

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, 1918

HIGHWAY ACT IS DISCUSSED

Legislature Down to Business and First Evening Session is Held—Some St. John Matters

Fredericton, N. B., March 19.—The first evening session since the legislature opened was held tonight to discuss the new highway act, the debate having been postponed from the afternoon at the request of the opposition owing to the absence of so many of their members.

The bill met with an unusually favorable reception. The discussion, in committee of the whole house, was marked by a spirit of co-operation rather than antagonism, and government and opposition members alike joined in a harmonious effort to secure a workable act.

There was no great difference of opinion shown regarding the principles involved, expressions of approval on the part of the opposition being frequent, and the discussion was concerned chiefly with matters of detail.

The principle involved in dividing the roads into trunk and branch systems was not seriously questioned, but some inquiries were made regarding the classification.

Hon. Mr. Veniot explained that he would make no division until he had gone over the roads nor until he had consulted the people and their representatives of both sides of politics and had not changed it when he had the chance.

Seventeen of the eighty-nine sections had been considered when the committee arose and reported progress. Mr. Tilley introduced petitions for two St. John bills, one to provide that soldiers' names should be added to the election lists not later than seven days before the election day and the other to provide for taking a plebiscite on any subject designated by the common council at the same time as the election of commissioners.

The government is too expeditious for the opposition and the latter admits it. Last week the government was criticized by the opposition press for not rushing the business through with sufficient celerity, in spite of the fact that a record had been made in bringing down the new highways act.

Dr. Baxter thought it a step towards maritime union if co-operation with Nova Scotia could be secured for this reform.

Hopes Women Will Adopt This Habit As Well As Men

Glass of hot water each morning helps us look and feel clean, sweet, fresh.

Happy, bright, alert—vigorous and vivacious—a good clear skin, a natural, rosy complexion and freedom from illness are assured only by clean, healthy blood. If only every woman and likewise every man could realize the wonders of the morning glass, what a gratifying change would take place.

Instead of the thousands of sickly, anaemic-looking men, women and girls, with pasty or muddy complexions, instead of the multitudes of "nervous wrecks," "rundowns," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a vibrant, healthy throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking, each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations, poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into it. Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds, and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood, while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.

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If you have catarrh, catarrhal discharges, or head noises go to your druggist and get 1 oz. of **Parinaud** (double strength), take this home and add it to hot water and just a little sugar as directed in each package. Take 1 tablespoonful 4 times a day. This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucous stop dropping into the throat.

It is easy to make, tastes pleasant and costs little. Every one who has catarrh should give this treatment a trial. You will probably find it is just what you need.

A CHILD DOESN'T LAUGH AND PLAY

IF CONSTIPATED

If Peevish, Feverish and Sick, Give "California Syrup of Figs"

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills. Give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile, and cramping food out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "natural" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

also as to the amounts owing for seed and also to the greater production convention, also as to the dismissal and appointment of game wardens in Carleton county, and also as to bridge repairs in the parish of Rogersville, Northumberland county.

By Mr. Pinder as to the amount paid by the government to Peter J. Hughes for services to the province and as to what amount he still owes to him.

Mr. Burchill presented a petition of the Northwest Boon Company asking for an amendment to its act.

Hon. Mr. Veniot presented a petition from Percy W. Thomson and 1,200 persons in the city of St. John and a small number from Fredericton, Robbsey, Woodstock, Edmundston, Fairville, Hampton and other places, praying that the rule of the road be changed from left to right.

Mr. Dyson presented the petition of James Jardine and Fred. S. Sayre for the passage of an act relating to the Richibucto and Rexton electric light district.

Mr. Crook presented a petition of the town of Devon relating to a water system and taxation in said town.

Mr. Allard presented a petition of the Taberatic Boon Company for the passage of an act to amend the act incorporating said company.

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"Pape's Diapiesin" Makes Sick, Sour, Gassy Stomachs Feel Fine

Time! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas, acid, or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapiesin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest and most certain indigestion remedy in the whole world, and besides it is harmless.

Millions of men and women now eat their favorite foods without fear—they know Pape's Diapiesin will save them from any stomach misery.

