

ALEX. GRAY IS NEW PRESIDENT

Saint John Man Heads N. B. Association of Engineers

Banquet is Held in Beatty Hotel and Address Given on Radio Direction Finding

At the annual meeting of the association of Professional Engineers of New Brunswick, held last evening in the Beatty hotel, Alex. Gray, federal public works engineer in charge of Saint John harbor, was elected president, and J. D. McArthur, of Moncton, vice-president. Preceding the business session a banquet was held and an address given by Lt. Commander C. P. Edwards, Ottawa office.

S. R. Weston and H. Phillips were chosen councillors for the Saint John district. Prof. H. W. McNeill, of Mount Allison University, and G. C. Torrens, C. N. R., Moncton, for the Moncton district. Prof. J. Stephens, of the University of New Brunswick, of the Fredericton district and W. R. Campbell, of the C. N. R., Campbellton, for the Chatham district.

NAMED DELEGATES.

A. R. Crookshank and A. A. Turnbull were named auditors and Alexander Gray and H. A. Turner, of Fredericton, were chosen delegates to the meeting of provincial associations at Montreal on Feb. 2, 3 and 4. C. C. Kirby, Saint John, and C. S. G. Rogers, Moncton, were elected substitutes.

There was a large attendance of professional engineers from Saint John, Fredericton, Moncton, Sackville and other districts. President F. O. Condon, of Moncton, occupied the chair and considerable business of importance to the engineering profession was transacted.

DIRECTION FINDING.

The subject of Lt. Commander Edwards' address was radio direction finding and the lecture was illustrated with moving pictures and slides. The speaker traced the growth of radio and gave instances of where this direction finding stations had saved ships from being wrecked.

Seven of the eight direction finding stations of Canada are on the Atlantic coast. The two guiding ships on the Bay of Fundy are located at Red Head and Yarmouth. The local station has a range of about 250 miles. A vote of thanks to the speaker was moved by Geoffrey Stead and seconded by F. P. Vaughan.

ATTACKS DRY LAW

Boston Priest Calls it Greater Evil Than Old-time Saloon

BOSTON, Jan. 22.—The fact that the prohibition law is on the statute books does not make it sacred, the Rev. Charles J. McTear, S. J., said in discussing an anti-prohibition sermon which he delivered at St. Mary's Catholic church here. He denied, however, that he advocated non-resistance of the law, as published in reports of the sermon.

"The remedy is repeal of the law," the priest said. "The people should get together and do away with it. I said that the law was immoral in itself and interferes with the liberty of the citizens and attacked the position taken by those who hold that a law should be observed merely because it is a law and on the statute books. There are many silly laws which the authorities dare not enforce."

AGAINST LOBBYIST.

"I said that the President and the members of the United States Senate should not permit a certain well-known lobbyist to enter the senate committee rooms, as reported, and attempt to influence legislation."

"I believe that the prohibition law is a greater evil in itself than was the old-fashioned saloon. The prohibition law has bred a new group of drinkers. Young people are now imbibing, especially young girls. I tell you, it is terrible."

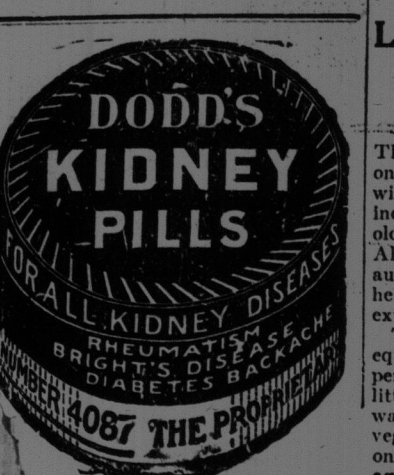
"The Catholic church has never taught prohibition. It has always taught temperance."

New Business Body Started in Boston

BOSTON, Jan. 22.—An international movement, with the recognition of business as a profession as its goal, has been launched under the direction of the newly organized Business Historical Society.

Judge Elbert H. Gary, president of the United States Steel Corporation; Sir Henry W. Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railway; William Cardinal O'Connell, ranking archbishop of the Catholic Church; and Secretary of Commerce Hoover are among the leaders of this new movement.

