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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19th, 1922

## I. C. R. HEADQUARTERS FOR MONCTON

Proposed changes to be made in connection with the management of the Government railways possess some features which commend themselves to the various parts of Canada and especially to the Maritime Provinces, where naturally a removal of the Intercolonial Headquarters from Moncton to Toronto where officials in charge are to great extent not nearly so conversant as they might be with Maritime Province conditions, and hence neither able or willing to handle matters in this connection to the advantage of the Lower Provinces.

It is, perhaps, trite to say that Canada is a country of vast extent, and no part of it has, quite a thorough knowledge necessary for sympathetic consideration of the rest. The handling of the railway problem is one, if not the biggest issues which the government has to face. Neither of the old parties is clear of censure in connection with the policy of railway development in this country, but what is done, is done. The past cannot be recalled. The present and the future only are now of practical interest and it appears that the proper handling of the vast and varied interest in connection with our railway problems in units lies under a general control. Our I. C. R. unit headquarters as of old at Moncton with officials in charge who are men of tried records; conversant with Maritime problems and conditions and both able and willing to handle these to the best advantage not only from a local point of view but also from broad national view point. Sectionalism alone is a detriment, and Canada has too much of it to-day. The West has always looked out for its own interests and properly so. Ontario, the banner province, has long considered herself the major part of Canada. It therefore, behoves the Maritime Provinces to stand together in all matters that affect their common interests. With a population, on the whole, practically stationary for some years back it becomes more and more necessary for the Lower Provinces to act in concert, if they wish to retain a proper measure of influence in the councils of the nation.

There has been no time in many years so opportune as the present for presenting reasonable considerations. The Parliamentary representatives irrespective of party appear to be rising to the occasion. If they do not continue doing so with unremitting zeal, opportunities will be lost never to return. The Intercolonial is only one phase of the matter but it is an important one. So far as possible, too, Canadian export and import trade should be directed through Canadian ports. It is poor policy for Canada to build up American sea ports while our own ports at Halifax and St. John languish for the business which should find its way through them in the export and import trade of this country.

## TENTH ANNIVERSARY RIVERSIDE CEMETERY

The tenth anniversary of the Riverside Cemetery Company will be fittingly observed on the evening of April 25th (Tuesday) in Warren's Hall, and a number of important matters will come up for discussion, among which will be the question of erecting in Riverside Cemetery a suitable monument to the memory of the founders of the town. Ways and means will also be discussed for providing care for the older lots in the cemetery and, also for increasing present taxes on lots. The financial report will be presented and addresses will be delivered by the various clergymen of the town. These will be followed by a refreshment interval after which there will be in all likelihood reading of messages and letters from persons abroad who have friends and relatives buried in this cemetery. These letters and messages

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are usually accompanied by donations showing that those in other lands still keep alive the memory of their dead.

An opportunity will be offered for criticisms and suggestions from the meeting and this part of the programme will be followed by the election of officers. It is desirable that a large attendance be present.

## ATHLETES MUST SIGN AFFIDAVIT

If they Wish Recognition as Amateurs by M. P. A. A. U. of C.

