

NEW BRUNSWICK APPLES
GOING TO ONTARIO TO
ADVERTISE THE PROVINCE

Provincial Horticulturist Turney Hopes
to Attract Immigration from the
West—Good Place for Young Men
to Start.

New Brunswick apples will invade Ontario this fall and will appear in competition with the choicest product of the Ontario orchards. The annual exhibition of the Ontario Horticultural Association will open in Toronto on Nov. 14 and at this exhibition some of the fruit which is to be shown at the New Brunswick exhibition which opens in St. John on the evening of Thanksgiving Day will be displayed. A. G. Turney, provincial horticulturist, is arranging for the exhibit and he said last evening that he expected the New Brunswick fruit to compare favorably with any that will be shown there.

To Reverse the Tide.
It is with the hope of impressing the people of Ontario with the possibilities of New Brunswick as a fruit growing country and of attracting immigration to the province from Upper Canada that the invasion is planned. The amount of land in Ontario that it should offer great attraction to those who are desirous of establishing themselves in the west. Mr. Turney is confident that if the claims of New Brunswick were properly set before the people of the upper and western Canada this province might draw many people to settle in the province. He has found that many of the settlers who come here from Great Britain are lured away by the tales of the great west and he points out that those who know western conditions and prefer to live in a more attractive country from a residential standpoint, would find New Brunswick sufficiently attractive to keep them here.

In Ontario, again, there are many young men growing up in the fruit districts who know the business and would like to get started in it for themselves, but cannot afford to do so at Ontario prices. To this also this province should present great attractions.

It is in the interests of the province also, Mr. Turney pointed out, to advertise the fruit growing possibilities as well as lands are always an attractive proposition and command better prices than ordinary agricultural lands.

Speaking of the coming apple show Mr. Turney said that they expect the number of exhibitors to be increased by at least fifty per cent. The association, which began two years ago with a membership of nineteen, now has 100 members and includes practically all the leading fruit growers.

BOY, FIRING GUN
AT RANDOM, NEARLY
CAUSED TRAGEDY

Bullet Crashed Through Salisbury
House Window, Grazing Head of a
Lad.

Salisbury, N. B., Oct. 19.—A fatality was narrowly averted here today. A thoughtful boy discharging a gun about the village was greatly surprised to find that one of the cartridges had entered a neighbor's house through the window of the sitting room, breaking the glass and lodging in the woodwork in the opposite wall. The window through which the bullet passed was a favorite nook for members of the family and it was only by the merest chance that some member of the family was not occupying the arm chair at the moment.

The bullet in its course also barely grazed the head of a boy, a member of the family, who was stooping down outside the window gathering up some leaves about the lawn.

There are altogether too many small boys carrying guns in this county at the present time, who in the majority of cases will point a gun and fire without considering for a moment what may be in range of the bullet or what damage may be done.

C. P. R. TO SPEND
\$5,000,000 IN
HOTEL EXTENSIONS

Montreal, Oct. 19.—The Canadian Pacific Railway announces that they will spend over \$5,000,000 in hotel extension and rebuilding. Practically the whole system from the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean is having extensions and alterations made and the improvements include the splendid new hotel now being erected at Calgary.

William B. Rankin.

William B. Rankin, a well known commission merchant, of Halifax, died yesterday morning, aged 77 years. He was a native of St. John, a son of the late deputy Sheriff Rankin. He went to Halifax nineteen years ago and entered in the commission business with E. Erb, of Waterloo (Ont.), which business he continued up to the time of the death of Mr. Erb last January. News of Mr. Rankin's death will be received with regret by many in St. John and there will be deep sympathy for the bereaved relatives. Only a few weeks ago his sister passed away in Winnipeg. He is survived by his wife and four children in Halifax; two sisters, the Misses Rankin of King street east, and two brothers—Fred in Boston and Leonard of Winnipeg. The interment is now on his way east and is expected here on Saturday. Miss Annie Rankin has been in Halifax for some days since the death of her brother's serious illness.

