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THE BOOM IN ST. JOHN

Speaks of Great Works in Progress or to Come Here and Comments on the Agricultural and Mining Outlook

(The Financier, London, England.)
Whatever may be said of the other maritime provinces of Canada, New Brunswick is, at the present juncture, very conspicuously wide awake, prosperous, eager and progressive. In the resources which usually attract emigrants the province has never been conspicuously to the front. It has an ample area of agricultural and grazing land, far beyond its domestic requirements for many years to come, but it lacks the open spaces of territory where good virgin soil can be had for the asking which irresistibly draws the homeseeker to the great west.
Yet, unmistakably, New Brunswick not only has prodigious possibilities, but her people are thoroughly alive to them. There has been of late, at St. John, and all through the province, an awakening such as has never occurred in its memory the oldest inhabitant—and some of the New Brunswickers live to a remarkable old age. Never before have so many big industrial and commercial projects been taken up. One of the most important factors—perhaps the most important—in this unaccustomed activity is the immediate prospect of St. John becoming an entrepot and a great port, and a far greater port, than it is at present. Its geographical position is in relation to transatlantic shipping and the Canadian railway system, of a commanding character.

In St. John
In the city itself there appears to be a vigorous movement, and a determination to make the most of the great opportunities which are looming up. It is alleged that the outlook in real estate is brighter in St. John than in any other city in Canada. It is confidently expected that the city will become a great summer port, as well as a winter one. Certain things of first-class importance are happening which give support to such anticipations. Contracts are already made, or about to be made, which, exclusive of any further developments, appear to ensure the expenditure of large sums of money in the city and the demand for more labor on a considerable scale. Amongst these are:
1.—Canadian Pacific Railway new freight warehouses and harbor front development; large development of harbor frontage.
2.—West side expenditure—new wharf, \$1,000,000; work commencing spring, 1912.
3.—Contract for Valley Railway signed; cost of construction of permanent bridges in connection therewith guaranteed by Dominion government, \$8,000,000; work commencing spring, 1912.
4.—Preliminary expenditure, Courtenay Bay improvements, \$8,000,000; work commencing spring, 1912.
5.—St. John terminus for five railways, three of them transcontinental.
6.—New post office, work to commence spring, 1912.
7.—Completion of drill shed, 1912.
8.—New factories and industries, including new factory, T. S. Simms & Co.; large addition Hartington Pulp Mill; Ganong Bros., new factory; Greenhead Cement Company's new works; enlargement of Union Foundry Company's works; Keith's new theatre.
9.—Outside capital coming into the city and province for investment.
There are, however, other contracts pending, namely, the \$300,000 bridge on which the provincial government has promised to begin construction work this year; the several small factories which are practically assured; and the expenditure by the Grand Trunk Pacific on the site of its terminals.

The boards of trade (corresponding to British Chambers of Commerce) are showing great activity all over the province. Recently, at St. John, there was a meeting of the representatives of the Maritime Provinces, and a resolution was passed to invite the co-operation of all other boards in holding a great international congress, to which all were invited members of town councils, farmers' associations, and transportation companies. The congress met, and the utmost enthusiasm seems to have prevailed. The provincial government was asked to make a large appropriation for publicity, and to spend this year \$25,000 for immigration. A central bureau of information was advocated, with a staff, including members qualified to visit settlers in new districts, to advise them, and to assist in carrying out a policy for providing state loans to farmers, which would guarantee absolute security to the province. This would enable young men to engage in agricultural pursuits, and so increase the farming population of New Brunswick.

The New Brunswick Legislature have recently had submitted to them some interesting reports giving particulars of the resources of the province. One of these shows that the territorial revenue of the province last year derived from timber lands owned by the province, and from mining leases and royalty, fishing leases, game licenses, and some minor sources, amounted to \$228,438, of which more than \$450,000 was derived from the timber lands, chiefly for stumpage dues on over 38,000,000 feet of logs cut on crown lands. The territorial revenue of the province has increased \$385,500 in five years. The lumbermen only need a good logging season to provide the mills with a good supply for the year's saving. The construction of the St. John Valley Railway is expected to give an impetus to the manufacture of hardwood lumber, as the line will open up some good hardwood timber lands.