Development of business as a science is one of the principal aims of the society.



Heads Association



ALEX. GRAY.

In Parliament Today

IN THE HOUSE—Debate on the address will be continued by F. Rinfret, Liberal, St. James, Montreal.

THE SENATE will not sit.

SEEKING CAUSE OF RADIO TROUBLES

Officials Getting After it to Ensure Clearer Reception By Owners of Sets

That every effort was being made to find the source of interference found by radio fans in the Maritime Provinces and to remedy conditions, which were believed to be caused by induction on power lines and leaking transformers, was said yesterday following a conference here.

C. P. Edwards, director of the radio-telegraph branch of the marine and fisheries department, Ottawa; A. Sutherland, Halifax, Maritime superintendent of radio-telegraphy; William Hogan, port supervisor of radio; A. E. Megarity, local radio engineer, and others interested attended.

Mr. Sutherland promised that every effort would be made to see that a clear reception was enjoyed by the local enthusiasts and that a trained man would be placed in the Maritime Provinces permanently to locate trouble. Equipment was on the way here now.

Mr. Hogan said the department was hampered by the fact that only about 40 per cent. of the radio owners in this section were licensed.

2,500 DOUKHOBORS RETURN TO RUSSIA

300 Families Sell 50,000 Acres in Saskatchewan For \$1,250,000

WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 22.—Having disposed of their farm lands, totalling 50,000 acres in the Kamsack district of Saskatchewan, for the sum of \$1,250,000, 300 Doukhobor families will return to Russia immediately. Ukrainian immigration and colonization associations of Edmonton, in purchasing the land, making a cash payment of \$625,000. The purchase includes household furniture and all farm implements.

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Famous Hobo Hotel Raided By Police

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Jan. 22.—"Hoboes' Rest," the boxcar winter resort of the Weary Willies, is gone. Deserted and shorn of the conveniences gathered by many a follower on the open roads, the once cozy hangout now is only an empty boxcar on a siding near the Rock Island freight depot.

Sterns, who had packed the place recently and put John Ryan and George Myers, alleged permanent caretakers of the "hotel" in jail. Until the interruption by city detectives, the box car had been as widely known as many of the more famous millionaire resorts of Colorado Springs.

Three Generations of Women

More than 60 years ago there originated in Lynn, Mass., from a recipe of roots and herbs a medicine for the alleviation of women's ills, now known as the Vegetable Compound. The young women of this generation, their mothers and grandmothers, have found it to be the most dependable remedy for such ailments as indicated by backache, headaches, and nervous troubles. If you are suffering from anything of this nature, it will pay you to try it.

Lazy Man Lives On Maidstone Council

MAIDSTONE, England, Jan. 22.—This Kentish town has a dark problem on its hands. The corporation is faced with the prospect of having to maintain indefinitely a big and husky 22-year-old Jamaica negro who will not work. Already he has been boarded by the authorities for 12 months and because he is a British subject he cannot be extradited.

The man is tremendously strong and equally lazy. Recently, after much persuasion, he was induced to do a little gardening, but soon afterward was found pulling up and eating the vegetables. At night he sleeps sitting on his pillow, with his back resting against a wall.

ARE PROMOTED TO HIGH RANK

First Canadian Commissioners in Salvation Army Reach City

Lt. Com. and Mrs. W. J. B. Turner to Command in South America

The first Canadians to be promoted to the rank of commissioner in the Salvation Army in this country are Lieut. Commissioner and Mrs. W. J. B. Turner, who arrived in the city yesterday en route to South America where they have been placed in charge of the entire work on that continent. They will sail this afternoon on the C. P. S. liner Montclair for Liverpool and will proceed from there to their new field.

They took up the work in Toronto about 40 years ago in the early days of the Salvation Army in this country. Mrs. Turner is accorded equal rank with her husband, by consistent work. During the entire time they have been stationed in Canada except for the last five years when they have been working as chief secretaries for the Salvation Army in the western states, with headquarters at San Francisco. Here they held the rank of colonel.

The success they met with there caused their promotion to their present high rank. While there have always been commissioners in Canada, a local officer said this morning, this was the first time in Salvation Army history that the promotion had come in Canada.

