

SPECULATION RIFE AS TO BUD-GET PROPOSALS

Hoped That Business Profits Tax Would be Dropped, as of Insufficient Value.

COMMONS CONSIDERED

Franchise Bill and Grand Trunk Legislation — Mr. Fielding Under Fire for Some Political Appointments He Made.

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ing moved an amendment to restrict the appointment of returns officers, clerks, registrars, chief clerks of secretaries-treasurers of towns or municipalities, postmasters and collectors of customs. If there was no suitable man when this list had been run through, he told the House in answer to a question, he would favor returning soldiers, but returned soldiers were not necessarily experienced returning officers.

A. L. Davidson (Annapolis) said Mr. Fielding was influenced by conditions in Nova Scotia. There were 53 of Mr. Fielding's friends among the 56 officials in Nova Scotia eligible for appointment under his amendment. He accused Mr. Fielding of having dismissed public officials when he gained power in Nova Scotia, and having changed the law respecting the appointment of sheriffs.

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CIVIL WAR LOOMING AGAIN IN GERMANY

New Party Being Formed Composed of Farmers, Soldiers and Laborers.

First Contingent Veterans Celebrate

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"Did You Ever See a Topcoat Shimmy"

Haven't you seen many a man hitching up first one shoulder and then the other, in a vain attempt to shimmy into place an overcoat that seemed to be forever trying to get away from him?

Well, that's machine work. Now, hand-tailoring works in the collar and the shoulder of a coat not by stitches alone, but by persuasive manipulative process causing every inch of the upper half of a coat into actual contact with the body.

Try the Spring Topcoats of ours and be assured of fit as well as style. \$25 to \$70. Featured specially, \$30 to \$60.

Gilmour's, 68 King St. BORN.

YAUHART—At North Sydney, N. S., April 17th, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Yauhart—a baby girl.

SHORT-LASQUIE—In this city on April 22nd, at 184 Main Street, L. B. Short was united in marriage to Blanche E. Lasquie by Rev. H. A. Bonnell. In the presence of a number of immediate friends. They went on the Valley train to their home at Brown's Plains.

FERGUSON—On April 22 George K. Ferguson, of Lorneville, in his sixty-fifth year after a short illness, leaving his wife, one brother, and four sisters to mourn.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Holder took place at the Baptist church, Hillville, on Saturday, April 17th. The services were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Hansey, and interment was made at White's church cemetery, Long Reach.

"Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets" E. W. Brown

COMMON COUNCIL MET IN COMMITTEE

Yesterday Morning City Fathers Recommended Ten Thousand Dollars for the Beginning of a Survey of the City.

At the committee meeting of the common council held yesterday morning the sum of \$10,000 was recommended for the beginning of a survey of the city and the compiling of a detailed plan for the use of the assessors. It is estimated the work will cost when complete \$25,000. Commissioner Finner brought up the matter of a pilot-meter survey of the water system but no action was taken. He also reported that the city would be saving by the city more than they did the general public. No action was taken.

DIED AT MONCTON

Special to The Standard. Moncton, April 22.—The funeral of the late Father Vital Lelliaison, whose death occurred in the Moncton Hospital, Tuesday afternoon, was held this morning from St. Thomas Church, Moncton, and was very largely attended. About twenty-five priests from different parts of the Diocese were in the sanctuary. Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. A. Robitaille, Fox Creek, assisted by Father Allain, Moncton, and Father Z. Landry, of the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, St. John. The funeral oration was delivered by Father Lelliaison, of Quebec. Deceased was a member of the Moncton Council, Knights of Columbus, and many local knights attended the obsequies. Interment took place in the priest's lot in St. Thomas' cemetery.

TENDER GUMS — A WARNING

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THERE IS A DINING ROOM SUITE

FOR EVERY POCKET-BOOK IN MARCUS' IMMENSE ASSORTMENT.

The business of this store is to serve all classes and our stocks are bought with that aim in view. If your requirements call for a DINING ROOM SUITE at \$75.00—it is here. If your home justifies a \$1,000.00 Dining Room Outfit—it is here. If it's Walnut or Antique Oak you wish, you will see dozens of them. If on the other hand you are a lover of the good old Golden Oak Furniture, you simply must come to MARCUS' to get a proper choice.

WHEN MAY WE EXPECT YOU?
J. MARCUS, 30-36 Dock St.

OBITUARY. Capt. Thomas A. French.

Wednesday evening at his residence, 33 Cedar street, Capt. Thomas A. French passed away in the sixty-seventh year of his age after an illness of long duration. He was a sea captain but had been retired for some years. He leaves to mourn besides his wife, one brother, Capt. Judson French, of the St. John-Carlisle ferry service, and one sister, Mrs. Elmer French, of this city; two step-daughters, Miss Edith Stephenson and Mrs. J. W. Murphy, of West Somerville, Mass.

