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## BUSINESS METHODS

Some time ago a large delegation of Representatives, Senators and business men of Maine made a visit here in the interests of their own people to have a railway bridge over the St. John river at St. Leonard's. No one can forget the enthusiasm shown at that great banquet in St. Louis Hotel, and no one can forget the ringing words from these American gentlemen. What did they say? Listen! "Gentlemen, we will have the charter for that bridge passed by Congress by the beginning of March."

What was the result? The very last thing Ex-President Taft did before departing office was to sign this very charter that these men said they would have.

They did not go to Congress and ask them to build the bridge. They did not hold meetings and send delegations that in hand pleading for subsidies. What did they do then? They said the bridge is required, we are the persons who will benefit by it, we will build the bridge.

There has been talk of having a bridge over the Restigouche for a long number of years back, and if some of the American methods had been an accomplished fact by this time

Some time day we will wake up to the fact that an American company has been promoted to build the bridge. They will be quite able to get all the capital required, and then sell it to the government for twice what it cost to build, and we will then suddenly think that we could have done the same our selves. Business is business and if these resolutions which have been passed by all the councils are genuine expressions, then there stands no difficulty in the way of private promoters taking a hold of this project and making a fortune out of it.

## THE KING OF GREECE

Greece was a province of the Turkish Empire since the commencement of the sixteenth century. It gained its independence in an insurrection which practically lasted from 1821 until 1829. On February 3, 1830, it was declared a kingdom under the protection of Great Britain, France and Russia. Prince Leopold of Saxe-Coburg was chosen King, but would not accept it, largely because the island of Crete was not included. Then Prince Otto of Bavaria was offered the post and he accepted, ascending the throne in January, 1833. Otto was then under the age of eighteen years. He was on the throne twenty-nine years, but was very indifferent to the hard work which he had to do, and in 1862 was expelled. It took some time to get a prince willing to accept, but the late King of Denmark, who had nine sovereigns in his family, kings, queens, or sovereign princes, persuaded his second son to accept, and he was acceptable to the Greeks and to the guaranteeing powers. He was chosen King of the Hellenes by the National Assembly at Athens in March, 1863, with the title Georgios I., and had just about concluded fifty years of his reign. The Greek Assembly allowed him a reasonably good civil list, and the governments of Great Britain, France and Russia added £4,000 sterling each, so that he had in all an income of £62,000 sterling. King Georgios was married in 1867 to Queen Olga, eldest daughter of the Grand Duke of Constantinople, brother of the late Emperor Alexander the second. There were also children the eldest

of whom, Prince Constantinos, will apparently succeed his father. Greece is one of the few nations in the world which has but a single legislative chamber.—Globe

## LIBERAL CAUCUS ON SITUATION

May Present Motion to Censure the Speaker

Ottawa, March 19.—The Liberals were in caucus for two hours this morning and from prolonged cheers which came from their quarters they were in a happy frame of mind over the position in which matters relating to the Navy Bill stand on the eve of the Easter adjournment. Subsequent to the caucus it was stated that it had been called to consider the situation which arose in the House subsequent to the Friday midnight session when a strike application of the rules of discussion was curtailed.

The caucus agreed that another motion would be introduced under which the action of the Speaker can be fully discussed by the House. The only way in which this can be done, it is believed, is by the introduction of a motion of censure unless the Speaker allows the discussion to take place. There is a disinclination on the part of the opposition to make a motion of censure, but after the caucus today the announcement was made that it would be done if opportunity was not given to discuss the matter in some other way. Members were instructed to be vigilant and watchful when the naval bill discussion is resumed.

No decision was reached as to what course will be pursued in regard to naval and supply bills when the House meets. The future action of the opposition, it was announced, will depend entirely upon the next move made by the Government.

## VICTORIAS ARE AT LAST DEFEATED

Lose to Moncton St. Bernards in Fast Game by Score of 3 to 1

Our local champions have at last to acknowledge defeat. On Wednesday evening the winning streak of the Victorias was broken, the Moncton St. Bernards beating them in a fast game by three goals to one.

The game was the snappiest seen here for some time, the Moncton boys putting a strengthened team on the ice and making a good showing.

There was some good hard checking but the game was by no means rough. The St. Bernards scored their three goals in the first half, McLatchey scoring the Vics only goal in the second half the locals having one goal knocked off for offside.

