

ALL THE NEWS OF ST. JOHN CITY AND VICINITY

NAVAL POLICY SCENE IN DAYTON, OHIO, SHOWING FLOOD SUFFERERS LEFT HOMELESS AND PENNILESS.

ENDORSEMENT APPRECIATED

Hon. R. L. Borden and Hon. J. D. Hazen Wire Warm Thanks to Moncton Conservative Club.

Special to The Standard.
Moncton, April 4.—In reply to the telegram endorsing the Borden government's naval policy, the following replies have been received by the president of the Moncton Conservative Club:

Ottawa, Ont., April 1st, 1913.—My dear sir: Will you kindly convey to the officers and members of the Moncton Liberal Conservative Club my warm thanks for the telegram which reached me this morning. Although our proposals for effective aid to the defence of the empire have met with stubborn resistance from the opposition we are determined to press them to a successful conclusion.

With best wishes for the success of your club, believe me,

Yours respectfully,

R. L. BORDEN.

Geo. C. Matthews, Esq., president, Liberal Conservative Club, Moncton, N. B.

Ottawa, April 1st, 1913.—Dear Mr. Matthews: I am in receipt of your telegram of the 31st ult., assuring me of your hearty appreciation of the share which I, as the representative of New Brunswick in the cabinet, am doing in the great work of bringing about a proper recognition of Canada's duty to the empire. I thank you very much for your kind letter, and will have the greatest possible pleasure in conveying its contents to the honorable and distinguished leader of the Liberal Conservative party in Canada, the Right Honorable Robert L. Borden.

Yours very truly,

J. D. HAZEN.

WILL EQUIP TWO NEW GROUNDS THIS YEAR

Playgrounds Committee Decides to Establish Playgrounds for Alexandra and Bentley Streets Schools.

At a meeting of the executive of the playgrounds committee last evening it was decided to equip this summer, neighborhood playgrounds in connection with the Alexandra and Bentley street schools in the North End, and also one in the West End if a suitable site can be secured.

It was reported that a site might be secured in Market Place in the rear of the Carleton public hall, and a committee was appointed to ask the city commissioners for leave to establish a playground there. An offer of the use of the Star theatre to give a benefit concert in aid of the North End playgrounds was accepted, and the vice-president, W. C. Allison, reported that he had received \$50 from R. Ernest Smith, manager of the North End branch of the Royal Bank to assist in equipping the playgrounds there.

Mr. Allison also reported that an eminent engineer was looking into the matter of providing for the drainage of the Rockwood Park playground, and would shortly submit a report.

Those present at the meeting were teachers' training class, evening, class F. del. Clements, W. H. Golding, A. M. Belding, Miss Grace Leavitt, Mrs. E. A. Smith, and Miss Murray the instructor.

Miss Murray submitted a programme of the work for the week in the High School assembly hall as follows: Monday afternoon, teachers' training class, evening, class for employed girls; Tuesday afternoon, children's class in games, stories and folk dances, evening, class for High School girls; Wednesday afternoon, teachers' training class, evening Miss Pitt's class in camp fire work; Thursday afternoon, W. C. Allison, M. E. Agar, Geo. E. Day for employed girls; Friday afternoon, children's class, evening, High school girls; Saturday afternoon, teachers' training.

Miss Murray and W. H. Golding were appointed a committee to make an arrangement to invite employed girls to attend three evenings a week.

AN ASTRONOMER OF NOTE.