The funeral will take place from Victoria street church on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Gideon Swin of Moncton, will preach at the service.

Death of Child. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Locke, of 38 Marsh street will be sorry to learn of the death of their eldest child, Marjorie Helen, aged six years.

A long resident of Lorneville, highly respected by all who knew him. Mr. Ferguson was a Presbyterite by faith and a member of the L. O. N. No. 29 Mount Purple of Lorneville.

When a mistake turns out to be profitable it is no longer called a mistake.

Quick Sale of Floor Covering at Everett's

Means a Saving of Nearly 25 p. c.

Freight congestion and slow movement of orders from the manufacturing centres have created a situation extremely favorable to the people of St. John at this time.

We mean as regards floor covering sold in this store.

On top of an already overstocked warehouse comes an extra large order of floor covering and, frankly, we haven't the space to accommodate.

So we are going to offer certain patterns at a reduction to help the abnormal condition—and we know it will help.

The material affected is SANOLIN, guaranteed to wear equal to any cork linoleum but with many advantages over the old fashioned canvas backed linoleum.

For instance, it will lie flat on the floor without tacking—no curling up at the edges, and it is absolutely waterproof.

This latter feature will at once suggest the fact that Sanolin will not rot at the edges or fray out despite the amount of scrubbing.

Sanolin ordinarily sells at \$1.50 per yard and would here, now, except for the absolute lack of space, and this last situation causes us to offer it at \$1.15 a square yard, cut only in two-yard widths.

Coming at this time of year when floor covering is in so much demand the price will mean a big saving—hence a quick purchase will be in order to secure your share.

See Window Display
A. Ernest Everett
THE HOUSE FURNISHER
91 Charlotte Street

TOBIQUE DAM BILL THROUGH THE COMMITTEE

After Somewhat Stormy Passage, and Amid Much Criticism

BY LEGAL MEMBERS

Who Were Inclined to Regard Some of Its Provisions With a Considerable Amount of Suspicion and as Trespassing on Public Rights.

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Fredericton, N. B., April 22.—Assembly Chamber.—The House met at 3 o'clock.

Mr. McGrath rose to a question of privilege and read from the St. John Standard an article copied from the New Brunswick Commercial, which he said misrepresented the attitude of the Government and also of the members for Northumberland with respect to the Miramichi Water Power Bill. The same paper had published an article which set forth that Gen. E. Fisher had imported from Ontario a Plymouth Rock roster with an egg record of 233. He considered one statement about the reliability of the other.

Mr. Burdell presented the report of the committee on standing orders. Hon. Mr. Robinson, for Hon. Mr. Byrne, submitted two reports of the Law Committee.

Mr. LeBlanc presented the report of the committee on municipalities. Hon. Mr. Robinson introduced a bill relating to the Demolition Summer Report Co., which was read the second time.

The Game Act. Hon. Mr. Smith introduced a bill to amend the Game Act. He explained that it provided for extension of the close season on beaver to 1923, and would impose an increased fee for the taking of beaver and permits. The renewal of the close season on sable was provided for. It would be made an offense to carry firearms into the woods during the open season. In future seasons would be accompanied by three tags, one for the shipment of furs, another for the carcass, and another for the use of poison by trappers.

A royalty would be imposed on all beavers for the use of trappers. Mr. LeBlanc moved that a bill relating to the town of Dalrymple be referred back to the Committee on Municipalities.

Hon. Mr. Murray introduced bills to amend the Fisheries Act. The Hon. Mr. Robinson introduced bills to amend the Fisheries Act. The Hon. Mr. Robinson introduced bills to amend the Fisheries Act.

Hon. Mr. Foster presented a petition signed by five hundred residents of Grand Falls praying that immediate steps be taken to develop the water power at that place, and that no further exemption be granted to the present holders.

Hon. Mr. Foster introduced a bill to incorporate the Union Church at Madam's as a bill to amend the Consolidated Statutes relating to school boards. Mr. LeBlanc presented a report of the committee on standing orders.

Mr. Crockford moved that the Bill to amend the Fisheries Act be referred to the committee on the whole House. Tobique Dam Bill. The House went into committee with Mr. Smith (Albert) in the chair, and took up consideration of the bill relating to the Fraser Paper Company. Mr. Tilley asked the government to be made that fishways to be installed in the dams made under the supervision of the Federal fisheries inspectors. He was under the impression that that had not been done, and an amendment he moved to that effect.