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# MEMBERS AND SENATORS UNJUST TO THE PEOPLE

## Many Stay Away From Parliament More Than Half the Time and Draw Their Pay—More Amendments to Lord's Day Act—House Will Not Prorogue Till Middle of Next Week.

OTTAWA, July 5.—The house today looked in vain for the Lord's Day Alliance bill, which has passed the committee stage and stands for third reading in a form which has produced unhappiness in Ontario by not going far enough. In Quebec by not going far and in the government by creating a multitude of amendments. It is understood some amendments are being prepared, and the act is standing while they are being prepared. In the meantime the approximate date of prorogation has been advanced to the middle of next week.

The house gave its attention to government bills. The telephone and express amendments to the railway bill were put through the industry was discussed and an interesting debate was given by Mr. Bonassa. The New Brunswick judicature act was discussed.

The proposal to amend the railway act to give rural municipalities the control over the planting of telephone poles was defeated by a vote of 25 to 61.

Mr. Staples moved to give Manitoba authority to appropriate the telephone lines within its boundaries.

Mr. Aylesworth said it would be fair to give it power to appropriate the portion of the Canadian Pacific railway in that province.

The amendment was defeated. A motion by W. F. Maclean to give a maximum 2 cent passenger rate was defeated by 106 to 8 after most of the conservative members had absented themselves for looking for cheap popularity.

Mr. Sprout moved an amendment to give the railway commission authority to compel exchange of business between local telephone exchanges, as well as compelling a long distance company to accommodate a local line. This was defeated 86 to 21, and Mr. Emmerson's railway bill was read the third time.

Mr. Aylesworth then offered an amendment to the senate and house of commons act. One declared penalty of six days for absence should not be imposed against a member sick at Ottawa who had attended one day; another allowed reasonable living expenses one session to members coming and going to Ottawa.

Members living more than four hundred miles from Ottawa are allowed, instead of expenses, \$15 a day travelling allowance, while coming to and going from the session. This clause is for the benefit of the Yukon and British Columbia men.

Before the amendments were adopted Mr. Bourassa said men who spent little time at Ottawa got too much money for the time they attended parliament. Last session lasted 191 days or 129 sitting days or an average of 82 earned by each member who put in full time. Those who were absent part of the time received too much proportionately. He gave the following table to show this:

Days	Present	Received
M. M. Gordon	47	\$27.37
Clark	48	31
Powers	51	28.38
Kemp	55	74
White	65	64
Sifton	66	34.92
Forrest	83	44.09
Bristol	95	54.41
Seagram	109	69.06
Carrier	116	13

The senate sat only 68 days out of the 181 the senate lasted, by attending 43 days a senator could draw \$3,000 full indemnity. He would receive \$417.1 a day.

imported goods as well as to those manufactured in Canada. It was the custom of some in the trade, he said, to stamp watch cases as being of higher quality than they actually were. He produced a case, guaranteed for twenty years, the gold on which would wear out in three years. There were 200,000 of such ten million a year today, he said, the manufacturer of which was out of business. Mr. Sam Rosenthal, of Ottawa, supported the bill as a retailer. A letter from the solicitor of the Standard, of Toronto, was read asking that the bill be carried until further inquiry had been made. After general discussion, the bill was reported.

The committee again on Mr. Emmerson's bill to amend railway act. Mr. Lancaster moved an amendment embodying the conclusions of the special committee on this bill. The amendment that trains may run up to a speed of ten miles an hour over level crossings in thickly populated areas of cities, towns and villages, but if they desire to exceed that speed they must protect the crossing. The amendment was adopted and the bill carried into force was fixed as January 1, 1908. An amendment by Mr. Emmerson was accepted relating to regulation of express charges, providing that it shall not apply to existing contracts prior to Nov. 1, 1908, or until such time as the railway company determines. The militia estimates were all passed tonight amounting to between three and four millions.

## Provincial News

RICHBURTO. RICHBURTO, July 4.—The stores were closed here on Monday. A game of baseball between a Christian team and the Clippers of Richburto resulted in a score of five to one in favor of the Clippers. Foot races, sack and wheelbarrow races were held on Water street in the evening. Dr. H. C. Mercereau and Mrs. Mercereau arrived on Saturday from Montreal. Dr. Mercereau has decided to locate here.

Fred S. Sayre, registrar of deeds, and Mrs. Sayre arrived home on Monday from a trip to British Columbia. Miss Lea and Miss Condon of the teaching staff of Moncton are spending the week-end here.

Rev. J. F. Estey, pastor of the Methodist church, leaves this week for his new circuit in Charlotte Co. Mrs. Leger, wife of Napoleon Leger of Moncton is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Leger.

The two-topmast schooner, Hader Powell is discharging a cargo of hard coal for J. W. Braut.

PETITCODIAC. PETITCODIAC, June 30.—Two telephone companies are pushing their business, one erecting poles and wires through our village not to the improvement of the place.

On the 28th inst. the road machine was under the supervision of the superintendent of S. L. Stockton. The roads are in much need of repairing.