The two visitors addressed a large audience last evening at the Broadway street hall. During the afternoon they held a special session with all the local officers and matters connected with the work were discussed.

WOMEN'S HOSPITAL AID WORK RENEWED

Miss Howe Tenders Resignation—Action of Municipal Council Given Endorsement

The Women's Hospital Aid yesterday afternoon endorsed the Municipal Council's action in making a grant for maternity cases and the maternity ward in the General Public Hospital. The work of the Victorian Order of Nurses was highly spoken of.

Mrs. O'Shaughnessy reported as convener for visiting the County Hospital. Mrs. M. Corkey was appointed visiting convener for next month. Mrs. Belyes reported on the Christmas treat for the children at the G. P. H. of which she and Miss Ella McGaffigan had charge.

Mrs. J. Boyle Travers, president, was in the chair. Miss Belle Howe tendered her resignation as social service worker, but the resignation was tabled until the annual meeting next month. The report of Mrs. Lester W. Mowry, treasurer, showed receipts \$822.98, expenditures of \$136.12 and a balance of \$686.86 in the general fund with \$801.71 in the emergency fund.

R. H. Gale, superintendent of the General Public Hospital, wrote to express the commissioners' appreciation of the aid's gifts to the hospital at Christmas and its interest in the institution at all times.

As it was said the best books from among those supplied to the General Public Hospital had disappeared from the shelves there was some discussion of the advisability of holding a Book Day, but no action was taken.

DENOMINATIONAL REPORTS.

Denominational reports were received. The Methodists sent 92 memberships, as follows: Zion 7, Portland 12 and Centenary 73. The Catholics reported five follow-up cases and care being given the family of a patient who had died. The Baptists reported a follow-up case receiving attention.

When preparations are being made for the annual meeting it was decided to ask Cortlandt Robinson to audit the books.

WINNIPEG MAKES BID FOR TOURISTS

Auto Tour to New Orleans to Demonstrate Accessibility at All Times

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 22.—The Canadian government will be represented in a special automobile party which leaves Winnipeg January 28, on a tour to New Orleans and return, as a demonstration of the accessibility of Winnipeg to motorists in all parts of the United States at all times of the year. Robert J. C. Stead, director of publicity of the Immigration Department, will accompany the party.

Stops will be made at St. Paul, Minneapolis, St. Joseph, Kansas City, Dallas, New Orleans, Memphis, St. Louis and Chicago. At these points the visitors from Canada will be met by various organizations when information concerning the attractions which Canada offers to tourists, investors and settlers, will be circulated.

Missionaries Support Korea College Plan

TOKYO, Jan. 22.—Despatches from Korea state a movement has been started by American missionaries there for establishment of a new university at Seoul. Considerable funds have been raised and it is hoped construction can be begun this year. The new university would be devoted to higher education for Koreans.

His Own Diagnosis. (Life.)

"Now, listen, doc," said the patient. "Before you start work on me I want you to know that I haven't got indigestion of the purse."

Weddings

Naves-Patterson.

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride's cousin, Miss Ethel May Patterson, 60 Erin street, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 20, at 9.30, in the presence of relatives and friends, when Miss Florence Mary Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson, of this city, became the bride of Kenneth David Naves. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. Taylor McKim.

The bride was becomingly attired in a dress of pale blue satin with shoes and stockings and hat to match. Miss Ethel May Patterson was bridesmaid and wore a dress of salmon pink with silver shoes and stockings and hat to match. The groom was supported by his uncle, Edmond Whitfield Dunham. After the ceremony a dainty wedding supper was served. Games and dancing were enjoyed afterwards. The groom is employed in the Atlantic Sugar Refineries and is a member of the R. C. N. Y. H. Mr. and Mrs. Naves will reside in Saint John and have the good wishes of a host of friends.

WHICH WORLD?

IT IS SAID by a writer that the motor car has enabled us to see more of the world. Yes, but which world, this or the next?—Punch.

Teachers' College Wars On Smoking

KIRKSVILLE, Mo., Jan. 22.—Smoking is absolutely out at the State Teachers College here.

