

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B. SATURDAY, JUNE 16, 1917

## Was Forced to Admit Charges

Former Premier Murray Had  
to Face Evidence

In The Legislature

No Explanation for Farm Board  
Transactions—Old Government  
Paid Interest on Overdue Ac-  
counts

Fredericton, N. B., June 15.—The budget debate is over. By arrangement between the leaders many speeches were cut off after the opposition leader finished this afternoon and moved his amendment. Hon. Mr. Robinson, in a brief, concise and masterly speech, wound up the more than week's debate. The amendment was voted down by a vote of twenty-two to fifteen (several members were paired), and the motion to go into supply was carried by the vote reversed. The opposition asked in their amendment that the government explain how they proposed to raise the



extra revenue necessary and Hon. Mr. Robinson, in his remarks, told them that the government proposed to take care of part of the deficit from the old government's over-expenditure by funding it. The amount to be so funded will not include all of the deficit reported by Price, Waterhouse & Co. The premier and his colleagues are averse to adding any more to the bonded debt than can possibly be avoided, because of floating indebtedness, and will keep the amount down to the lowest limit. There will be extra sources of revenue that will probably be announced early next week, and the bills brought down in the house to give the necessary authority to impose the taxes. The government strongly objects to bonding the Valley railway interest and aims to provide for it in some way that

will not place any strenuous burden upon the people. Hon. Mr. Murray was upon the defensive. He made a speech full of explanations that failed to explain. It must have been a difficult thing to acknowledge that the famous Albert county farm was only half an acre and had a mortgage on it, as E. S. Carter charged, and which Murray denied again and again, on the platform and in the Standard.

The opposition was badly shattered by Hon. Mr. Robinson when the latter read some correspondence between the late government and the Dominion Bridge Company showing that that important concern offered to give the province credit for two years, provided six per cent. was paid upon the overdue accounts. First, the province wanted the bridge company to take bonds and they were refused, and the company offered to take promissory notes. The correspondence which appears in the official report as read by Hon. Mr. Robinson, gives some idea of what kind of a business government went out of power Feb. 24.

Provincial Secretary Landry clinched the negotiations Nov. 24, 1914, when he wrote the Dominion Bridge Company: "In answer I must say that the matter of that account was considered at our last meeting on the 19th instant, and there and then we, as reported to you by the Hon. John Morrissey, decided to leave the account of the province with your company open for two years, if necessary. At the same time we agreed to pay interest on that open account at the rate of six per cent. per annum." This correspondence was a bomb shell in the ranks of the opposition, of whom could not understand how Murray and Baxter could boast so of the financial transactions of the province when they were paying six per cent. interest on overdue accounts and keeping the transactions from the public.

Hon. Mr. Murray was anxious as to what advances had been made to Valley railway officials, and in return two government men asked what advances had been made Hon. Mr. Murray in November, 1916, and what advances had been made to former Secretary Daggett from 1912 up to the time of his resignation.

## Two Yesterday

But two men signed on yesterday in the city and they were for the same corps, No. 8 Field Ambulance. One was Ralph Ball, of Cape Breton, and the other young man enlisted on the condition that his name should not be published.

New Brunswick's Pass.

Among other Canadians who have passed the musketry and Lewis machine gun tests at the Hythe School of Musketry, England, are the following New Brunswickers: Lieuts. J. G. McKnight, A. Jardine and C. N. Pickard. Lieut. McKnight is mentioned as passing with distinction.

Home on a Visit.

Lieut. Philip Nace, M. D., son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard T. Nace, Main street, returned home yesterday morning after an absence of thirteen months. Lieut. Nace was attached to the imperial army with the Royal Army Medical Corps.

Casualties.

Ottawa, June 15.—Today's casualty list of 208 names contains 28 killed in action and three died of wounds. The maritime list follows:

INFANTRY.

Died of Wounds.

M. Holmes, Beechwood (N. B.).

INFANTRY.

Wounded.

S. J. Minnow, Loggieville (N. B.).

James Ashley, St. John (N. B.).

ARTILLERY.

Wounded.

P. H. Wood, Woodside (N. B.).

THE PROVINCIAL HOSPITAL.

In his report to the government, for the year ending Oct. 31, 1916, Dr. J. V. Anglin, superintendent of the Provincial Hospital, says the number of patients actually in the hospital at the close of the year, that is, not taking those on leave of absence under contract, was 625, as against 638 on Oct. 31, 1915, representing a decrease of eleven. The number of cases under care and treatment during the year was 882, the highest on record. The daily average number in residence was 641. On one day of the year under review 653 patients were under the hospital roof. The proportion of insane in confinement to the general population of the province is one in 420.

McLEOD-TELLIER COMMISSION.

Montreal, June 15.—The McLeod-Tellier commission, which is investigating the complaint of Hon. Robert Rogers regarding the finding of the Galt commission in the Manitoba agricultural inquiry, have begun their sittings at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel. Chief Justice Sir Ezekiel McLeod, of New Brunswick, and Mr. Justice Louis Tellier, comprise the commission.

It is expected that for some time the commissioners will confine themselves to the reading of the evidence taken at the Winnipeg enquiry, with the object of finding out whether the evidence there justified the report of Mr. Justice Galt or not.

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## RECENT DEATHS

Robert Smith.

