.

NIGHT OF SPORTS AT C. C. ROOMS

Picked Bathurst Team Will Meet Local Basket Ball Players—Boxing on Program.

A night of sports, including basketball and boxing, which is scheduled for Friday night at the Club Rooms of the Campbellton Catholic Club will afford local fans something new and interesting in the line of amusement. A game of basketball will be one of the chief attractions on the program. This is a return match with a picked Bathurst team and an exceptionally fine game is expected. The Campbellton Catholic Club has been functioning most satisfactorily in fact, Campbellton has set a new record in its experience in solving the problem of securing sufficient power and much favorable comment has been expressed on all sides in that such unexpected success has attended the efforts of those who were instrumental in separating us from our former difficulties. Judging simply from the past two months service it is evident that the present arrangement by the town council will prove more and more a source of satisfaction as time goes on and unforeseen irregularities are provided for.

The line-up for the coming basketball game will be as follows:
Campbellton—Goal: Burbridge; Centre: Gilbert; Forward: F. Roy; Jameson; Bishop.
Bathurst—Goal: Burbridge; Centre: Gilbert; Forward: F. Roy; Jameson; Bishop.

BABY CLINIC
The regular weekly Baby Clinic will be held in the Clinic Rooms on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. It is hoped that with the cold weather past there will be a large attendance of mothers and their babies.

GUEST IN BURNING HOTEL SUFFOCATED
The Belmont Hotel at Gloucester Mass., Destroyed—\$75,000.

Gloucester, Mass., Feb. 23.—One man was killed and a fireman injured in a fire which destroyed the Belmont Hotel, including the Belmont over today. The fire, which burned for over three hours, was under control at 8 o'clock. The damage was placed at \$75,000. The cause was unknown. Thomas B. Barrett, of Somerville, a guest at the hotel, was suffocated in his room in the third story while firemen were struggling to a ladder through the smoke to rescue him. His body was recovered.

A CAREFUL MOTHER
Mrs. Brown was bathing her baby when a neighbor's little girl came into the room carrying a doll. She watched the process for a few minutes, and then said, "Mrs. Brown how long have you had your baby?"

"Seven months," answered the mother.
The little girl stole another glance at her doll, which was very much the worse for wear, being minus a leg and an arm.

"My, but haven't you kept it nice," she said with an envious sigh.

THE POTATO INQUIRY
Ottawa, March 2.—The inquiry which is being carried on by the combined forces of the Dominion of Canada and the United States in connection with the potato investigation act into an alleged case of potato smuggling in New Brunswick will not be finished for six months and will cost the Dominion of Canada not less than \$50,000.

Hub City Delegates Took Up Matter While at Ottawa.

Moncton, N. B. March 4.—Members of the delegation to Ottawa took up with the Government the question of the Canadian National Railway. Through the suggestion of Ottawa's Mayor and the suggestion of the N. B. Railway, the railway board several weeks ago authorized the taxation of all homes owned by the railway. Mayor Edgerton was in Ottawa at the time, and the delegates as well.

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HYDRO TROUBLES SOON ADJUSTED

Last Week's Storm Caused First Interruption Since Its Installation Here.

As the result of the severe storm which swept the upper Matapedia Valley last week, putting the hydro transmission line out of operation, Campbellton was without electric energy during Friday and Saturday. Despite weather conditions, however, the line was speedily repaired and hydro was again available Saturday evening at 7 o'clock.

This incident marked the first serious interruption with Campbellton's new electric power arrangement. Since hydro was turned on here nearly two months ago everything has been functioning most satisfactorily in fact, Campbellton has set a new record in its experience in solving the problem of securing sufficient power and much favorable comment has been expressed on all sides in that such unexpected success has attended the efforts of those who were instrumental in separating us from our former difficulties. Judging simply from the past two months service it is evident that the present arrangement by the town council will prove more and more a source of satisfaction as time goes on and unforeseen irregularities are provided for.

Make your preparations now for "The Tornado."

"But, John, before we were married you told me you were worth \$50 a week."