Before the war there was no smoking about the campus nor on the school steps. It was unwritten law that such would not be tolerated. But "since the war it seems there has been a rather loose restriction on these trivial observations throughout our public institutions," according to a recent ruling of the Student Council. As result rules have been adopted banning tobacco from the campus.

Yesterday In Parliament

IN THE HOUSE—Debate on the address occupied the day. The speakers were: A. J. Doucet, Conservative, Kent, N. B.; R. H. Jenkins, Liberal, Quebec, P. E. I.; Hon. Robert Rogers, Conservative, South Winnipeg; Thomas McMillan, Liberal, South Huron; A. Speckman, Progressive, Red Deer. THE SENATE did not sit.

HOMEWARD BOUND. "All, we must be on the right road! There is the man we ran over this morning!"—Le Rire, Paris.

Deaths

Mrs. Julia Carney

Mrs. Julia Lloyd Carney, widow of Arthur Carney, passed away at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Emery, Edith Avenue, East Saint John, on Jan. 21 in the 82nd year of her age. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Samuel Emery and the Misses Margaret and Mary, all of Saint John, one brother, William O. Anthony, of Red Head, and two sisters, Mrs. Annie Anthony and Miss Mary Anthony, of Saint John. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Emery, to Stella Maris church.

Sydney G. Harding

Sydney G. Harding, aged 63 years, passed away at his home, 238 Duke street, yesterday following an illness of about three months. The late Mr. Harding was born in Chatham and came to Saint John 17 years ago. Before coming here he was employed as an engineer with the Steamship Navigation Company on the North Shore. On his removal here he followed his engineering activities and ran on the steamer Prince Rupert, then plying between Saint John and Digby. For the last two years he was employed by the Atlantic Sugar Refinery.

Mr. Harding was well known throughout the province and more particularly along the waterfront at Saint John and across the bay. He was a competent workman, popular and well liked and his passing will be regretted by many friends.

Harvard Professor Warns of 'Quakes

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 22.—Greatly increased research in seismology is essential to the welfare of crowded cities throughout the United States, according to Prof. Kirtley F. Mather, Harvard University's seismologist.

Dr. Mather told the United Press that "earthquakes are dangerous chiefly because we do not take adequate precautions against their effects, whereas it is possible to insure ourselves against damage by proper studies of their geographic distribution, historical sequence, activities and effects on buildings and on men."

Peter Folkins

The death of Peter Folkins occurred on Thursday, Jan. 21, at Springhill, N. S., at the age of 73 years. Mr. Folkins is survived by his wife and two daughters, Florence and Gladys, and four brothers, Elias A., of Midland; George W., of Saint John; J. Fenwick, of Millstream, and Dr. Clarence G., of Stanley. He also leaves two sisters, Mrs. Mary Weston and Miss Leah Folkins, of Stoneham, Mass. Interment will take place in Saint John.

Mount Allison Wins Debate With Visitors

SACKVILLE, Jan. 22.—Mount Allison debating team won the judges' decision, two to one, and also the majority decision of the audience over the Imperial universities debaters here last night in a debate on subject, "Resolved that western civilization is becoming a degenerating influence on mankind." The visitors upheld the affirmative.

Expects To Share In Florida Boom

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 22.—Real estate and financiers in this section of the South are expecting the present "boom" in Florida to extend in this direction before many months are preparing themselves for the anticipated enhancement in land values by acquiring huge tracts of suburban property and subdividing it into city lots.

Many big deals, some running into the millions of dollars, have been made in recent weeks and now, with the holiday season fading into history and spring fading in the offing, more activity in this line of real estate is expected.

Stores open 9 a.m. Close 6 p.m.

January Sale

Sale of Jap Kimonos

A special purchase of Japanese Kimonos, which we are offering at four special prices.

Jap Kimonos, in Fancy Crepes, hand embroidered and gaily colored floral designs on rose, popen, navy, sky and white grounds. Four styles. Prices \$2.35, \$2.65, \$2.85 and \$3.25. Also Satin Slippers in odd sizes, to clear, price 95c.

(See window display.)

(Whitewash Dept.—Second Floor.)

Special Selling Wool Hosiery

Odd Lines—Good Values

These are in plain colors and fancy mixtures, desirable quality and seasonable weights in following varieties.