On the 25th inst. our day school was closed for the holidays with very interesting reports by the children, and the half yearly report showed good work had been done. Several of the class in the principal's department intending to pass for admission to the Normal School. Much regret at the departure of the principal, W. Goodwin, who has had a very successful two years, was expressed. The scholars presented him with a handsome present of military brushes and a silver and his name inscribed.

Visitors are daily arriving. Among the last are Miss A. Marshall, daughter of Rev. T. Marshall of St. John, and Mrs. D. Fraser of Rocky Bay, N. S. formerly of this place, is visiting Mrs. A. B. Carson.

The annual meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian congregation was held in the church yesterday. W. J. Braut presided. The treasurer's report showed an increase in the gifts of the people, and a small debt upon the manse property was wiped out by those present.

Messrs. Bratt, Jno. Jarvis, Jas. Dunn, J. W. Smith, Geo. Leason, J. Hannay and S. R. Phinney were appointed trustees for the ensuing year. A resolution was passed looking forward to the introduction of the envelope system of raising money for local support.

# CLOSING OF THE CELEBRATION

## Rain Disappointed Many Fredericton People

Yesterday's Races Were Exciting Although the Track Was Heavy—Some Interesting Arguments

FREDERICTON, July 4.—Owing to the threatening weather the attendance at the horse races today was not as large as yesterday. Those who were present got the worth of their money. There was lots of excitement, and feeling at times, especially among those most interested, was very warm. While it took only the three heats to decide the match race between Terrace Queen and Simmasse, seven were required before a winner was landed in the 2 1/2 class, but there is little doubt that if the driver of Burline had driven the gelding as he should have this race would not have been so prolonged. The track was very heavy, and fast time was impossible. Rain fell most of the afternoon, and by the time the last heat was pulled off mud was no scarce quantity. Terrace Queen won in three straight from Simmasse and traveled in beautiful form. The latter worked hard, but today was clearly outclassed. The first heat was a pretty tight one, but the pole and the Queen took the lead at the start. For over three-quarters of a mile they continued in that position, not half a length separating the flyers. Along the home stretch the Queen came on even terms, but Queen passed under the wire first and won the heat.

In the second heat Simmasse passed her opponent at the quarter, but lost the lead to the half. The Queen showed a wonderful burst of speed and before the three-quarter pole was reached in that position, not half a length separating the flyers. Along the home stretch the Queen came on even terms, but Queen passed under the wire first and won the heat.

The 2 1/2 race gave lots of opportunity for wrangling and betting. It was a horse race to stir up some people's blood. Badger, who had the pole, captured the first heat, but the second went to Daisy Wilkes. Here the fun began. It was boldly stated that the Queen would win, and she did, but in second, was being held back.

The next two heats went to Kremont, but in each Burline was again second, and there was every appearance in the fourth heat, that Burline's driver had difficulty from winning the start and an exhibition at rapid firing, a programme of other feats too remarkable to mention for belief, and lasting when required fully forty-five minutes. It was brought to a close by a decided act from the elephant hand of three pieces and a conductor. The clown elephant performed the French horn, bass drum and cymbals. It will be a decided attraction to see the elephants parade on the grounds twice daily, walking on the stairs of amusement hall, and mounting to the stage with the same assurance and confidence that would characterize any first class vaudeville performer. Mr. Barlow will bring with the elephants the smallest and cutest little pony possible to imagine. This little fellow, who is a constant source of amusement to the thousands of children patrons at Luna Park, Coney Island, is the friend and mascot of the other animals. He will not close an eye until this comparative act of animalism is safely encooped in their monst. Mr. Barlow also brings with him a Russian wolf hounds to assist the elephants in the act which will never be forgotten by those fortunate enough to see it at the coming exhibition.

Another act of about equal importance which has been secured by Mr. Spencer is Wormwood's Animal Circus, or Monkey Theatre. The act is better known by the latter term, as the other animals are mere adjuncts to the remarkable troupe of monkeys. This feature includes 20 monkeys, 20 dogs, 2 bears, 2 humans and a cat. The fact that Wormwood's Monkey Theatre has just had a successful six months, throughout the larger cities of Europe, and during the past two seasons has appeared three times daily, especially for Mr. Wormwood's act, the management assured Mr. Spencer that this novelty has the best paying feature on the grounds, and received from the said management a larger percentage of the receipts than any other. What is funnier than the monkey, and when fully dressed in shoes, pants, coat, collar, necktie and hat, and act as if human, they cannot avoid being one of the most interesting features of the big show.