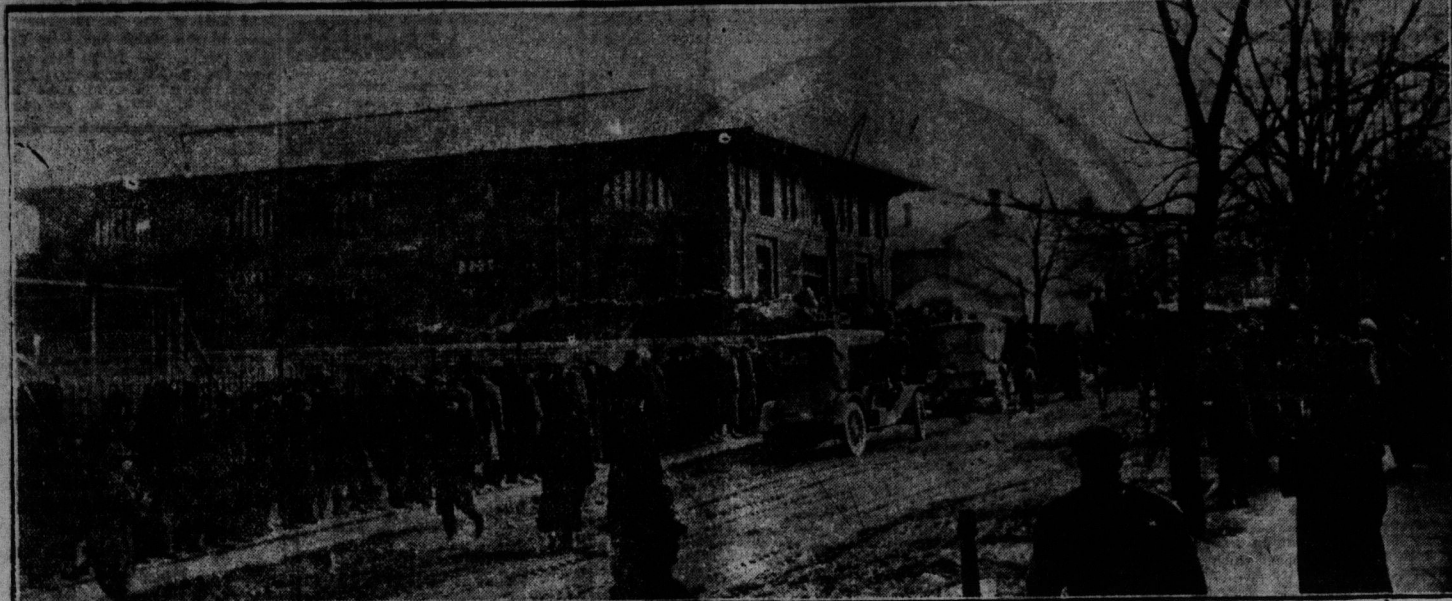
Edgar Lucien Larkin, who watches the processions of distant worlds through the great telescopes of Lowe Observatory, will be sixty-six today. Prof. Larkin was born in La Salle county, Ill., April 5, 1847, and his formal education was very limited. From his youth the study of the heavens held a fascination for him, and he determined to become an astronomer.

He was thirty-three when he realized his ambition, opening and becoming the director of the New Windsor Observatory in Illinois. In 1882 he went to the Knox College Observatory, and in 1900 was offered and accepted the directorship of the Lowe Observatory, perched on the summit of Echo Mountain, in the Sierra Madre of California.

Prof. Larkin is the author of "Radiant Energy," and other books, and is a frequent contributor to the newspapers and astronomical journals.

Another Loss to Mexico.

(Mexican Herald.)
Passing Mexico severely by this year thousands of tourists are going to California to spend their good dollar dollars. Revolution always cuts both ways and is paid for doubly; in fact, what war costs is never so much as the loss it causes.



HEAD LINE AT MILITIA RELIEF HEADQUARTERS, DAYTON.

AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION HOSTS AT PLEASANT DINNER

Gathering in Bond's Last Evening to Welcome New Members Proved Most Enjoyable for More Than One Hundred Guests.

The New Brunswick Automobile Association were hosts at a unity dinner and welcome to their new members in Bond's last night and it proved a most enjoyable affair, the dinner being served in the best of style.

During the past few days over one hundred applications for membership to the association were received and all were elected members. One of the most prominent names on the roll call was His Honor Lieutenant Governor Josiah Wood.

The banquet did not commence until 10.30 o'clock, after the Starline Motor Show had closed, and the members of the association with their guests assembled. There were more than one hundred present and the banquet hall was appropriately decorated with automobile tires.

A very neatly arranged menu card with the association's motto and colors was prepared for the occasion. T. P. Regan, the president of the association, occupied the seat of honor and had on his right His Worship Mayor J. H. Frink, while on his left was Commissioner Miles E. Agar.

The Toast List.

After those present had exhausted the excellent dinner served, the toast to the King was responded to by the singing of the National Anthem. President Regan proposed the health of Lieutenant Governor Wood and the toast was responded to by Rev. J. J. McCaskill who in a brief address said that no doubt His Honor the Governor was, perhaps, glad that he was not present at the banquet owing to the fact he was not as young as he used to be, and as this banquet started late, it would be very much later before it was closed. Mr. McCaskill said the large gathering showed the great interest being taken in the Automobile Association. The association would mean a lot to the country in the years to come. He wished it a most successful future.

Motor Show a Success.

President Regan made a brief address in which he told of the success of the first annual motor show which was opened by Lieut. Gov. Wood who was very much interested in the show. The speaker spoke words of praise for the general manager, E. M. Wilcox, and the superintendent, F. S. Jackson, whose efforts added much to the success of the show. So successful had been this show that he was assured the 1914 show would be on a larger scale and a much greater event in every way.