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REBELS BU FAIR TO SWEET CINA

Other Places Fall In Their Hands

Imperial Troops Seem Afraid to Give Them Battle

Foreign Diplomats Consult About Means to Protect Communication with Pe- king—May Have to Rely On Japanese Troops—In- surrection Spreads North.

Canadian Press.
Peking, Oct. 24.—The revolutionary spirit is now manifesting itself in the north as well as in the south. Those who heretofore have believed that the northern provinces might rally around the government are now of the opinion that secessions will follow in rapid succession.

The precautionary measures taken in Manchuria, where the government does not permit mention of the revolution, show the anti-government spirit in the far north. There are persistent reports that risings have been planned for the next few days in the immediate vicinity of the capital.

The diplomatic corps have discussed the necessity of maintaining communication between Tien Tsin and Peking. The military commanders report only sufficient troops to protect the legation quarter in Peking and the foreign settlement in Tien Tsin, which number approximately 1,000 and 2,500 respectively. Consequently, in a serious emergency supplies would be immediately available from the arsenal at Peking and the arsenal at Tientsin.

The legations have not yet considered seriously the suggestion of an English paper in Shanghai that the Manchus be deported, might endeavor secretly to encourage the ignoble multitude to attack the foreigners and thereby attain their intervention, which would nullify their dynasty, they being the only established dynasty.

It is argued that such machinations will prove more dangerous to the Manchus than anyone else, because it is known that the rebel organization elsewhere is able to restrain its adherents. The Manchus, however, are apparently following a weak and vacillating policy, which conceivably might be followed by desperate measures.

May Give Rebels Battle.

General Yin Tchang, the war minister, seems to have pushed his troops through the passes on the Hu Peh border without resistance. Some, therefore, are of the opinion that he is unable to attack promptly. He has, however, led troops under his command north heretofore supposed. It is now generally believed that he has about 15,000 men, although they all possessed passports from the Chinese foreign bureau. The British and American attaches left here for Shanghai yesterday, intending to proceed to Hankow by the Yang Tze Kiang. It is believed that Yin Tchang, Manchurian, desires to give battle, although the half-hearted spirit of his troops may deter him. On the other hand, Yuan Shi Kai, Chinese-like, is tempering with the rebels. Yuan Shi Kai has refused to leave Chang Tze in the special cars which have been sent for him, but there is evidence that he has despatched trusted adherents to meet the rebels, although they all possessed passports from the Chinese foreign bureau. The British and American attaches left here for Shanghai yesterday, intending to proceed to Hankow by the Yang Tze Kiang. It is believed that Yin Tchang, Manchurian, desires to give battle, although the half-hearted spirit of his troops may deter him. On the other hand, Yuan Shi Kai, Chinese-like, is tempering with the rebels. Yuan Shi Kai has refused to leave Chang Tze in the special cars which have been sent for him, but there is evidence that he has despatched trusted adherents to meet the rebels, although they all possessed passports from the Chinese foreign bureau.

LIBERALS HAD \$30,000,000 SURPLUS LAST YEAR

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Canadian Press.
Ottawa, Oct. 23.—The finance department has just issued the public accounts for the last fiscal year. The receipts totalled \$117,780,409 and the expenditures \$87,744,198, leaving a balance of \$30,000,211. Capital account expenditures totalled \$30,822,203, of which \$23,487,988 was upon the transcontinental railway. The audits amounted to \$1,260,963, the aid to the treasury and \$1,138,748 for last year.

\$248,534; binder twine, \$49,754, and petroleum \$199,556. The debt increased \$3,778,658 during the year. From the coinage of silver at the Ottawa mint there was a profit of \$61,183, while from copper coins it amounted to \$24,327. From the excess of bank note circulation during the harvest there was a profit of \$15,889.