Mining
During last year one of the most important developments in mining in the province was in connection with the Canada Iron Corporation, which mined in Gloucester county about 85,000 tons of ore, of which 30,000 were exported. Some 20 new dwellings have been erected at the mines, several hundreds of men are already employed, and this year large additions to the number are expected to be made. Al-

though the province has been unusually large, and a new seafaring factory is being erected near St. Andrews, and another in view, which will be probably completed in August. Naturally, the success of the fishermen will help the impetus of improving trade along the coast. For generations, the staples of New Brunswick have been fish, but the quantity produced has not been overwhelming, and though there has been an export trade, it has been of very modest proportions.
It is now considered the time has arrived when orchards should be planted and improved in accordance with up-to-date ideas, and there appears every probability of the industry being extended very considerably. Needless to say, if this takes place the simultaneous growth of St. John as a summer port, and the development of the city business generally, will tend to create an excellent market for all the fruit which can be produced. Then there is the question of internal transport. In any case the Grand Trunk Railway extension will open up some very good country, and stimulate extended settlement, in addition to that there is a strong feeling in the province that several local lines should be built as quickly as possible in order that the marketing of local produce can be made easier and more profitable.
Beside which, a great deal of land which might be taken up profitably is neglected, owing to its inaccessibility and distance from any considerable market. Another circumstance which has made for good business in the province has been the extraordinary demand for potatoes, both from the upper provinces and from the West Indies. The tuber is grown very extensively in New Brunswick, and forms one of its important staples. As evidence of the importance which is at-

