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Not Responsible For C.N.R. Position Says C.N.R. Head

St. Catharines, Ont. Feb. 2nd. — Apologizing for his inability to talk at length on the railway situation while under review by the Royal Commission recently appointed by the Dominion Government, Sir Henry Thornton, K.B.E., Chairman and President of the Canadian National Railways speaking before the Chamber of Commerce at its annual meeting here, in answer to recent criticism, said "I challenge the statement that the Canadian National Railways is in any sense responsible for the position of its privately owned competitor, referring to the remarks of J. T. Hackett, K.C., member for Staudeford, Quebec, in Toronto a few days ago. "As one who has spent his life in railway work, I may say with safety that the Canadian Pacific is a credit to the Dominion of Canada and is performing a distinguished Canadian service. But I say it is no more insolvent than any other great Canadian company. He remarked that the C. P. R.'s recent contribution to the National Service Loan was but one demonstration of its loyalty to the Dominion of Canada. The Canadian National Railways had spent far a larger proportion of its capital, he added, since 1923 on its own lines in order to serve the people of Canada efficiently in a comparison of expenditures on capital account with that of its privately owned competitor. Pointing the picture of a group of undernourished railway companies side by side, Sir Henry told his audience of the life blood that had to be pumped into these lines when they became the Canadian National System in order to make them function efficiently. In a speech between a gradual lapse into complete insolvency or the building up of an effective and efficient

SERIOUSLY ILL



Rev. Samuel W. Fallis, D.D., Book Steward and General Manager of the United Church Publishing House and The Ryerson Press, Toronto, since 1918, and considered one of the foremost preachers in Canada, is seriously ill.

VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

Resolution of the Special Committee passed at the Council Meeting of the Saint John Board of Trade 21st January 1932

WHEREAS there was expended in various parts of the Province certain sums of money for the establishment of Vocational Schools; and, Whereas such expenditures were sanctioned by the Provincial Vocational Board and Board of Education; and, Whereas — under Section 17 of the Act of 1923 — estimates to provide the necessary money for the operation of such Vocational Schools, including the amount required for teachers' salaries, were submitted to the Provincial Vocational Board and to the Governor in Council, and duly approved in compliance with the said Act; and, Whereas the Vocational Schools of the Province are thus obligated — until July 1932 for their expenses based upon estimates submitted as required by the Act; and, Whereas any departure from precedent involving the financial contribution of the Province, would gravely embarrass the local committees in carrying out the purposes of the Act;

RETIREES

William Kearns, who has just retired as Assistant Auditor-General for the Canadian Government after forty-eight years' service. He was presented with a purse of gold in an inscribed silver casket.

I. O. D. E.

The Annual Meeting of the Barrington Memorial Chapter, I. O. D. E., was held on Tuesday afternoon, February 2nd. The Regent, Mrs. C. M. Rideout, presided, and twenty-six members were in attendance. Meeting opened with the Prayer of the Order. Reports were given by the different officers, covering the year's work. Also the visiting committee for the school gave satisfactory reports concerning the lot lunches which are being given at the school to needy children. Much praise was given to Miss Myles, the Domestic Science teacher, under whose management these lunches are served. The Secretary's report was very carefully prepared, and was an interesting review of the year's work. In the absence of Mrs. John F. MacKenzie, the report was read by the Regent.

PERSONALS

A most enjoyable Leap Year Dinner was held at the Montmartre on Friday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Houghton, Miss Gertrude Collin, Miss Lillie Lang, Miss Leontine Gagne, Miss Renovia Bonneau, Miss Alma Cyr, Miss Sally Waters, Miss Edna Warren, Miss Daris Albert, Miss Annie Miller, Miss Irene Lajoie, Miss Cecile Matheson, Miss Alice Murphy, Miss Rose Thibault, Miss Jeanne Thibault, Miss Germaine Bernier, Miss Bangeine Bernier, Miss Germaine Gagnon, Miss Saydie Rossel, Miss Isabel Gagnon, Miss Isabel Ouellet, Miss Bernadine Bohan, Miss Evelyn Connelly, Miss Geraldine Berube, Miss Agnes Berube, Miss Geraldine Clavette, Miss Marie Gagne, Miss Marie Nadeau, Miss Beulah McIntosh, Miss Bea McLean, Miss Irene Ritchie, Miss Rita Jessop, Miss Ella Jessop, Miss Orla Seymour, Miss Sylvia Gagnon, Miss Freda Cyr, Miss Therese Poirer, Miss I. Eslinger, Messrs. A. Buck-Old, Alphonse Levesque, Cyril Gillis, Louis Belanger, Carl MacDonald, and a large number of friends. The evening was most enjoyable and the guests were most cordially entertained.