The policy of requiring every athlete in the Maritime Provinces take an affidavit attesting his status as pure amateur status was endorsed by a vote of 55 to 33 at a special meeting of the Board of Governors of the Maritime Provinces Branch Amateur Athletic Union of Canada held in St. John. A very lengthy discussion was indulged in during which it was urged by a large number that no genuine amateur athlete had any good reason for refusing to sign the affidavit prepared by Mr. Covey. It was also argued that athletes who were not under suspicion in any way should not be expected to sign this document. Fault was also found with the wording of the affidavit it being alleged that many who were amateurs in spirit would be prevented from taking the affidavit. This latter objection was met by the statement that if for any relatively unimportant reason parties felt that they could not take the affidavit they might submit their reasons to the Registration Committee who would deal fairly with the cause and recommend admission to amateur ranks where the transgressions were of only a minor nature. Clubs affiliated with the M. P. B. A. A. U. C. in several parts of the Maritime Provinces were represented either by delegates or by proxy. Forty delegates in all were in attendance and the clubs objecting to the affidavit were with two exceptions from Nova Scotia and there is possibility of a secession movement from that province in respect particularly of baseball and hockey involving formation of an independent body that would seek affiliation with a larger body than M. P. B. A. A. U. of C. The amount of opposition to the Covey scheme is very large in Nova Scotia proper and Cape Breton is practically unanimous against it. Representatives from Bridgetown were Harry Magee and G. O. Thies. H. T. McKenzie, of this town, represented Lawrencetown in addressing the gathering is reported in the St. John Telegraph as saying that amateur rules were not well known before the war and perhaps some athletes who might have divided small sums amongst themselves could not take the affidavit with a clear conscience, and on the other hand there were some regular hold-outs who would not scruple to take it. The affidavit would, therefore, defeat its purpose. It would exclude some whom it was not meant to exclude and allow others in whom it was meant to keep out. In reply to a question from Mr. McKenzie, Mr. Covey said that if any of the two hundred or more against whom information was laid actually did take the affidavit the branch would grant him a card and it would be up to those who laid the information to substantiate their charges. Mr. Covey said that no one whose name was on the list knew that it was there and so such men were not likely to take any chances of being charged with perjury by taking the affidavit.

J. D. Collins, of the Amherst A. A. A., gave notice of motion to amend the definition of an amateur so as to permit an athlete to be reimbursed through his employer for time lost as a result of his participation in athletics. The meeting approved of this and the question will come up before the next annual meeting of the A. A. U. of Canada. In reply to a question from H. J. Sheehan, of the Young Men's Catholic Institute, Mr. Covey said that a committee of the national organization was considering the question of allowing paid instructors to compete as amateurs, after they had given up the work. It was announced that the Maritime swimming championships would be held at Acadia University in Wolf-

village on May 5th. The Wanderers Club of Halifax were awarded the Maritime track and field championships which will be held on August 23rd on their grounds on which occasion the fortieth anniversary of the foundation of the club will be observed.

A. C. Millie, of the Halifax Wanderers, was elected first Vice-President in succession to G. G. Thompson, of the Dartmouth A. A. A., who died last fall. Mr. Covey paid a tribute to the service for amateur athletics performed by the late Mr. Thompson, who, he said, was one of the best men the Association ever had.

Dr. J. J. MacDonald, of New Glasgow, was elected Honorary Vice-President and a member of the executive.

The matter of the Sussex protest of the Sussex-Charlottetown hockey game was left with the executive to decide.

Mr. Covey gave notice to amend the rules so as to permit a professional referee or umpire, not only in amateur wrestling, boxing, hockey and baseball, as allowed at present, but in all team games.

## A BROOK MONSTER

One of the largest trout the world might ever have seen was lost a few days ago by one of our local merchants as he crossed the bridge at Shaw's Brook. The story is both tragic and pathetic, and runs something like this: The merchant in question who conducts a fruit store and better known as the "Rabbit King" decided on a brief trouting trip, and after arriving home and listening to the success of others, relates this thrilling tale. After battling for a time he successfully landed a huge trout, its proportions were tremendous and almost unbelievable. Ultimately the trout was secured by the "gills" and the journey back to civilization begun. Over the bridge he wended his way but unfortunately he stumbled and the fish went flying; perhaps after all it was a "flying fish." Letters of sympathy have already been received.—Yarmouth Times.

## FIRST TRIP S. S. VALINDA

The steamer Valinda, Capt. Merriam, arrived early Friday morning on her first trip of the season from St. John. This was made somewhat later than last season on account of extensive repairs being made to the boat at St. John. She had a good trip over and brought a capacity cargo. She sailed for St. John Monday with a full cargo of cyder and apples.

This steamer, with a popular captain, and efficient management of owners and agents has built up an excellent carrying trade and is one of the several units which give Bridgetown a prominent advantage as a trading and distributing centre for the Annapolis Valley.

## CAN OUR READERS BEAT IT!

To the best of our knowledge, says the Eastern Chronicle, the biggest hen egg comes from Bailey's Brook. It was sent to this office by John McKinnon of that place and in common parlance is a whopper. It measures 6 1/2 inches round about one way and 5 1/2 inches the other. Over at McLaughlin's beat Bira, on their true-to-hair scales, it weighs exactly one-quarter of a pound. The producer of the bumper egg, Mr. McKinnon says, is a Yellow Buff.