Jack Carroll was in the wars, being twice rendered hors de combat. The second time he was struck on the nose by a rising puck, and on resuming the team was rearranged Carroll going into the defence.

McLatchey atoned for all in the way he scored the only goal for his side. Getting the puck far down the ice he worked his way in characteristic fashion and did not stop till it rested in the net.

The crowd was not so large as usual but the spectators got full value for their money.

Victorias	Teams	St. Bernards
McLean	Goal	F. Steel
Delaney	Point	M. Belliveau
McLatchey	Cover	J. Brown
Mathews	R. Wing	F. Carroll
Mowat	Centre	H. Carroll
Fraser	Rover	G. McLellan
Keith	L. Wing	

Referee, Trites.

## DALHOUSIE

Dalhousie, Mar. 20th.—Mr. R. J. Blackhall arrived here on Monday evening and spent Tuesday in Dalhousie, a guest at the Queen. He had been formerly a prominent merchant in the shire town. Since five years he is residing in Vancouver, B. C., and is a very successful real estate dealer. He came here to renew old acquaintances having been a clerk with Mr. George Haddow before he opened business for himself. Mr. Blackhall's trip east at this time was to accompany the remains of his mother who died on the 2nd inst. at the home of her daughter, Mrs. St. Croix of Vancouver where she had been visiting her for about a year. Mr. R. J. Blackhall was accompanied by his brother N. P. Blackhall of New Brunswick, P. C., and by several grandchildren and a large circle of friends.

The late Mrs. Richard Blackhall who was 70 years of age was Miss Blanche L. Kerr of Bathurst. The service at Vancouver held at the home of Mrs. St. Croix was held by Rev. E. A. Henry of Vancouver's Presbyterian church. At Carleton Place the funeral was held from the home of Mrs. James Blackhall and was largely attended. The services at the home and grave were conducted by Rev. Mr. Matthews of Bathurst.

Mrs. Blackhall is survived by one sister, Mrs. John Magee of Ontario, one brother, Alex. Kerr of Vancouver, five sons, R. N. and A. of Vancouver, I. and Howard of Chicago and N. P. of New Brunswick, B. C., and by several grandchildren and a large circle of friends.

Mr. R. J. Blackhall who will spend some time with his brother in Chicago on his way to the Pacific is well pleased with his success in the west, still, he advises those who are fairly successful in the east to remain here. He gave an account of several Bay Chaleur and New Brunswick boys who have been successful in Vancouver among others John Robert Reid, son of James Reid, M. P., Reginald Chaytor and his sons, formerly of Point La Nin, the McNairs, W. C. Aisencault and the great success of Philipp LeBlanc of Carleton, P. Q., who is at least worth a quarter of a million dollars. Mr. LeBlanc it will be remembered came here a few years ago and married Miss Allan, the charming daughter of Captain Lazar Allard of Carleton.

Mrs. Wm. McNeish of Point La Nin, is spending a few days with her mother at Nasc's Creek.

Messrs. Fred and Duncan McDonald, Shantouville spent a few days with friends at Dalhousie Junction recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cullen of Carleton, P. Q., were visitors to town last week.

Miss Sutherland who had been spending a few months at her home in New Glasgow, has returned here, and is superintending the millinery establishment of Miss Annie McNeill.

Fred Dickie of Campbellton spent Sunday at his home in Point La Nin.

Miss Lucienne Samson is visiting Miss B. Butler at Bonaventure, P. Q.

A very enjoyable driving party was held on Monday evening from here to Miramichi. About fifteen of our young people enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McEwen. James Thompson of Dalhousie Junction spent Sunday with friends at Eel River Crossing.

Mr. John G. MacColl, Editor of the Graphic spent Tuesday in the shire town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Harquail of Campbellton spent Tuesday here and were guest at the Queen. Mr. Harquail who has served with




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## ONE MAN, ONE VOTE BILL

Has Increased Number of Electors in Ancient Capital One-Third.

Quebec, March 18.—The one-man-one vote bill, which came into force at the beginning of this month, far from diminishing the number of electors, as some contended it would, has increased it by more than a third. Prior to the revision of the electoral lists there were 13,266 names on the lists. This figure has now been augmented to 18,076, an increase of 4,812 names. On the other hand, there are hardly a score of votes left in St. Peter street, the business section, since local voting was abolished.

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