"Closure" Suggested.

J. Royden Thomson moved that any person present exceeding the speed limit and talking over two minutes would be fined the sum of one dollar. The motion carried unanimously and the future addresses were brief.

J. M. Roach proposed the health of past presidents of the association, which was responded to by R. Down.

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E. Clinton Brown, Druggist.

MAINE LOGS MAY BE LEFT IN THE WOODS

Lumbermen in Maine Facing Same Conditions as New Brunswick — Penobscot Drive 113,000,000 Feet.

Special to The Standard.

Bangor Me., April 4.—Maine lumbermen have been facing practically the same conditions which have been met with by New Brunswick operators during the past winter, and reports from the northern and eastern sections of the state continue to tell of large quantities of logs being left on the yards, because of the lack of snow. It is believed that between 5,000,000 and 6,000,000 feet will have to be left in the woods here this spring.

Notwithstanding this fact, it is thought the east and west branch drives on the Penobscot will very nearly come up to the average. The Penobscot boom officials say that rafting will come nearly up to last year's figures when 113,500,000 feet were handled.

The spruce market here is steady with price about the same as they were last fall. There is a sufficient demand to warrant the mills in starting early, and most of them will be running in the near future. The big Engel mill at Webster has already commenced. The Eastern M'g Co. will begin operations at South Brewer on April 7, and Morse & Co. about April 15. The Engel steam mill at East Hampden will start on April 20, and the Searns lumber Co. between that date and May 1.

The Sargent mill at South Brewer is to be operated this year by the Patton Lumber Co. of Albany, N. Y., under the management of Don A. Sargent.

St. John's Great Future.

E. A. Smith in a short address proposed the health of the manufacturers, and said that St. John was going ahead rapidly in the manufacturing business, and the prospects pointed to a great increase. The toast was health of the ladies, and it was responded to by J. Royden Thomson, who said that he had only been in the manufacturing business for a short time, but he was assured that St. John was going to grow into one of the most prominent manufacturing centres on this side of the Atlantic.

Mr. Flynn, a comedian, was called on and was forced to entertain the company with several comic songs.

Commissioner Agar proposed the health of the press, which was responded to by H. V. McKinnon, of The Standard and A. L. Thorne, of the Telegraph.

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SMUGGLING BOOZE ACROSS MAINE LINE

Motor Boats Doing Profitable Trade on St. Croix River and Passamaquoddy Bay—Sheriff Sees Governor.

Special to The Standard.

Augusta, Maine, April 4.—The smuggling of liquor from St. Stephen and Campbell, N. B., into Calais and Eastport by wiley liquor dealers, who have devised a new plan of evading the recently enacted Webb law and the Maine prohibitory statute, has been the subject today of a conference between Sheriff Woodman of Washington county and Gov. Haines at the state house, here.

Sheriff Woodman says that recently the thirty souls in Calais and Eastport have hit upon the idea of ordering liquor in Massachusetts and having it shipped to them at St. Stephen and Campbell. From these places it is smuggled across the St. Croix river, or Passamaquoddy Bay, as the case may be, in motor boats, and landed at some secluded spot on the Maine coast.

The sheriff questioned if, under the Webb law, he had a right to seize the liquor, it being consigned to points in New Brunswick instead of Maine. He felt that it might come under the jurisdiction of the customs authorities, rather than under the provisions of an interstate enactment. The governor would not express an opinion.

Sheriff Wood told The Standard he did not expect to be up on charges of non-enforcement of the prohibitory law with the other five Maine sheriffs, whose arraignment commenced before the legislature Friday. He declared he was doing his best to enforce the prohibitory law and that the people of Washington county felt they were getting the best enforcement they had ever known.

Initial Crop.

Gibbs—So you're bought a farm, eh?

What are you going to raise first?

Dibbs—The money to work it.

Lucky.

Jack—Brown is lucky?

Tom (bowling enthusiast)—I should say he is. Why if he rolled his eyes he would make a ten strike.

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LEGALLY MISSING

Jean Antoine Charmon, who has just been declared "legally missing" by a Paris court, will celebrate his 16th birthday tomorrow, if he is still alive. Descendants of Jean, who was born on April 6, 1767, are trying to get possession of a fortune to which M. Charmon is the rightful heir. Jean disappeared from his accustomed haunts just a century ago, in 1812, and since then his estate has been the subject of legal proceedings. Now that Jean is declared "legally missing," the heirs hope that the next step will declare him "legally dead."

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