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## PROVINCIAL AND WORLD'S NEWS

Calvin Presbyterian church, Pembroke, Ont., at a meeting of the congregation unanimously decided to tend a call to the Rev. Donald MacDorm, of Moncton, N. B.

Mrs. J. Alfred Wisely, formerly of Fredericton, passed away in Boston on Sunday after a brief illness from paralysis. She was a professional nurse and had been making her home in Boston for some years.

Richard D. Polley, of Upper Cape, Westmorland county, who is 52 years of age, committed suicide Friday night, under rather sad circumstances.

A diamond worth \$100 was picked up in his rubber heel by Sheriff McAfee, of Denver, Colo., recently. It was not discovered until he started to put on the same pair of shoes several days later.

George Tracey, age 52 years, a member of the firm of Cunard & Co., coal dealers, Halifax, was struck by the incoming suburban train at Rockingham, on Saturday night and instantly killed.

Miss Nancy Ferguson, daughter of Geo. Ferguson, Victoria street, Moncton, while removing bread from the oven Saturday morning was very badly burned. Her condition is reported precarious.

John Niemetz, a highway robber, died of a hatpin wound at Chicago, recently. When he attacked Mrs. Josephine Karmufsk recently, the woman, who is six feet tall and weighs 200 pounds, stabbed him behind the ear with her hatpin. The wound incapacitated him for flight and blood poisoning resulted.

A typist's hat pin injured another woman on a London omnibus and the typist was ordered to pay \$15 damages in Wandsworth County Court recently. This is the first time the danger of the unguarded hat pin has been recognized in an English court.

Hon. Peter Charles Keegan, of Van Buren, Me., has been asked by members of the Democrat party to become a candidate in the primaries for the party nomination for Governor, and has consented to do so. Hon. Mr. Keegan is well known in the city, having married a daughter of the late Mr. Owen Sharkey—Fredericton Gleaner.

The block system which Mr. Rolfe, chief electrician of the I. C. R. is to install on the main line between St. John and Hampton, will render practically impossible collisions and accidents of that nature. The present intention is to place mile blocks between St. John and Hampton and to have the new system in operation by the end of the year.

Students of Ohio State University have formed a co-operative association to lessen the cost of living. Twenty-five fraternities and clubs are in the scheme, and it is said that nearly 3000 pupils are reaping the benefits. Supplies are bought in carload lots from producers—meat, fruit, vegetables and coal. The students are financing and managing the enterprise.

"There is going to be a tragedy here," is said to have been the statement made by a young fellow named Randolph Edwards, aged 16, belonging to Halifax, just a moment or two before a shot was fired from a revolver in the boy's hands early Friday evening in the railway station at Truro, N. S., ending his own young life.

Two sisters, Olga and Sophie Ludloff, belonging to a prominent family at Kovno, Russia, fought a duel over a man. Armed with revolvers, they locked themselves in a darkened room and fired until both fell. Sophie was found dead and Olga badly wounded.

The two Chinese, John Leonard, and Fong Kee, who were arrested on warrants at the instigation of a girl, who claimed that she had been taken into the laundry of the defendants, corner of Cornwallis streets, Halifax, a few nights ago and rendered insensible by drugs, were arraigned before Stipendiary Fielding recently and pleaded not guilty to the charge.

The Anglican Synod concluded its sittings at Fredericton on Thursday last.

Fredericton, Nov. 6.—The Church of England Synod concluded its sittings this afternoon. Though it was the last meeting of the body, it proved to be more interesting in many respects than any previous ones. St. John was chosen as the next place of meeting on the invitation of the Rev. Gustav Kuhlring, who said he spoke on behalf of the Archbishop of St. John. On the suggestion of the bishop a motion was made that the next meeting be held at the first Tuesday in February, 1915. His Lordship pointed out what an advantage it would be to have the meeting after the close of the year. The motion after discussion was carried.

