Amendment To Comminsion

Shares of Property In Case of Intestate

and R. W. McLellan, for leave to introduce a bill to incorporate the Southwest River Log Company.

Staff Correspondent of The Times-Star Mr. Bordage presented a petition from the Commissioners of Richibucto Electric Light district for leave to introduce a bill.

Two bills relating to changes in civic government in Saint John and Marysville were favorably considered by the house in committee this afternoon and passed their final reading. They now go to Lieutenant-Covernor Todd for his formal ing. They now go to Lieutenant-Governor Todd for his formal

Assent and when this is given they become law.

In effect, the bill relating to Saint John means that there will be only one civic election in Saint John this year, instead of a primary and final election as has been the custom since the commission form of government was introduced, the primary contest heing abolished.

Hon. Mr. Tilley introduced a bill relating to the trustees of the Portland Church, the United Church of Canada Mr. Squires presented a petition for a bill to amend a bill relating to the husband could make would be to draw a will.

This act was for the purpose of meeting emergency cases. A man with the town of Woodstock for a bill providing for the retiring of debentures falling due 1926.

Hon. Mr. Richards presented a petition of the town of Woodstock for a bill providing for the retiring of debentures falling due 1926.

Hon. Mr. Reilly said a case might arise of parents transferring property to a son in return for support from him, and yet upon his death losing all control of that property.

The bill passed through the municipalities committee this morning with slight opposition. The enactment was piloted through the House by Premier Baxter.

MARYSVILLE BILL BACKED. The bill relating to the change in civic government for the town of Marysville, providing for election of a mayor and eight aldermen, the former to serve for one year, was explained to the House by Hon. C. D. Richards, Minister of Lands and Mines. This bill also was favorably reported.

BSTATES OF INTESTATE.

An important bill consucered by the House this afternoon was that relating to the distribution of estates of those dying without making a will. It was favorably reported and will become law.

Briefly, the act provides that if a man dies without making a will and leaving a widow but no children, his estate, where the net value thereof does not exceed \$20,000, the widow shall be entitled to \$20,000 and shall have a charge upon the estate for that sum. Of the residue of the estate, after payment of the sum \$20,000 and interest, one-half to those who could otherwise take the estate.

NET VALUE OF ESTATES.

WILD LAND TAXATION

Hon. Mr. Richards introduced a bill relating to the taxation of wild lands. Hon. Mr. Richards moved that bills woold had saved \$20,000 would not be fivel enough to die without a will. Mr. Baxter—Many are. Hon. Mr. Rakter—Many are. Hon. Mr. Baxter—Many are. Hon. Mr. Edulary said that this would be the time to make any change. Hon. Mr. Baxter—Many are. Hon. Mr. Baxter—Many are. Hon. Mr. Baxter—Many are. Hon. Mr. Baxter—Many are. Hon. Mr. Edulary, and and saved \$20,000 wull not be fived that solid my. Hon. Mr. Edulary, and and saved \$20,000 on will have a lating to the taxation of whole House for the whole House for the whole House for the whole House for the whole Hon. Mr. Baxter—Many are. Hon. Mr. Baxter—Many are. Hon. Mr. Edulary, an

The net value of the estate is the value after payment of the charges thereon and the debts, funeral expenses, expenses of administration and succession duty. The estate of a woman dying intestate shall be distributed



ed by his father and the same amount as in the case of a deserted wife may be ordered paid. A child shall be deemed to have been deserted by 1 is father within the meaning of this section when the child is under 16 years of age and when the father has refused or neglectd to supply such child with food or other necessaries when able to do so. Some discussion arose about limiting jurisdiction to a police magistrate and this was allowed to stand for further consideration.

BILLS READ SECOND TIME.

Act Is Passed By N. B.

Legislature

A bill amending several acts incorporating or relating to the town of Moncton; City of Moncton Assessment Act, 1924; a bill to further refund part of a loan made by the Commissioners of the General Public Hospital in Saint John of C. H. Peters' Sons, Ltd.

BE HELD THIS YEAR

No. B.

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Mr. Harrison said this provision applied when there were no other heirs. An estate of \$20,000 invested at 5 per cent. Would produce only \$1,000 n year, and he believed the widow should authorizing the town of Campbellton to borrow temporarily, the bill was grandchildren they would come in first. Under present conditions he did not consider \$20,000 an excessive amount.

LOG COMPANY BILL. Mr. Hekbert presented a petition from J. W. Brankley, Donald Fraser and R. W. McLellan, for leave to in-

CHURCH BILL INTRODUCED.

Hon. Mr. Richards presented a peti-tion for a bill authorizing the city of Fredericton to issue debentures to com-

MARYSVILLE MEASURE

Hon. Mr. Richards explained that the bill was to provide a change in the machinery for the election of Mayor and aldermen in the town of Marysville. It provided that a portion of the aldermen be elected once every two years, but the Mayor would be elected annually. Section four of the act should be deemed to have come into force on Dec. 31, 1925, to validate the election held last January.

Hon. Mr. Richards moved that the bill be reported as amended.

SAINT JOHN WEASURE

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This radically changes the present law where the widow received one-half personally and dower interest in the real estate.

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DESERTIED WIVES MEASURE.