Please, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin from any drug store. Don't keep on being miserable. Life is too short—you are not here long so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and digest it; enjoy it, without dread of rebellion in the stomach.

Pape's Diapiesin belongs in your home, anywhere. Should one of the family eat something without digesting it, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement at daytime or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.

HAVE DARK HAIR AND LOOK YOUNG

Nobody Can Tell When You Darken Gray, Faded Hair With Sage Tea

Who suffers the handicap of looking old, gray hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance. When the hair fades, turns gray and looks dry, wispy and scraggly just a few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur restores its appearance a hundred-fold. Either prepare the tonic at home or get from any drug store a large bottle of "Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," ready to use but listen, avoid preparations put up by druggists as they usually use too much sulphur, which makes the hair sticky. Get "Weyth's," which can always be depended upon to darken beautifully and is the best thing known.

By using Weyth's Sage and Sulphur no one can possibly tell that you dyed your hair. It does it so naturally and evenly—you moisten a sponge or soft brush, drawing this through the hair, taking one strand at a time, which requires but a few minutes. Do this at night and by morning the gray hair disappears, after another application or two its natural color is restored and it becomes glossy and lustrous and the appearance of youth is regained. This ready-to-use preparation is a delightful toilet requisite and not a medicine. It is not intended for cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

DEBATE AT OTTAWA IS SUDDENLY ENDED

Sir Wilfrid and Sir Robert Heard—Hon. Mr. Murphy's Speech Brings Debate to Close

Ottawa, March 19.—Government and opposition views of the election moral and of its results to date were aired in the contest today by the leaders, Sir Robert and Sir Wilfrid. A crowded and expectant chamber and galleries heaved to their feet to witness the debate.

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Cultivate Large Areas By Contract

Proposal Laid Before the Government for Plans for Season of 1919

Ottawa, Mar. 19.—It is understood that the government, in connection with plans being matured to provide for increased production for the season of 1919 and subsequent years, has had placed before it a suggestion that contractors who employ large forces of men should be given contracts to cultivate large areas of land for three periods. A five-year period, it is said, has been suggested, because it is thought that the price of grain is likely to remain high for a few years after the war. The details of the scheme, it is stated, are being worked out, but definite conclusions have not been arrived at as to its feasibility. The success of the proposal, it is thought, would be assured should the government decide to fix minimum prices for grain as suggested, according to despatches from the west, by Hon. C. A. Dunning of Saskatchewan, the member of the Canada Food Board in charge of production. The idea is to let contractors for the cultivation of certain areas in much the same way as contracts are let for public works or buildings. The contractor would supply the machinery and labor, and put the operations in charge of an agricultural expert, just as he would put a public works contract in charge of an engineer or entrust the supervision of the construction of a building to an architect.

SHOOT OLD FRIEND? THEN DIES SUDDENLY.

Assaulted Attracted By Heart Disease as Police Arrive.

Peekskill, N. Y., Mar. 19.—For many years William Weyant and Clarence Nasland had been intimate friends. In recent years they had been inseparable companions, and it was the daily custom of Weyant, who, fifty-two years old, was ten years his cousin's junior, to go to the Nasland home. Always when he made his journey Weyant carried a stick of candy or some other little offering for the Nasland children, who are quite young.

Weyant offered his gifts as usual and then the two men sat down in the parlour. They had been talking for an hour when Mrs. Nasland, many years her husband's junior, heard angry tones as she looked into the parlour to see what the trouble was she heard her husband ordering his old friend out of the house.

Half an hour later Weyant entered the office of Dr. E. De M. Lyon. He had a bullet wound in his neck and another in his right ankle. Neither wound was serious, and with tears in his eyes, Weyant told the doctor he had been shot by his old friend, Clarence Nasland.

Weyant shook his head and put him to bed. The doctor suggested that he be taken to the hospital, but he refused. He told the police of the assault. He went home instead.

An hour later Chief of Police McGinty heard of the shooting. He hurried with another policeman to the Nasland home. Nasland was found sitting in a chair. The police thought he was asleep. They made him get up and accompany them downstairs.

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