The death took place at Cambridge (Mass.), on Monday, of Robert Smith, a former resident of St. John. He was a son of James Smith, builder of the famous ship Marco Polo, and went to the United States many years ago and was engaged in the hardware business at



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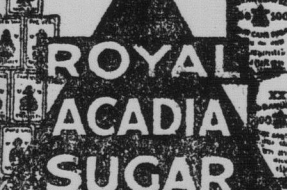


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Cambridge until a short time ago. He was about eighty years of age, and his last visit to St. John was made five or six years ago. He leaves to mourn his wife, daughter of the late Colonel Tupper, of Woodstock; two sons, three daughters, Bessie, Annie and Dorothy; also two sisters, Mrs. J. L. Dunn, St. John, and Mrs. J. A. Venning, of Sheffield.

Mrs. William Hodd.

The death of Mrs. Mary E. wife of William Hodd, occurred yesterday afternoon at her home, 20 Merritt street, following a long illness. She was fifty-eight years of age. Besides her husband she leaves one son, William, overseas with the 140th Battalion, and three daughters, Mrs. James Ferguson, of Fairville; Mrs. Frank Roland, of Montreal; and Mrs. John Nickerson, of this city. One brother, James Gillespie, of Boston, and two sisters, Mrs. Lawrence Hieffernan and Mrs. John Buckley, both of Boston, also survive.

Frederick W. Sands of Stanley died in Victoria Public Hospital, Fredericton, on Wednesday, aged nineteen years. He was a son of Francis Sands of Stanley. Two brothers, George and Ernest, and three sisters, Elizabeth, Florence and Gertrude, survive.

At Zealand Station on last Tuesday Whitman Burtt died. He is survived by two sons, Frank at home and Huddy of Bath, Me. One brother, Tyder, and one sister, Mrs. Lawson, also survive.

In Maryville on Thursday Mrs. Eliza E. Hazlewood, widow of John T. Hazlewood, died, aged eighty-seven years. She is survived by four sons, L. D. Hazlewood, of Augusta, Me.; R. B. Hazlewood, of Grafton, N. B.; Joseph J. and John Hazlewood of Maryville, and two daughters, Mrs. Norman Buchanan, Auburn, Me., and Mrs. John Dougan, Portland, Me. One sister, Mrs. John Cunningham, also survive.

Mrs. H. W. Chapman of Moncton is dead aged seventy-eight years. She is survived by her husband and children, two brothers and one sister. The brothers are Howard and George Brundage, and the sister is Mrs. Thos. McSweeney, of Winnipeg. Her surviving children are Mrs. Sydney Lockhart, of Westville, N. S.; Miss Etta Chapman, of Westville, N. S.; Mrs. John E. Crowe, of Portland, Oregon; Mrs. I. J. Gidding and Mrs. Harry Tuttle, Moncton. One son, Harry W. Chapman, is resident at Calgary.

WILL WORK WITH NORTHCLEEVE

Ottawa, June 16.—C. B. Gordon, deputy chairman of the imperial munitions board, has been selected by the British minister of munitions to act as the representative of the minister in the United States. Mr. Gordon will be attached to Lord Northcliffe's mission to the United States. This will make it necessary for Mr. Gordon to resign his present position on the munitions board, as he will have to take up his temporary residence in New York.

Mr. Gordon has rendered valuable service to the munitions board and his appointment as the representative of the British minister of munitions is regarded as an evidence of appreciation of the services he has rendered to the imperial government.

Nursing Sister Beatrice J. Wier of Doaktown, has safely arrived in England. A cablegram has been received by her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Wier.



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## The Peril of the Moderate Drinker

Like the contemptible German Spy who lived upon our friendship while all the while he was stabbing in the dark, Alcohol in moderate doses is **poison**. Of course you know that the lining of your stomach is just as sensitive as the ball of your eye. Just try putting a drop of whiskey in your eyeball—keep on doing it off and on for years—think of the result!

If you want to know what is going on in the system of the moderate drinker, look at a man who is dead drunk. Scientists say the only difference is that the drunkard reaches the climax quicker than the tippler. The effects are alike; the first thing Alcohol destroys is the mental power of defence against the appetite for drink. All drunkards begin as moderate drinkers.

Above the falls of Niagara there is a point in the current where each man's strength can yet take him back to safety. Beyond that invisible point he is lost. No man knows where lies that invisible line in his make-up, where ends his ability to say, "I can't" or "I can't" stop drinking liquor.

After seventy-four years of investigation—economic, sociological, medical, ethical—the Insurance Companies ought to know. They declare that Alcohol, even in the smallest quantities, is a destructive **poison**. They turn away hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of business on the strength of their knowledge. Taking two million policy-holders as a test they know that the teetotaler lives much longer than the moderate drinker; "the man who occasionally gets tight

suffers a death rate just one-half greater than strictly temperance men. Other men who drink more than that, but still not enough to bar them from insurance, show an appalling mortality of almost double that of men who were never introduced to John Barleycorn."

Every man and woman in this province shares the responsibility for the proper enforcement of Prohibition—not the officers of the law alone. **Your** duty is clear.



Help to  
Enforce  
Prohibition

No matter where you live, whether the Canada Temperance Act or the new Prohibitory Law operates in your district, you are urged to use every legitimate means within your power to heartily support and aid the officers in their sworn duty of enforcing the law.

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