As ack-respecting the maintenance of deserted wives and children also was sognidered by committee. Briefly, the act provides that a husband who has deserted his wife may be summing before a police magistrate who, if satisfied that the husband wilfully refused to maintain his wife or family, may order the husband to pay bis wife such weekly sum, not exceeding \$20, as the magistrate may consider proper.

The act provides that a married woman shall be deemed to have been been husband, because of his acts of cruelty, or of his refusal or neglect, without swifteient cause, to supply her with food and other necessaries when able to do so. Similar provision is made for a child who has been desert.

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Mr. Harrison said as the Premier had already been on the committee on uniformittee on uniformities all the pread the with the water and litteration. It correct

OPPOSITION CONCURS. Mr. Michaud, speaking on behalf of he opposition, concurred in what had been said with respect to this act, specially since it was based on the recommendation of the commission on uniformity of legislation. He found little to criticise in it, and he considered it had been given thoughtful consideration. He was in full accord with the principle of the bill.

Mr. Harrison gave an explanation with regard to some provisions of the bill.

Mr. Agar said that he approved of the provisions of the bill. Mr. Taylor asked what would be done for a moth-

BEST TO DRAW WILL

ONE CASE CITED.

Fredericton to issue debentures to complete water unit.

Hon. Mr. Richards presented a petition for a bill to authorize the City Council of Fredericton to issue debentures for the construction of permanent streets.

Hon. Mr. Richards presented a bill entitled The Victoria Public Hospital, 1006 which was eased a first time and much trouble to look up all his relatives in order to divide the construction of permanent streets. 1926, which was read a first time.

WILD LAND TAXATION

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no reason for adding interest to the amount of \$20,000 to which a widow would be entitled.

Hon. Mr. Reilly moved that the words "and interest" be stricken out.

The amendment was carried.

SUB-SECTION EXPLAINED.



She Could Never

a will, it would go to the widow. legitimatized by marriage of the par-Both dower and courtesy are done away with by this act. legitimatized by marriage of the par-ling for the payment of pensions and disability allowances to public school teachers and officials was taken under The bill was reported as amended.
The committee took up much of the business concerning the maintenance of deserted wives and children.

CASES OF DESERTION

Hon. Mr. Tilley said that all were acquainted with cases of desertion. Husbands when prosecuted would promise to pay and then not live up to heir account of the cases of the cases of desertion.

Mr. Harrison said that the bill referred only to police magistrates. There might be cases which would not come under the jurisdiction of such magisrates.
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Mr. Veniot said that was correct, and the bill might be allowed to stand for further consideration on that point. Hon. Mr. Reilly suggested that pro-vision be made for the service of notice on both parties. further consideration on that point.

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The committee rose and reported progress.

The House resumed at 8 o'clock and resolved itself into a committee of the whole with Mr. Squires in the chair.

Cipie of the bill, which was agreed to this province.

Bill No. 9, respecting the signing of the bill was agreed to.

The bill was agreed to.

Bill No. 12, an act to authorize the disposal of lands held for the Provincial Hospital, and particularly a grant to Mrs. Isabelle Lowell, was next taken up.

The bill was agreed to.

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Squires in the chair.

Bill No. 10, to amend the New Brunswick Elections Act, was considered.
Hon. Mr. Baxter explained that this bill also arose out of the illness of Sheriff McLeod, of Kings county. It provided also that in future the sheriff well-by the approval of the Lieuten-Husbands when prosecuted would promise to pay and then not live up to their promises. This bill contained no provision for getting after real estate which a deserting husband might own. Hon. Mr. Richards said there was a section which gave power of arrest and distress. He believed that would cover the matter.

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Mr. Harrison said that the difference of public schools. It may, with the approval of the Lieuten and secretaries of public schools. It may, with the approval of the Lieuten and secretaries of public schools.

Mr. Brooks took the point that agricultural deucation should be under the special deputy to perform duties imposed upon him by sections 23 and 24 of the New Brunswick Elections Act.

The bill was agreed to as amended.

MINOR BILLS AGREED TO

Bill No. 7, an act to amend an act resp

Hon. Mr. Baxter explained the principle of the bill, which was agreed to as amended.

VOCATIONAL BOARD.

Hon. Mr. Richards thought it might be necessary to have a clear co-ordina-tion of the various educational depart-

The committee then arose and reported the bills agreed to. on the Speaker resuming the chair the bills were ordered engrossed to be read a third time tomorrow.

The House adjourned at 9 o'clock.

The bill was agreed to.

Bill No. 13, an act to amend the school act, 1922, was next considered.

Hon. Dr. Baxter explained that the first section of the Act took the power At this evening's session the budget

P. R. I. ESTIMATES DOWN.

CHARLOTTETOWN, March 24—
The estimates were submitted in the Provincial Legislature this afternoon.

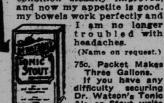
At this evening's session the budget Saunders, leader of the Opposition.

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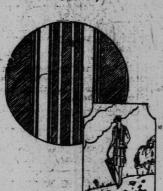
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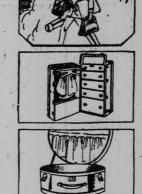
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