"I am, but the boss just gives me \$20."

HIGHER LEARNING
"My brother takes up Spanish, Italian, French, Hebrew, German and Scotch."

"Goodness, where does he study?"

"Study. He doesn't study. He runs an elevator."

HELPING HIM ALONG

Reporter—"And in what state were you born, professor?"

Professor—"Unless my recollection fails me, in the state of ignorance."

Reporter (scribbling).—"Yes, to be sure. And how long have you lived there?"

Difficult to Comprehend.
Father was trying to explain "Standard Time" to little Harry, but Harry was not sure that he understood.

"After all, it is no great matter," said father.

"You are now only in the fourth grade. When you have gone to school longer you will learn all about it."

"Maybe so," said Harry with a reassuring smile. "The teacher says that even lots of eight-grade boys and girls don't understand longitude and latitude."

A Bad Shot.
Chemist—"Did you kill any moths with the moth balls I gave you?"

Customer—"No, I tried for five hours and I couldn't hit a blessed one."

SEASON'S FIRST CARNIVAL SOON

Date Not Set Yet But Event Planned For Some Time Within Next Few Weeks.

Patrons of the skating rink will be glad to learn that a Carnival is being planned to take place at an early date. The exact date of the event has not yet been definitely set but it is expected that this will be decided within a few days and the carnival set for some time within the next few weeks. In the meantime the announcement will be awaited with interest. A fancy dress carnival always draws a large local patronage and invariably attracts many visitors from north shore points. This winter's event will not differ in this way from those of previous years and the occasion may result in drawing a record crowd. Prizes for original costumes will likely be offered and this will be an incentive for those attending to go to some pains to prepare attractive and original costumes for the coming event.

LOCAL NURSES TO GRADUATE

First Graduation Exercises of Soldiers' Memorial Hospital Set For Mar. 16th.—The Program.

The Town Hall here will be the scene of an interesting event on Monday March 16th, when the Nurses in Training School of the Soldiers' Memorial Hospital will hold the first graduating exercises. These exercises will take place at 8:30 p. m., an interesting program has been arranged for the occasion and several nurses will be awarded their diplomas.

Invitations have been issued to out of town guests, and no personal invitation will be sent to people in town, but the general public are all invited to be present. Everything is being done by the ladies in charge to make this event a memorable one.

In connection with the Hospital there is the "Alumnae Association," whose objects and purposes are to promote in health and good feeling among graduate nurses, the advancement of the interest in the nursing profession, to provide a benefit or a loan fund for ill members, and the promotion of a high standard of professional honor among nurses in all their relations.

The association has its officers, constitution and by-laws, and will have a far-reaching effect in keeping this worthy institution up to a high standard of efficiency.

Following is the program for the graduating exercises:

Instrumental March—Mrs. Fred Campbell.
Opening Address—Judge McLatchy O Canada—Mixed Quartette.

Florence Nightingale Pledge by Graduating Class.

Song—For You Alone—Mrs. Godfrey.

Presentation—F. M. Anderson Memorial Prize, by Mrs. F. M. Anderson.

Presentation—Medal Board Prizes, by Dr. Murray.

Address to Graduates—By Dr. W. W. Chipman, Montreal.

GOD SAVE THE KING
Following is the Graduates Class for 1925.

Mrs. H. M. Palmer, Rexton, N. B. Miss R. K. Henderson, Eel River, N. B.

Miss E. M. Glover, Point la Pique, N. B. Miss M. M. Adams, Matapedia, Que.

Miss J. M. Jamieson, Dalhousie, N. B. Miss A. M. Brahm, New Richmond, P. Q.

Miss F. M. Adams, Matapedia, Que.

UNITED SERVICES
The united services of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches on Sunday last were very largely attended.

Owing to the illness of Rev. W. W. McNairn, the Rev. W. S. Godfrey was the speaker at both services and his addresses were listened to with rapt attention both morning and evening. Special music was rendered by the joint choirs on Sunday evening and was especially much enjoyed by the large congregation. A quartet, specially rendered by Messrs. Leavitt, Le Roy, Sunderland and Ramsay was one of the features of the musical program.

