

TARIFF CONTROL FOR NOVA SCOTIA IS URGED

INDEPENDENCE IN ECONOMIC SPHERE ASKED

League Puts Views Before Royal Commission ASKS SEPARATION, FAILING AMENDMENTS Province Desires Right to Make Own Treaties and Pacts, Says Witness

HALIFAX, Aug. 12.—A recasting of the British North America Act to the end that Nova Scotia be permitted to make her own trade treaties, control her own tariff policies and exercise full control of her fisheries and, failing this, "an early separation from the Dominion of Canada and a dissolution of the present partnership, in order that Nova Scotia may become again a self-supporting, self-respecting, self-governing unit in the British Commonwealth," were two alternatives to the present situation held out today by Clifford L. Baker, on behalf of the League for the Economic Independence of Nova Scotia, before the Royal Commission investigating the claims of the Maritime Provinces with respect to Confederation.

ALL THAT'S LEFT OF LEE HOME



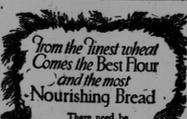
"Ravenworth," ancestral home at Fairfax, Va., to which General Robert E. Lee retired after the Civil War, is a heap of ashes. The irreparable landmark was fired to cover theft of wines and liquors from the basement, authorities believe.

MANY SHIPS USE CANAL DURING YEAR

227 Commercial Vessels Make Transit in First 15 Days of Month

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—During the first 15 days of July, 227 commercial vessels and four small launches transited the Panama Canal. Tolls on the commercial vessels aggregated \$662,698.00, and on the launches \$18,200, making a total tolls collection of \$680,898.00, or a daily average of \$45,393.20 on all traffic.

The daily average number of transits was 15.13 and the average amount of tolls paid by each of the commercial transits was \$4,502.52. The daily average number of transits was 15.13 and the average amount of tolls paid by each of the commercial transits was \$4,502.52. The daily average number of transits was 15.13 and the average amount of tolls paid by each of the commercial transits was \$4,502.52.



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Honey Yield This Year Less But Better

FREDERICTON, Aug. 12.—Provincial Apiarist H. G. Miller states the present situation in New Brunswick in the matter of honey-crop indicates a light yield this year in comparison with 1925. Although conditions for the gathering of honey have been most favorable to the bees, the cause of the decreased yield is the heavy loss in colonies of bees experienced by the keepers last winter.

PRICES DECLINE HERE IN GREEN GOODS, FOWL, CHICKEN AND LAMB

A general decline in the prices of native green goods and the arrival of native green corn and summer squash marked the advancing season in the city market. There were many reductions in the prices of green goods and fowl, chicken and lamb were also selling for less. The commodities that were higher were veal, eggs, butter, strawberries, molasses, lemons and turpentine.

SALT COMPANY'S BRIEF

A. R. Chambers, representing the Maritime Salt Company in Cumberland county, presented a brief which he pointed out some of the difficulties under which the industry labored, and H. S. Condit, presented a brief which he supplemented by declaring that there was a technical violation of the Confederation pact relating to the disadvantage of the Maritime salt, even though no specifically worded clause in the pact had been violated.

LEAGUE'S CASE HEARD

Clifford L. Baker, president of the League for Economic Independence, editor of the Advertiser, King county, said his organization had been in existence about one month and had 20 members. It had been known that the League was being organized, he said, when it became known that the Commission would investigate Maritime affairs. He presented a pamphlet containing the league's case and was reading it when adjournment was taken, until 8:30 this afternoon.

32 SEEK ELECTION FOR ALBERTA SEATS

12 Conservatives, 11 United Farmers, 9 Liberals in 16 Constituencies

EDMONTON, Aug. 12.—Already there are 82 candidates in the field for the 16 seats to be filled in Alberta during the coming federal election. Conservatives have 12, United Farmers 11, Liberals 9. There are still several conventions to be held.

In three of the constituencies, Peace River, Medicine Hat and Wetaskiwin, there will be three-cornered fights and another is in prospect in East Edmonton, where the Labor party are to hold a nomination convention Friday night. In but one riding has only one been as yet named, East Calgary, but in all others except Lethbridge the opposing candidates are campaigning with the possibility of more aspirants taking the field. Lethbridge has not placed any candidates in the running as yet.

Of the 16 members elected to the last Parliament 14 are again seeking re-election.

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