This means that the Synod will not meet again for sixteen months, and it is found that the plan works satisfactorily it is likely that it will continue and the synod meet annually hereafter the first part of each year. On motion of Canon Neales a vote of thanks was tendered to the committee which had raised the amount of some \$2,500 to meet the deficiency in the diocesan fund. On behalf of the committee Mr. Tilley appropriately replied and pointed out how much good work could always be done in this way if the attention of people were only called to such matters. The committee on the upkeep of the Cathedral reported that \$222 had been collected during the past year when \$500 was asked. The bishop spoke earnestly, most of this amount, he said, came from country parishes. The Cathedral itself had given \$4,200 towards the restoration fund to say nothing of its aid to the upkeep of the church. The appropriation made among several deaneries for domestic and foreign missions brought forth some warm remarks. The sum this year is increased by \$3,300 and several speakers condemned the system upon which the apportionment was made and said that their deaneries could not stand the additional tax. The committee replied that it only carried out the system as prescribed by the Synod. The deaneries will deal with the matter.

The resolution of Simeon Armstrong was taken up and on request was withdrawn after several pointed remarks. The speakers all agreed that there was much in Mr. Armstrong's sentiments, but thought it more in the interest of the church not to have such a resolution go on record. Mr. Armstrong complained of the rapidly with which many clergy-men conducted the service, not even giving the congregation a chance to make responses and he wanted the Synod to go on record that all clergy should read their services thoughtfully and expressively.

A resolution to the effect that the lay delegates to the Synod should in future be more carefully selected met with approval. The attendance at this Synod of such was very small. After the usual vote of thanks the Synod adjourned sine die.

This evening Prof. Smith, the Cathedral organist, gave a recital at the

St. John Chosen for Next Meeting

## LIBERALS WIN TWO ELECTIONS

Quebec Bye-Election Returns Two Liberals to Legislature

Montreal, Nov. 10.—St. John's county and Huntingdon county, Quebec, in bye-elections to-day both returned Liberal candidates to the legislature, though in the first named it was an independent Liberal that secured the seat, the nominee of the administration convention going down to defeat in a four-cornered contest, in which three of the candidates were Liberals and one independent.

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## HOME RULE GETS SET-BACK; RESULT OF BRITISH ELECTIONS

The Reading Election Fought Solely on The Home Rule Issue and Insurance Act by the Unionists—Ulster Jubilant Over the Results.

London, Nov. 10.—The results of the parliamentary bye-elections held in Linlithgow, Scotland, and Reading, England, are greeted with the wildest enthusiasm in all Unionist quarters and particularly in Ulster. All the Unionist papers, in the editorials, declare that after two such staggering blows it would be impossible for the Government to persist in disregarding the demands for a fresh appeal to the county on the Home Rule bill.

The Reading election was fought by the Unionists solely on the Home Rule issue and the Insurance Act. The Liberal candidate sought to defend the policy of the present administration from every standpoint. Neither side made any reference to the fiscal policy.

The excitement was intense when the poll was declared. Captain Wilson had a clear majority over both his opponents, and he declared that the verdict of Reading was particularly directed against the Home Rule bill.

Mr. Gooch said the result was due to the Government's policy of social reform treading on the toes of individual members of the community. The militant suffragettes supported Capt. Wilson. Just before the polls a large squad of militants arrived. The town hall where the counting took place was strongly guarded by a double force of policemen, while the polling places were carefully watched throughout the day, as an attack on the ballot boxes was feared.

The Liberal candidate, Mr. Gooch,

was formerly a member for Bath. He entered the constituency only on the eve of the election. Three other elections are still pending, namely, South Lanark, Jeighley and Wickburys.

The Sunday Observer, Unionist, says that if Mr. Asquith and his colleagues keep "full steam ahead" against Saturday's double danger signal, "they proclaim themselves as madmen, whom it would be right to stop at any hazard."