## ST. MARY'S CHURCH, BELLEISLE

The Easter Festival in this church commenced on Easter-Eve at 8 o'clock—a bright and hearty service. On Easter-Day the Holy Communion was celebrated at eight a.m., and the usual afternoon service was held at three o'clock, when the rector preached on "The blessed mistake made by Mary Magdalene in regard to the empty Tomb of Jesus." The flowers for the Altar (Easter lilies) were kindly contributed by Mrs. Lyle.

Keep Wednesday, April 26th, an open date and see that wonderful entertainer, Henry, the magician. The prices are as follows: Adults 85c, and 75c; children 55c.

## BORN

SWIFT—At Bridgetown, April 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Swift, a son.

## YOUR GROCER



HAS IT

## Among the Churches

### BRIDGETOWN PRESBYTERIAN-METHODIST CIRCUIT

Rev. J. H. Freestone, Pastor.

Gordon-Providence United Church  
Sunday:—Sunday School and Adult Bible Classes at 10 a.m.; Public Worship at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; First Sunday each Calendar Quarter, Communion Service after Public Worship.  
Wednesday:—"Church Night" at 7:30.  
Friday:—"Young People's Night" at 7:30.

### Upper Granville Methodist Church

Services every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. alternately. Sunday School before services.  
Tuesday every alternate week, in Belleisle Hall at 7:30 p.m.

### Bentville Methodist Church

Service every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. alternately.  
Thursday, at 7:30 p.m. every alternate week.

### PARISH OF ST. JAMES' BRIDGETOWN

Rev. E. Underwood, Rector.

The services next Sunday (1st S. after Easter) will be:  
St. Peter's-by-the-Sea, Young's Cove, 11 a.m. (with Easter communion).  
St. Mary's, Belleisle, 3 p.m.  
St. James', Bridgetown, 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday School at usual hour.

### WEEK DAYS BRIDGETOWN

Friday, 7:30 p.m., followed by Choir practice.  
Taxis, Trail Ranger, and C. G. I. T. activities at usual time and place.

### BRIDGETOWN UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Clyde W. Robbins, Pastor.

### REGULAR SERVICES BRIDGETOWN, SUNDAY:

Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Church School, 12 m.  
Evening service 7:30 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY:

Prayer and Praise service 8:00 p.m.

### FRIDAY:

Young People's meeting 8:00 p.m.  
B. Y. P. U., Tuxis Boys, Trail Rangers, Junior and Senior C. G. I. T. groups.

### CENTRELEA SUNDAY:

Church School, 2:30 p.m.  
Public Worship, 3:30 p.m.

### TUESDAY:

B. Y. P. U., 8 p.m.

## Public Auction

SATURDAY, APRIL 29th.

Sale to commence at 1 p.m., on premises of the

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3-21. L. D. BROOKS, Auctioneer.

## Nova Scotia Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities

In the matter of the application of the Lawrencetown Electric Light Commissioners for approval of a new schedule of rates for electric energy.

## NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE THAT THE APPLICATION of the Lawrencetown Electric Light Commissioners for leave to abolish the flat rate schedule for electric energy and to substitute a meter rate schedule therefor, will be heard at the Board's rooms, Technical College Building, Halifax, N. S., at 10 a.m., on Thursday, the 27th day of April, 1922, when oral or written argument will be received.

A member of the Board will sit at the Demonstration Building, at Lawrencetown, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the 25th day of April, 1922, for the purpose of taking any evidence which may be submitted touching the application. Of which all persons interested will take notice and govern themselves accordingly. Such proposed schedule may be seen at the residence of F. H. Longley, Clerk for the Lawrencetown Electric Light Commissioners, at Lawrencetown.

3-11. L. B. TAYLOR, Clerk. Halifax, N. S., April 15th, 1922.

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## PERSONALS

Mrs. M. B. Dalby, of Souris, Manitoba, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Chute, Beausfield.  
Mr. and Mrs. James W. Moir, of Halifax, spent the Easter season in town, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Leslie.

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