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No Amendment To Prohibition

Premier Veniot, last week denied rumors that an amendment to prohibition is proposed. He said he had read and heard reports that light wines and beers were to be made available to the public, but he pointed out that there would be no amendment or change in the Act until the question was first passed on in plebiscite by the people, and that he would keep his word.

He was asked if he had noticed that temperance forces were reported to be organizing against the alleged amendment and he suggested that those supporting prohibition could easily have learned from him that no amendment was proposed.



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WILL SELL OUT ALCORN ASSETS

Court Issues Decree in Case of Big Northumberland Lumberman

Edward Girouard of Moncton master in chancery of the supreme court in the county of Westmorland announces that the extensive property of A. C. Alcorn, Ltd. of Blackville, Northumberland Co. in the two counties named to be sold under the hammer on April 30 in front of the City Hall, Moncton; pursuant to a decree of the court in favor of the Eastern Trust Co. plaintiff. The Alcorn corporation carried on an extensive lumber business in northern New Brunswick and became involved in financial difficulties in 1922.

The sale will include factories, mills, lumber; lumber lands; leasehold properties, pulpwood; booms; 62 square miles of Crown timber license; wharves; machinery, tools; poles; tanbank, horses; farm land and stock in the corporation's store at Renous; Northumberland Co. The property in Moncton consists of land

EXPECTS GENERAL ELECTION IN 1924

The Mail and Empire in a despatch from Ottawa says:—"Every day appears to make the Government's position more untenable and adds to the prospects of a general election this year and even this spring. It was felt that the support of the Ontario Progressives would be sufficient to keep the Government in office but conditions have reached such a pass in the cabinet that many believe the Government will not survive the session and that dissolution may come as early as May.

"It is understood the opposition will challenge the propriety of four ministers retaining their cabinet positions and will press their challenges to the extent of taking the

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opinion of Parliament. "One of these ministers is Hon. John Sinclair, minister without portfolio; who represents Queens; P.E.I. Against Mr. Sinclair it will be urged that his association with the real estate promotions in Prince Edward Island by a Government agent in London are sufficient to cause his retirement from the Govern-

"The second minister whose retirement will be demanded is Hon. E.J. McMurray; Solicitor-General; who as a member of two firms which are large debtors to the defunct Home Bank, it is urged cannot remain in a Government that decides on policy regarding the protection of Home Bank depositors. Mr. McMurray entered the Government after the failure of the Home Bank but before it was known where this institution had sustained its heavy losses.

"Two other ministers will also be subjected to similar motions for their removal from the cabinet or motions condemning the Government for retaining them. The allegations to be made against one are such that if substantiated, will certainly create a cabinet vacancy.

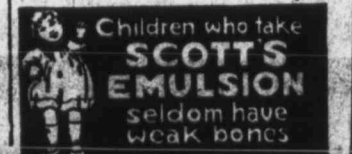
"Against the fourth minister under fire the charges are not so serious. The opposition is confident that in the attacks on the ministers they will force the Government to the country"

Premier King and Hon. E.J. McMurray declined to comment on an Ottawa despatch to the Toronto Mail and Empire discussing the position of several members of the cabinet. Hon. John Sinclair minister mentioned in the despatch is not in Ottawa.

Royal Bank Will Have Montreal's First Scrapper

Montreal, Feb. 18—The Royal Bank of Canada, which has in its Toronto office building the tallest structure in the British Empire, seems likely to have as its head office the tallest building in Montreal. Plans are well advanced for the construction of a fourteen-story office building here, which would be owned by interests friendly to the bank, and which would house the bank's head office activities. The building would be located at St. James and St. Peter streets, in the heart of the financial district.

A special by-law is now being nursed through the city council that will reverse Montreal's former aversion to anything higher than a ten story building. The by-law is along the lines of New York's new building code, which allows skyscrapers to be built providing the upper stories are set back, terraced fashion, so as not to obstruct the passage of light to the street below and adjoining buildings.



AMHERST HELD McLELLAN CUP

Amherst curlers in defending the McLellan cup Wednesday night defeated two rinks from Sackville, 43 to 22. Skips and scores were: Sackville Amherst R. Trites 12 Dr. O'Brien 20 H.M. Wood 10 E.S. Briggs 23 Total—22 43

DON'T CROSS YOUR LEGS

Do not cross your knees when you sit down, or you may develop varicose veins, H.G. Dixon; M. K.C.S. of London says.

One of the earliest factors of the causation of varicose veins of the legs is the habit crossing one knee over the other. I can conceive of no position better calculated to retard the normal flow of blood. No wonder the valves become disorganized in the course of years."

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Popular Traffic Appointments



D. R. Kennedy of Buffalo, as General Agent at Montreal; J. E. Parker, General Agent Steamship Traffic, Montreal to Toronto in the same capacity; and H. R. Mathewson to Buffalo, as General Agent, from the office of Assistant General Agent at Chicago.

Important changes in transportation circles just announced at the headquarters of the Canadian Pacific Railway affect six traffic men very well known throughout Canada and the United States, and offices at Montreal, Toronto, Buffalo and in the Orient.

E. F. L. Sturdee, general agent of the Canadian Pacific at Seattle has already left to take the post of Acting General Passenger Agent in the Orient. In recent changes, Mr. Sturdee stands senior in the service of the Company which he joined as junior clerk in 1893 at St. John, N.B. During his thirty-one years of service he has made many friends all over the North American Continent.

Edward Stone, although he only joined the Chicago office of the Canadian Pacific in 1918 has had long and varied service with rail and steamship business and his appointment as general agent at Shanghai meets with

general appreciation. For three years Mr. Stone represented the Canadian Pacific as General Agent at Yokohama.

H. B. Beaumont, who held important posts in the European service of the Company, and has for the last few years been General Agent of Ocean Traffic in Toronto, is appointed to the Montreal office as Assistant General Passenger Agent; Steamships. Mr. Beaumont was for many years connected with the Allan Line which company was absorbed by the Canadian Pacific.

Other important appointments are those of D. R. Kennedy of Buffalo as General Agent at Montreal; J. E. Parker, General Agent, Steamship Traffic, Montreal to Toronto in the same capacity; and H. R. Mathewson to Buffalo as General Agent, from the office of Assistant General Agent at Chicago.