The Daily News, Liberal, says the Reading result was brought about by the socialist intervention and the women's opposition to the Liberal candidate.

The Chronicle, Liberal, says that Reading figures, quickly analyzed, need cause no alarm. The deceased majority in Linlithgow is more serious.

London, Nov. 11.—The Manchester Guardian, in explaining the electoral events of last week, refers to the grave harm done the Liberal candidates in both Reading and Linlithgow, owing to the workingmen's indignation at the imprisonment of Larkin, the Dublin labor leader, and says that so long as Larkin is in prison, and the Ulster incendiaries not, the labor voters will continue to be incensed. Another cause for the loss of Liberal votes was undoubtedly the continued unpopularity of the Insurance Act. The paper points out that taking the two constituencies together, there is shown an actual majority of 453 votes in favor of home rule.

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## SPLENDID DISPLAY OF FIELD ROOTS

Grown on the Canadian Pacific Railway Demonstration Farm at Fredericton Junction

The Fredericton Board of Trade office window is presenting a splendid display of field roots, consisting of potatoes, turnips, mangold wurzels and cabbages grown on the Canadian Pacific Railway Demonstration Farm at Fredericton Junction. Although this farm has only been in operation for about two years, under the direction of Mr. W. Hingworth, formerly of Fredericton, excellent results have been obtained and the products have proven a great source of satisfaction on the dining cars of the company's trains on which they are used.

WORK OF THE NEW BRUNSWICK FRUIT GROWERS' ASS'N Procures High Grade Fruit Trees and Spraying Materials for its Members at Minimum Prices

The Association continues to do good work for the fruit growers and is creating a steady interest and increase in co-operative effort. During 1912 and 1913 the Association supplied its members with nearly 30,000 fruit trees, most of which were sold at 22c, 23c, 24c and 25c per tree, and also with several thousand small fruits. The nurseries in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia have been supplied by the Association with scions and buds taken from good bearing trees of the varieties most in demand in the province and consequently the supply of maritime grown trees of the best varieties true to name available for planting in New Brunswick in the spring of 1914, is practically twice as large as three years ago. As the bulk of the trees placed throughout the province annually by agents are sold at prices ranging from 30c to 45c, and even to 50c, per tree, it is easy to see that the Association is saving its members hundreds of dollars in the purchase of their fruit trees. By ordering nursery stock in large quantities, the Association gets the very best the nurseryman has to offer and gets it at wholesale or the lowest possible price, as the agent's commission and expenses are omitted. In a similar manner, a large quantity of spraying materials consisting of lime-sulphur and lead arsenate were purchased from Nova Scotia by the Association and distributed to its members at cost price. Other supplies such as pruning tools and packing appliances and materials, etc., are secured at cost price on request.

For full particulars and Annual Reports, write to: The Secretary, New Brunswick Fruit Growers' Association, Fredericton.

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At the opening session of the mock parliament, conducted by the law students at Dalhousie University, George M. McDade, formerly public utility commissioner for Fredericton, moved the adoption of the speech from the throne. The Halifax Herald, speaking of Mr. McDade's address, has the following: "The honorable member from St. John, Mr. McDade, moved the adoption of the speech from the throne in a short but very effective maiden address." The papers also state that the mock parliament is the best in years.

## LOCAL SCHOOL REPORTS

Douglstown Superior School

The following is the standing of the leading pupils of Douglstown Superior School for October, names arranged in the order of merit:

- Grade X—David Gulliver, 81; John Woods, 76; Eliza Simpson, 75; Ruth Henderson, 71; Eric Benn, 68; Kathleen Benn, 65; Myrtle Kirkpatrick, 63; Harry Anderson, 60; Iris Howe, 53. Never absent—John Wood, H. Anderson, D. Gulliver, Eliza Simpson, Iris Howe.
- Grade IX—Harry Spencer, 60.
- Grade VIII—Andrew Simpson, 77; Mildred Wood, 63; Andrew Cowie, 59; Gladys Anderson, 58; Stella Bransfield and Bella Ryan, 55; Wm. Taylor, Jean Taylor and James Henderson.
- Grade VII—Marguerite Craig, 80½; Wm. Jessamin, 74; Florence Breen, 69; Kathleen Cameron, 61; Burton Anderson, 60.9; Flora McKenzie, 60.6; Kate Pittman, 55; Sandy Ryan, 54.5; Annie DeWolfe and Charles Howe, 54; Annie Driscoll, 51; Hazel Wood, Herbert Jessamin, Maggie Grant, Peter McCosh, Perley Roy, Thomas Cowie. Present every day—B. Anderson, F. McKenzie, F. Breen, K. Cameron, M. Craig.
- Grade VI—Robert Wood, and Mary Nowlan, 64½; Clyde Gulliver, 52; Edward DeWolfe, 51½. Perfect attendance—R. Wood, Arthur Wood, Sylvie Thibault, Mayme Mullin, Clinton Dickie, Bertha Atkinson, Maggie Kirkpatrick, Albert Dinan, Clyde Gulliver.
- Grade V—Jessie McKenzie, 75; Jani Vautour, 73; Roger Nowlan, 69; Annie Young, 61; May Russell and Jack Cowie, 58; Mary Hutchinson, 52; Barbara Craig, 51½; Rachael Anderson, 51. Perfect attendance—B. Craig, A. Young, J. Vautour, J. McKenzie, Johnstone Gelkie, Jack Cowie, Edmund Gaudet, Wm. Sickles.
- Grade IV—Josie Breen, 92; Gladys Sleeth, 86; Ruyard Henderson, 81; Annie Nolan, 80; Marjoe Gray, 78; Maggie Wood, 76; Ernest Lee and Geo. Driscoll, 73; Jean Gulliver, 72; Harold Mullin, 65; Margaret Simpson, 67; Eloise Anderson, 66; Weldon Jardine, 63; Dora Holmes, 61; Geo. Jessamin, 58; James Ryan, 57; Yvonne Vautour, 55; Florence DeWolfe, 53. Perfect attendance—Clara Atkinson, May Kirkpatrick, E. Anderson, M. Simpson, G. Driscoll, Maggie Wood.
- Grade III—Marguerite Thibault, 79; Marion Sleeth, 75; Isabel Wood, 72½; Marjoe Cameron, 72; Annie Lloyd, 71; Jack McCosh, 65; Arthur Young, 63; Dorothy Atkinson, 62; Harriet Dickie, 52; Margaret Williston, 50½. Perfect attendance—M. Thibault, J. Cameron, M. Cameron, M. Williston, J. Gulliver.
- Grade II—Audrey Bule, May Sickles, Emmett Hagarty, Frances Thibault, Muriel Russell, 80; Harry Simpson, John Craig, Leitha Spurr, 78; Florence Mullin, Helen Dickens, Patrick Lloyd, 75; Regina McDonald, Agnes Wood, Emily Daigle, Frank Russell, 70; Robt. Wood, Oscar Bjurstrom, 69; Wilfrid Gaudet, May Dinan, 60; Elliott Cowie, Wm. and Burton Howe, 55. Perfect attendance—H. Simpson, F. Mullin, H. Dickens, A. Wood, F. Thibault, J. Craig, P. Lloyd, E. Hagarty.
- Grade I—Elsie Anderson, Helen Kirkpatrick, Fred Vye, Kathleen Young, 85; Genevieve Gelkie, 80; Annie Cowie, Irene McDonald, Cecelia Lee, 78; Harvey and Mary Boudreau and Vincent DeWolfe, 76; Annie Gulliver, 70; Ben Gaudet, 60; Harry Ryan and Joseph Taylor, 50. Perfect attendance—C. Lee, K. Young, E. Anderson.

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