WHITE SQUIRREL CAPTURED IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Only Specimen of Its Kind Ever Discovered in Province Is Trapped Near Lincoln, Sunbury County, By Frederickton, N.B. — The Province of New Brunswick may now claim the distinction of producing a rather rare specimen of fur bearing animal — a white squirrel. The specimen was caught by Jack Felsing of Frederickton whose trap lines run near the village of Lincoln. Wanting to preserve such an oddity, the Department of Lands and Mines has purchased the squirrel from Felsing and will have the animal dressed and mounted. This unique and unusual animal is a member of the red squirrel family, so numerous in New Brunswick, having all the characteristics of the red squirrel, except that it is pure white in color. New Brunswick has a few squirrels, but these have been brought into the province in grain cars from Western Ontario, so officials of the Department of Lands and Mines assert. Albino deer are found in New Brunswick and during the big game hunting season last fall three of these animals were killed in the province. Two white otters have also been discovered in New Brunswick in recent years, and one of these animals has been preserved and mounted by the Department of Lands and Mines. The specimen of white squirrel which Mr. Felsing secured in a trap at Lincoln is the first and only specimen of that type ever found in this province.

Madawaska, Maine

Mrs. Mac McDermott entertained the neighborhood club at her home on Highland Ave. last Thursday. Bridge was enjoyed, the first prize being awarded to Mrs. George Gardner and the second to Mrs. Hector Cyr, while Mrs. Stanley Shuppe got the consolation prize. The Club, at this meeting, decided not to serve refreshments at their coming parties this season. THE W. B. A. — To Mrs. Bina West Miller, Supreme President of the Women's Benefit Association, Port Huron, Michigan, the Madawaska Review No. 16, extends the loving thoughts of all, in the passing of her beloved husband, Mr. George Miller, on January 25th. In her sorrow over this parting with her dear one, Mrs. Miller has the tenderest sympathy of all.

CORSETS FOR SALE

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Here and There

THEY'LL WALK TO MONTREAL SHRINE. Moncton, N. B., Feb. 1st — Two Moncton men — Richard Roy, 429 Robinson street, and Phylome P. Gallant, 122 Albert street, will commence a pilgrimage on foot Sunday night to Montreal, where they intend to petition special favors from God. Their intention is also to visit the oratory there and converse with Brother Andre C. S. C., under whose direction the shrine was commenced and completed. Brother Andre is 85 years old. Both men were in Saint John yesterday and invited a friend, Alphonse Doucette, Prince Edward street, to accompany them. Mr. Doucette was unable to accept. If the men successfully make the trip they will have covered approximately 245 miles by road. They expect to reach Montreal on March 19, the feast day of St. Joseph, or the day before.

VALENTINE TEA

The Ladies of the United Church Guild will hold a Valentine Tea on Thursday afternoon, February 11th.

NOTICE

On Easter Monday, March 28th, the Fraser Junior Executive Club will hold a dance in Olympia Hall, Madawaska. Watch for further announcements.

ON KEEPING THE FACE CLEAN? Of course you wash it—but is it clean? We're willing to wager that it is. Then you don't simply go through the motions of washing your face as a habit, but because it makes you feel "right" to know that it is clean and because it is pleasing to the people you meet in the course of the day. Well then, when you buy stationery for your business, is it not worth while to see that it is printed properly and not to accept printed matter of any kind simply because it is cheap? You wouldn't use jute as a face towel, would you? But it's much cheaper than linen. Business stationery is your "paper face"—your personal representative—why not take make sure it represents you properly. We will be glad to show you paper and ink samples, specimens of type faces, layouts and estimates. Phone 75. Ask our representative to call. Mail orders promptly filled. Madawaska Printing Office EDMUNDSTON, N. B. 75 Church St.

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