The third headline act in the big hall where the hippodrome will be presented is Montague's Cookeatoo Circus, now playing for the season at Young's Pier, Atlantic City. This is another absolute novelty in the maritime provinces, and consists of 15 large white cookeatoo, who perform a programme of amazing acts, consisting of Roman chariot races, horizontal and triple bar work, riding horseback, balancing and rolling a ball balanced on a wire in mid air, and a remarkable exhibition of the popular sensational show, "Fighting the Flames." In this feature of the act a small house is seen in flames upon the stage, and the department rushes to the scene with all the necessary apparatus. Some of the active birds raise ladders to the burning building, and climbing to the upper story, throw all the furniture over the window, and after much effort the tiny fire department finally extinguishes the flames. This, like the other acts, is claimed to be the very best thing of the stage, and a bird fire department rushes to the scene with all the necessary apparatus. Some of the active birds raise ladders to the burning building, and climbing to the upper story, throw all the furniture over the window, and after much effort the tiny fire department finally extinguishes the flames. This, like the other acts, is claimed to be the very best thing of the stage, and a bird fire department rushes to the scene with all the necessary apparatus.

Mr. Spencer is offering something highly novel in the small hall by presenting the greatest of all mysteries, the Wonderful Dida, or the creation of

# WILL ST. JOHN FALL INTO HANDS OF NEFARIOUS BAND?

## Every Precaution is Being Taken by Commanding Officers to Head Off the Attacking Party—Today Will Witness Some Keen Military Strategy—How Attack Will Be Made.

(Special to the Sun.) SUSSEX, July 5.—The great question agitating Camp Sussex tonight is, will the convoy from Moncton be intercepted by the hostile force, the attacking



LIEUT. COL. MOLEA

party is destined to land at St. John. Theatricals, a convoy has been sent from Moncton to establish a base at Sussex. This, the blue force, has been located by the scouts, and an attacking force is landed at winter port. On the nights of July 5 and 6 the enemy learns the presence of the defenders in close touch and at Apohaqui makes a detour and camps for the night at Jeffries Corner. The attacking party is composed of the 74th regiment, with Col. Harper in command; the 10th field battery, three squadrons of cavalry in close touch and at Apohaqui makes a detour and camps for the night at Jeffries Corner. The attacking party is composed of the 74th regiment, with Col. Harper in command; the 10th field battery, three squadrons of cavalry in close touch and at Apohaqui makes a detour and camps for the night at Jeffries Corner. The attacking party is composed of the 74th regiment, with Col. Harper in command; the 10th field battery, three squadrons of cavalry in close touch and at Apohaqui makes a detour and camps for the night at Jeffries Corner.

support of a strong column, starts from Moncton and leaving Penobscot endeavours to establish connection.

The ampires will be Lt. Col. G. Roll White, Col. McLean, Col. Campbell, Col. Wedderburn, Col. J. E. March, Major Beverly Armstrong, Col. G. Carleton Jones, Col. Chenic, Major Sheehan and Capt. Geo. Begun.

In camp there is the utmost secrecy in regard to the movements of the respective forces and the result will only be known in the minds of the opposing forces when the fight is finished. Every man and every horse is bound to win out and St. John may be saved or fall into the hands of the nefarious brigade who invade it in the hope of cutting off its food supply. The infantry detaching force are strong but the attacking force which will move in the form of the flingy squadron has the advantage.

HILLCOAT-MARTHUR. At the residence of the bride's father, Chatham, on Wednesday evening, June 27, Drucella, second daughter of Robert McArthur, was united in marriage to Louis E. Hillcoat of Parrboro, N. S., in the presence of the immediate friends of the family. Rev. James Stronard, pastor of St. Luke's church officiated. The bride was dressed charmingly, was attired in an elegant gown of champagne voile made in empire style, with silk trimmings. A sumptuous repast was served during the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Hillcoat left on Thursday morning for Parrboro, where they will take up their residence.

WRIGHT-FENWICK. A very pretty wedding took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Millstream, Kings Co., when Miss Madeleine Fenwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Fenwick, of Millstream, was united in marriage to Frank Artemus Wright, of Keene, N.H.

DUNCANSON-GLEASON. Miss Clara Rae Gleason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Gleason, and a niece of Mrs. C. Gleason, of St. John, was married at her parents' home, Brockton, Mass., on Thursday, June 28th to Robert Duncanson. The single ring service was used. Rev. A. F. Pierce being the officiating clergyman. The bridesmaid was Miss Bertha Gleason, sister of the bride, Miss Madeline Gregg of Lynn, was maid of honor, and Miss Hazel Gleason was flower girl. The groom was attended by his brother, Fred Duncanson. A reception followed the ceremony, and Mr. and Mrs. Duncanson left for a trip to New York.

TRITES-LUTHEM. A Moncton dispatch announces the marriage of Miss Mabel L. Lutes, daughter of Enley Lutes, Stevens Mountain, yesterday, to Ernest Trites of Brockton, Mass., but formerly of Moncton. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. K. Ganong, and Mr. and Mrs. Trites left yesterday morning for St. John, en route to their future home in Brockton.

BOOM COMPANY AFFAIRS (Special to the Sun.) FREDERICTON, N. B., July 5.—The Fredericton Boom Company have rafted up to June 30, 46,654,795 feet, of which about 40,000,000 is spruce. About six million feet were rafted by private parties at Springhill. It is estimated now that there are 70,000,000 in the boom.

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