Solo by Mrs. M. M. Adams, Matapedia, Que. Just a memory fond and true; Just a token of affection and a heart-ache still for you. Inserted by wife, son and daughters.

HOCKEY CLUBS CONSIDERING MOVE IN BEHALF OF DIFFERENT SPORTS HERE

Local League Hockey Games Arranged For—Will Secure Rink Building For Basket Ball—Future Plans May Result In Establishing All-Round Athletic Association Here.

LOCALS PLAYED A BRILLIANT GAME

Won Hard Fought Victory Over Fast New Glasgow Team Here Last Night.

Displaying a brilliant brand of hockey the locals won a 4-2 victory over the fast New Glasgow team here last night in one of the fastest and cleanest hockey matches witnessed in the Campbellton rink in recent years. The visitors are a strong aggregation and exhibited excellent stick-handling and combination play. The game was closely contested throughout and it was a pity that a much larger number of spectators were not on hand for the match. The locals were called on to put their best into last night's game and their steadily improving skill made the contest one that was a pleasure to watch.

At present a match with Amherst is being arranged for and it is expected this will be for Monday or Tuesday night.

ICE BREAKING UP IN BAY CHALEUR

Area Between Beresford and Jacquet River About Free of Ice Already.

The ice in the Bay Chaleur is rapidly breaking up between Beresford and Jacquet River it is practically all open, a most unusual thing for this time of the year.

Between Beresford and Bathurst there is considerable ice, but the mild weather prevailing is expected to have a weakening effect upon it.

The channel in the harbor at Bathurst has been open for some time past due to the mild weather conditions existing during the past week.

HUGE FORGERY IS DISCLOSED

Nearly Half Million In Forged C. P. R. Travellers Checks Cashed in U. S.

Montreal, March 4.—Forged Canadian Pacific Railway travellers checks to the extent of approximately half a million dollars have been cashed recently in the United States, it was learned here today.

Local banking institutions have during the past few days received hundreds of these forged checks, passed on American firms and forwarded here for honoring.

It was pointed out at the headquarters of the Canadian Pacific here that the company does not issue travellers' checks, and never did. All these checks cashed over the border, therefore, must be forgeries officials said.

TALENTED SINGER HERE SUNDAY

Thomas Welsh of Montreal A Baritone Soloist of Exceptional Ability

Those familiar with the exceptional vocal ability of Mr. Thomas Welsh will be pleased to learn that he will be a visitor to town during the coming week-end and will give in one of the local churches. Mr. Welsh was in town last Sunday and sang at both the Anglican and Presbyterian churches. His solo were particularly fine on that occasion and the choirs of both churches were enthusiastic in conveying their thanks to the talented singer.

Mr. Welsh has a baritone voice of exceptional quality. His singing has a deep, rich tone and a suggestion of the grand old days of the great entertainers and his many sources here are looking forward to hearing his voice on the program at C. N. R. A. at Moncton in the near future.

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MAN SHOT WHILE HUNTING MOOSE

Gloucester Man Illegally Hunting Shot by Cousin Who Was One of Party.

Fredericton, March 4.—Chief Game Warden L. A. Gagnon stated this morning that he had received official confirmation of the shooting fatality near Upper Pokemouche, Gloucester County, of which he had been advised a few days ago, although the names of the parties concerned were unknown at that time.

The victim of the accident was Oliver Landry, who with his brother William Landry, and George Landry, a cousin, all of Upper Pokemouche, had been hunting a moose with a dog. The party had followed the animal for eight miles when Oliver, who was leading the party was shot in the back by the accidental discharge of the rifle which his cousin was carrying and which had caught in a tree as the latter was passing under it. The bullet passed through the unfortunate man's body, and passing out, went through his elbow.

William Landry, brother of the victim, set out immediately to procure assistance, George remaining with the accident victim who expired in an hour and a half.

What "White Star" do you commit?