Inland revenue during September totalled \$1,892,968 as against \$1,528,292 in the corresponding month last year, and the corresponding month last year, and

HARRY B. CLARK CAUGHT IN THE TRAP

Former Manager of Bank of New Brun- swick Branch Here Charged With Embezzlement

Arrested as He Was About to Sail for Europe, at Instance of Former Employers, in Connection with Alleged Swindle of \$55,000—Young Man Disappeared From Here Last Summer and Gave the Detectives a Lively Chase Ever Since.

Special to The Telegraph.
New York, Oct. 23.—After gliding the police and private detectives since last June, when he evaded arrest at Ashbury Park by jumping on a train a few minutes before the detectives arrived, and after he had shipped his trunk preparatory to leaving for Europe on a North German Lloyd steamer this morning, Harry B. Clark was taken into custody last night at 130th street and Lenox avenue.

Technically he is charged with being a suspicious person, but in reality he is wanted by the police of St. John (N. B.) to talk what he may know as to how the Bank of New Brunswick of that place was swindled out of \$55,000. Clark was manager of the bank up to June last, when the alleged swindle occurred, after which he disappeared. Two men who are alleged to have been parties to the game are now in jail in Montreal, and it is said Clark is wanted to testify against them.

Several times since he disappeared in June last, the police have had Clark, who was also known as Carleton, almost within their reach, but he always managed to elude them just as they were about to lock him up.

This was the case at Ashbury Park, where Clark stayed soon after he disappeared from the city, and he spent a considerable part of the summer.

Friend Gave Him Away.

When he had his narrow escape there he was last night of matter, recently, the police finally picking up his trail again through a friend of the fugitive named Jacques. The latter is said to have led Clark to the city, where he was arrested several days ago. Clark was located in a rooming house at No. 246 West 127th street. He was found there last night by Detective Mackenzie and the police, a private agency, and Policeman Heagy, of the West 126th street station.

Had Ticket for Europe.

When searched at the police station, letters were found on Clark in which the writer referred jokingly to the detectives leaving this morning. It was made out that Clark had been sent to Europe on the North German Lloyd vessel, which was to leave this morning. It is understood that the name of "Harry B. Carleton" was used in his pockets were also found ten \$30 travelers checks payable to Harry Carleton, the name in which the ticket had been bought. Also had several letters, one to "Dear Papa and Mama," which was unaddressed. Others were addressed to Gertrude Sherwood, Sussex (N. B.); one to Gordon B. McKay; one to Mrs. H. B. Clark, both of Sussex, and another to A. E. Clark, at a town in Prince Edward Island.

An unaddressed letter contained the following sentence: "The Pinkertons have made a punk job of this, and I guess they are tired of the chase I have given them." Clark has on him receipts for two trunks which had already been sent to the steamer, and the detectives hurried to the pier at Hoboken last night to get the trunks before they were put in the hold.

Clark Knows Nothing.

At the police station Clark was questioned for two hours as to the swindling of the bank, but he said he could not shed any light on the affair, and knew nothing except that the bank had been swindled.

The police version of the swindle is that three men borrowed from the bank, through Clark, \$55,000 on the gold bonds of a corporation, which were found afterward to be valueless.

Henry B. Clark, referred to in the foregoing despatch, was manager of the Bank of New Brunswick's Charlotte street branch in St. John, N. B., when he disappeared, and it became known that he was financially involved.

It is said that the Pinkertons, acting for the bank, have been in close touch with his movements since he was in touch with some say, detectives acting for the bank were thought to be able to put their hands on Clark. He had been seen in St. John, N. B., and the despatch mentions the amount in litigation as \$55,000, it has been understood here that it was only \$37,000.

The management of the Bank of New Brunswick and its counsel were both silent when asked about the matter by The Telegraph last evening, though both had had word of the arrest from New York, and neither would deny that Clark had been arrested at the instance of the bank here. Clark, it is understood, is held in New York pending application for extradition, and whether or not he will contest the extradition proceedings or will elect to come to St. John voluntarily does not yet appear.