Ladies' Ribbed Jaeger Wool Hose, in fawn, putty, beach and marl mixture, \$1.75 pair.

Ribbed Wool and Silk and Wool Hose—Fawn, grey, woodash, cork, navy and brown, in all sizes, 95c. and \$1.25 per pair.

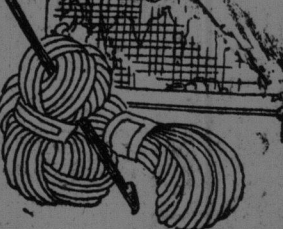
Children's Overstockings, in scarlet, grey, brown, black and white. Sizes 6 to 10-12. Price 90c. to \$1.25, according to size.

Children's Wool Overalls—Grey, scarlet, navy, brown. Prices \$2.50 to \$3.25, according to size.

Boys' Golf Hose—Fawn, brown, camel, grey and marl mixtures. Size 7 to 11. According to size, 85c. to \$1.25.

All Wool Fleish Color Invisibles—Sizes 9, 9 1-2, 10, 85c. per pair.

(Hosiery Dept.—Ground Floor.)



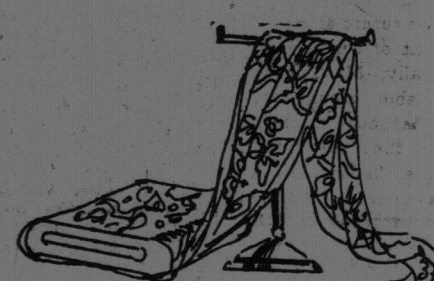
Children's Sweaters

In Pullover and Coat styles. Soft, warm makes. Just the right weight under a cloth coat, and heavier weights for skating, etc. Colors, red, blue, white, sand and peacock. Prices \$1.98 to \$4.

Navy "Fox Serge" Skirts with Bloomers to match.

Skirts, \$2 each. Bloomers, \$1.75 and \$2.90.

(Children's Dept.—Second Floor.)



Smart New Spring Fabrics Just Opened

in Wash Goods Department

Plain Voiles, 40 in. wide, 45c. yard.

Pink, Orchid, Lettuce Green, Tomato, Poppy, Copen, Peach, Navy, Black, White.

Printed Silk and Cotton Crepes—In new Floral and Modernistic designs. Beautiful combinations in all the newest colorings. 36 in. wide. \$1.20 and \$1.55 yard.

(Wash Goods Dept.—Ground Floor.)

January Sale of Fur Coats. Clearance Sale of Trimmed Hats. Big Sale of Stamped Needlework.

January Clearance Sale

Our Entire Stock of Men's, Youths' and Boys' Suits

In Tweed and Fancy Worsteds. Every Overcoat Reduced.

Our Special For This Week—End, \$20

This is a remarkable value and comes in the season's most favored colors; plain greys and browns, also heather and Lovatt mixtures.

Style—Full length, 3-way Belt and Storm Collar; quarter Polo lined. Sizes 36 to 44, inclusive. Special price \$20.

Note—All our Boys' Overcoats are included in this Big January Clearance Sale.

(Men's Clothing—Second Floor.)

Men's and Boys' Clothing Furnishings and Baggage

Men's Colored Shirts—Reliable makes, only a limited quantity. While they last, \$1.25.

Woven Patterns and Silk Stripes—A special purchase of which enables us to offer most unusual values. Special sale price \$2.25.

Extra Special Values in Men's High Grade Shirts. Sale price \$3.75.

BIG BARGAINS IN BAGGAGE Steamer Trunks, size 36. Price \$8.50, \$15, \$20.

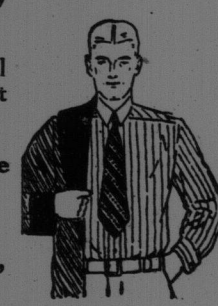
General Purpose and Wardrobe Trunks at bargain prices.

English Fibre Cases, 24 in. size, \$8.50; 26 in. size, \$10.

English Suit Cases—Tan leather cloth, with heavy leather corners and bindings. Size 22 in. Sale price \$10.

Boston Bags—Week-End Cases, Silk linings, and Portfolios, all greatly reduced to clear.

(Men's Furnishings—Ground Floor.)



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