

## Men of the Moment

**A. E. PARKER, C. A.** (Sask.), has been appointed Editor of Canadian Finance, Winnipeg, in succession to the late S. R. Tarr. He has been a contributor to the paper for some years.

**THE ROYAL SECURITIES CORPORATION** announce that they will shortly open an office in Winnipeg under the management of Lieut.-Col. A. L. Saunders. The company at present maintains branch offices in Toronto, Halifax, St. John, N. B. and London, England, and its policy is to continue the expansion of the organization to cover completely the entire Canadian investment field, as well as portions of the United States.

**W. E. RUNDLE**, vice-president of the National Trust Company, recently held a conference in Winnipeg with the company's Western advisory board, which consists of Sir Douglas Cameron, Geo. W. Allan, Kenneth Mackenzie and A. McT. Campbell. The following Western managers of the company also attended this conference: W. G. Styles, Regina; J. D. Gunn, Saskatoon; and A. E. Scrase, Edmonton.

**H. A. KENTY**, who for the past four or five years has been superintendent of agencies for the Continental Life Insurance Co., with headquarters in Toronto, has been appointed Western manager for the company with headquarters in Winnipeg. Mr. Kenty has just completed a four months' tour of inspection of the company's Western agencies.

### OPENING FOR CANADIAN JAM.

A Manchester letter to the Trade and Commerce Weekly, says:

During several months last winter, it was impossible for British consumers to purchase the old standard varieties of jam. Blackberry and apple was the only kind fairly plentiful, and it has never, at any time, been popular with consumers. As a matter of fact, it may be described as a war-time makeshift.

Though there may be fair quantities on the market during the next three months, it is anticipated that a serious shortage will be experienced from January next until May. The high prices of fruit ruling this summer made it impossible for jam makers to lay down large stocks. For example, raspberries, which were at the high price of \$225 a ton in 1918, rose to \$425 this year; black currants advanced from \$300 to \$525; red currants rose from \$160 to \$250; gooseberries advanced from \$135 to \$230; and strawberries rose from \$200 to \$480. To these enhanced values of the raw material had to be added the increased cost of labour, coal, jars, bottles, etc.

There are plentiful supplies of plums, but it is believed that all jam-makers will move cautiously in the matter of laying down stocks because of the high cost of fruit, labour, etc.

Early in the season it was announced that extra allowances of sugar for domestic jam-making would be allowed, and many householders laid in small stocks, but the high prices of fruit prevented the large majority from making any appreciable quantity at home.

Quantities of Australian jam have been offered on the British market at competitive prices during recent months, and there appears to be no reason why Canadian manufacturers should not transact a profitable business in the United Kingdom early next year, assuming of course that Canada has surplus stocks to offer.

### PACIFIC SALMON TREATY.

The conclusion of a treaty between Canada and the United States to ensure adequate protection of the Pacific salmon fisheries affords another instance of the common-sense "get together" policy which has been developing rapidly in recent years. The formation of the International Joint Commission to secure proper administration and use of boundary waters was hailed as a splendid achievement. More recently community of interest again asserted itself when Canada and the United States took concerted measures to protect and conserve the migratory bird life of North America. Now we have similar steps with a view to rehabilitate the salmon fisheries which have been such a productive asset to British Columbia and the state of Washington.

In these and other cases Canada and the United States are building up a system of practical co-operation in the protection of mutual interests. As new occasions for parallel action arise, the difficulties should prove easier of solution in the light of the successes already attained.

The treaty will provide for a yearly close season of 12 days (July 20 to 31 inclusive). The treaty also specifies the number of licenses to be issued to take salmon in the waters of the Fraser river and its approaches, lays down regulations for traps and purse seines, and provides for a weekly close period.

The treaty will be operative from 1920 to 1926, both year inclusive. An important provision is the creation of a permanent international commission to study the question of the conservation of the salmon, to observe the effect of the new regulations and to recommend such alterations as added knowledge and experience may show to be desirable.

The Fraser River sockeye have of recent years been most seriously depleted. There can be no doubt, however, that the treaty marks a great advance over the conditions of the past. It shows that fishing interests, on both sides of the line, are at last awake to the necessity of severe restrictions if the very valuable and once numerous sockeye are not to be finally exterminated.

### THE WEEK IN BRIEF.

George H. D. Lee, Estates Manager of the National Trust Co., is dead.

Saskatchewan Bureau of Labor is in a position to place two thousand men in employment.

Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux and Hon. Dr. Beland, who are about to leave on a trip to Europe, were bidden Godspeed by a Liberal caucus at Ottawa.

Winnipeg city failed in its plea for the continuation of the injunction against increased street car fares, and consequently the 6 cent fare goes into effect immediately. A temporary injunction was issued, restraining the company from charging more than 5 cents for a single ticket, but the company won the case when argument was made the city for a continuation of the injunction.

### ALGONQUIN PARK. IS IDEAL IN THE AUTUMN.

The beautiful surroundings in Algonquin Park, brilliant with their turning foliage make, with the crisp invigorating air, (altitude 2,000 feet) one of the most delightful places to visit during October and November. Just the place to recuperate after an illness. The "Highland Inn" offers first class accommodation at reasonable rates. Write to N. T. Clarke, Manager, Algonquin Park Station, Ontario.

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In consequence, I give PUBLIC NOTICE to all who intend to proceed against any prisoners now in the Common Gaol of the said District, and all others, that they must be present then and there; and I also give notice to all Justices of the Peace, Coroners, and Peace Officers, in and for the said District, that they must be present then and there, with their Records, Rolls, Indictments and other Documents, in order to do those things which belong to them in their respective capacities.

EUGENE GOUIN,

Deputy Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office,  
Montreal, 13th October, 1919.