Reports That Have Been Circulated

There has been considerable mystery about the matters which have culminated in the arrest of Clark in New York, and

RICHESON SAYS HE IS INNOCENT

Declares Ability to Prove It

Accused Cambridge Pas- tor Has Friends and Money to Aid Him

Suspected Murderer of Avis Linnell to Get Swift Justice —Grand Jury to Take Up Case Thursday—Police Get More Evidence from Drug- gist Who Sold Minister the Poison.

Canadian Press.
Boston, Oct. 23.—A startling bit of evidence which has been in the hands of the police for several days but which they have carefully guarded, leaked out to-night and promises to cast additional interest on the case of Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson, the Baptist minister who is confined in jail on the charge of the murder of Avis Linnell, the nineteen-year-old music student and Sunday school teacher.

When the police recently gave out a statement as to evidence which had been given them by William H. Hahn, the Newton druggist, where the Cambridge pastor alleged to have bought cyanide of potassium on the Tuesday preceding the death of the Linnell girl by the same drug, they declared the pastor had asked the druggist for a poison which "would kill a dog at his home which was about to give birth to puppies." The statement stopped there.

Though it is supposed on authority that Druggist Hahn added another sentence on which the police lay considerable stress. According to this authority, Mr. Hahn was asked the pastor also said: "I want a poison which will kill the puppies without killing the dog."

Declares His Innocence.

While the state was collecting its evidence in the case the Rev. Richeson late today faced two leading members of his church and declared: "I am innocent and will prove it when the time comes."

The two men, A. F. Watson, treasurer, and J. E. Hughes, both of the Immanuel Baptist church of Cambridge, paid a visit to the minister in his cell today, as did Rev. George Holt, the Rhode Island clergyman who is to marry the younger sister of Violet Edmonds, to whom Mr. Richeson was engaged. The pastor's protestation of his innocence was made to each of the visitors.

Another visitor to the prisoner today was his sister, Miss L. F. Richeson, of Saranac Lake (N. Y.). The usual limited time allotted to visitors was overlooked and Miss Richeson spent nearly an hour at the door of cell 47 where the pastor is confined in what is known as "murderers' row."

Money to Aid Richeson.

All that money and the legal profession can provide to give aid to Richeson will apparently be forthcoming. Besides Moses Grant Edmonds, father of his fiancée, the prisoner's uncle, Dr. William A. Richeson, of Amherst (Va.), a wealthy man, has declared his fortune at the command of the defence.

One of the perplexing problems which have confronted the prosecution is the apparently long time in which the cyanide of potassium acted before it caused the death of Miss Linnell.

The medical examiner, Dr. Timothy E. Leary, in his report, declared that death ensued twenty-five minutes after the taking of the poison. To the police this seems strange in view of the fact that cyanide is supposed to cause instantaneous death.

Various explanations are being advanced for this seeming inconsistency. One is an overdose of the poison acted as its own emetic. Another is that the poison had deteriorated through the action. This matter will be ascertained by an analysis of a quantity of cyanide of potassium to be secured from the Hahn drug store.

Swift Justice.

Boston, Oct. 23.—The evidence against Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson, the Cambridge pastor, who is charged with the murder of Avis Linnell, the nineteen-year-old music student and Sunday school teacher, was taken up by the grand jury today. (Continued on page 6, seventh column.)

ROYAL TECHNICAL COMMISSION'S LABORS NEARLY COMPLETED

Ottawa, Oct. 23.—The royal commission on industrial training and technical education met in the offices of the minister of labor today and completed arrangements for its final tour, which will be through the New England States. The commission will leave tomorrow and will visit all the larger industrial centres in that region. They will then undertake compilation of their report to the government.

RECONSTRUCTION OF BRITISH CABINET

Winston Churchill Now First Lord of the Admiralty While Reginald McKenna is Transferred to the Home Secretaryship—Other Changes.

Canadian Press.
London, Oct. 23.—The cabinet has undergone an important reconstruction, rumors of which have been in circulation for some weeks past.

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