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**NEWS SUMMARY.**

Matthew Walsh, of the marine department, and who was private secretary for Hon. John Costigan for many years, has been superannuated.

Prof. J. A. Ruddick, who has been discharging the duties of chief of the dairy division for the past few years, succeeds Prof. James Robertson as dairy commissioner.

A valuable deposit of iron ore has been discovered east of Port Arthur, Ont., on the shore of Lake Superior. It is considered to be as good as the deposits of the Mesabi Range, which have been so productive of iron in Minnesota.

David Horn, chief grain inspector for the Manitoba division, has been made chief grain inspector for the Dominion of Canada. The position of Mr. E. F. Craig, chief grain inspector for the eastern division, is not affected.

The cross of the Legion of Honor has been conferred at the instance of the French minister of foreign affairs upon two American painters, Miss Mary Cassatt, sister of Alexander J. Cassatt, president of the Pennsylvania railroad; and Seymour Thomas, of San Antonio, Texas.

Mrs. Cable, of Tapleytown, has just celebrated her one hundredth birthday. She is enjoying comparatively good health. She was born in Nova Scotia and moved to this part of the country with her parents when about fourteen years of age. She has been

married three times. Her first husband was Timothy C. Pomeroy, who was murdered by Cornelius Burley, near London.

There is no foundation for the report that the government has agreed to increase the subsidy of the province of Quebec. The government declined to grant increase to the provinces last year and it is not anticipated that the request of Quebec or of any other province will be granted.

Ladies' Field: Miss Belfrage Gilbertson, a Glasgow lady, is at present being instructed at Windsor Castle in the art of arranging and safe-keeping regal letters and state papers. This is in view of her approaching departure for Canada, where she will act as private secretary to Earl Grey.

Dr. W. Bell Dawson, F. R. S. C., engineer in charge of the tidal and current survey of Canada, has been awarded by the Academy of Sciences, through the Institute of France, the Gay prize of 1,500 francs for work done by him in determining the sea level on the coast of Canada.

Another St. John man who served in the South African war was made glad on Monday by the receipt of his war medal. The man in question is Mr. Fred E. McMulkin, Indian town. Mr. McMulkin went to South Africa with the Second Mounted Rifles and was attached to the field hospital corps. The medal is a handsome one, bearing Mr. McMulkin's name, etc. Naturally he was happy when it arrived.

The County Council at its meeting next Tuesday will consider a bill prepared by the county secretary to regulate the speed of automobiles. All automobiles are to be registered and are to show the number in four inch figures. The speed on city streets is to be not more than ten miles, to be reduced to 8 miles at crossings, and can be increased to 15 miles on outside roads, provided due regard is paid to teams. Visiting motorists must take out an operator's license. To register a machine will cost \$2.50, and the driver's license will cost \$2.00.

Lord Mount Stephen, a peer, who began life as a herd boy and whose bounties to charity from his romantically won wealth have been innumerable, has given over 91,000,000 to the King's Hospital Fund, and the King has promptly acknowledged the gift as a magnificent donation. The announcement is a happy sequel to the recent visit of the Prince and Princess of Wales to Lord Mount Stephen's Hatfield residence.

In a field near Kingsport on Monday Capt. William Ellis noticed a hand sticking up through a snow bank near the roadside. The body had probably lain there for some days for the hand and arm were badly picked by ravens. The body was taken to the undertaking rooms of Ward & Bros., at Canning, where an inquest was held by Dr. Webster, coroner, of Kentville. The verdict was death from exposure. The deceased was identified as William Keady, between eighty and ninety years of age, living at Hall's Harbor.

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