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7 yards long	3.00	7 yards long	1.65
8 yards long	3.25	8 yards long	1.75
9 yards long	3.50	9 yards long	1.85
10 yards long	3.75	10 yards long	1.95
11 yards long	4.00	11 yards long	2.05
12 yards long	4.25	12 yards long	2.15
13 yards long	4.50	13 yards long	2.25
14 yards long	4.75	14 yards long	2.35
15 yards long	5.00	15 yards long	2.45
16 yards long	5.25	16 yards long	2.55
17 yards long	5.50	17 yards long	2.65
18 yards long	5.75	18 yards long	2.75
19 yards long	6.00	19 yards long	2.85
20 yards long	6.25	20 yards long	2.95
21 yards long	6.50	21 yards long	3.05
22 yards long	6.75	22 yards long	3.15
23 yards long	7.00	23 yards long	3.25
24 yards long	7.25	24 yards long	3.35
25 yards long	7.50	25 yards long	3.45
26 yards long	7.75	26 yards long	3.55
27 yards long	8.00	27 yards long	3.65
28 yards long	8.25	28 yards long	3.75
29 yards long	8.50	29 yards long	3.85
30 yards long	8.75	30 yards long	3.95
31 yards long	9.00	31 yards long	4.05
32 yards long	9.25	32 yards long	4.15
33 yards long	9.50	33 yards long	4.25
34 yards long	9.75	34 yards long	4.35
35 yards long	10.00	35 yards long	4.45
36 yards long	10.25	36 yards long	4.55
37 yards long	10.50	37 yards long	4.65
38 yards long	10.75	38 yards long	4.75
39 yards long	11.00	39 yards long	4.85
40 yards long	11.25	40 yards long	4.95
41 yards long	11.50	41 yards long	5.05
42 yards long	11.75	42 yards long	5.15
43 yards long	12.00	43 yards long	5.25
44 yards long	12.25	44 yards long	5.35
45 yards long	12.50	45 yards long	5.45
46 yards long	12.75	46 yards long	5.55
47 yards long	13.00	47 yards long	5.65
48 yards long	13.25	48 yards long	5.75
49 yards long	13.50	49 yards long	5.85
50 yards long	13.75	50 yards long	5.95
51 yards long	14.00	51 yards long	6.05
52 yards long	14.25	52 yards long	6.15
53 yards long	14.50	53 yards long	6.25
54 yards long	14.75	54 yards long	6.35
55 yards long	15.00	55 yards long	6.45
56 yards long	15.25	56 yards long	6.55
57 yards long	15.50	57 yards long	6.65
58 yards long	15.75	58 yards long	6.75
59 yards long	16.00	59 yards long	6.85
60 yards long	16.25	60 yards long	6.95
61 yards long	16.50	61 yards long	7.05
62 yards long	16.75	62 yards long	7.15
63 yards long	17.00	63 yards long	7.25
64 yards long	17.25	64 yards long	7.35
65 yards long	17.50	65 yards long	7.45
66 yards long	17.75	66 yards long	7.55
67 yards long	18.00	67 yards long	7.65
68 yards long	18.25	68 yards long	7.75
69 yards long	18.50	69 yards long	7.85
70 yards long	18.75	70 yards long	7.95
71 yards long	19.00	71 yards long	8.05
72 yards long	19.25	72 yards long	8.15
73 yards long	19.50	73 yards long	8.25
74 yards long	19.75	74 yards long	8.35
75 yards long	20.00	75 yards long	8.45
76 yards long	20.25	76 yards long	8.55
77 yards long	20.50	77 yards long	8.65
78 yards long	20.75	78 yards long	8.75
79 yards long	21.00	79 yards long	8.85
80 yards long	21.25	80 yards long	8.95
81 yards long	21.50	81 yards long	9.05
82 yards long	21.75	82 yards long	9.15
83 yards long	22.00	83 yards long	9.25
84 yards long	22.25	84 yards long	9.35
85 yards long	22.50	85 yards long	9.45
86 yards long	22.75	86 yards long	9.55
87 yards long	23.00	87 yards long	9.65
88 yards long	23.25	88 yards long	9.75
89 yards long	23.50	89 yards long	9.85
90 yards long	23.75	90 yards long	9.95
91 yards long	24.00	91 yards long	10.05
92 yards long	24.25	92 yards long	10.15
93 yards long	24.50	93 yards long	10.25
94 yards long	24.75	94 yards long	10.35
95 yards long	25.00	95 yards long	10.45
96 yards long	25.25	96 yards long	10.55
97 yards long	25.50	97 yards long	10.65
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Under date of June 4, General William Booth of the Salvation Army has issued the following special message—
MY DEAR COMRADES—If the unexpected blow regarding the loss of my eyesight has not actually fallen, as the newspapers have stated, it is hovering dangerously near. Instead of the restoration of sight for which I had hoped, and for which I know you have so earnestly prayed, the doctors tell me I am on the very eve of entire darkness.
In a few brief hours my comrades will be under the painful compulsion of announcing that the general is hopelessly blind. In that event, what an indescribably painful loss will be mine, never again to see the light of day, or behold the countenance of my friends, or into the sympathetic eyes of my comrades, never again to witness that which for over sixty years has been to me the light of sight—men and women kneeling at the mercy seat.
Then, too, I have lost the hope of being able with any facility to write, while it

tached to the fruit and vegetable industries, it may be mentioned that six boards have been asked to establish a "commercial orchard of 1,000 trees" under the supervision of the Provincial Horticulturist.

SERIOUS BELLISLE FIRE

Hampton, June 23—Two barns belonging to Ira Earle, of Bellisle, were struck by lightning in the storm of Friday and totally destroyed by fire.

In rescuing the animals from the burning buildings Mr. and Mrs. Earle and their son were badly burned about the hands and face.

The annual meeting of the sixth district of United Baptists closed its sessions on Saturday. Rev. Dr. McIntyre ably presented the claims of the Maritime Baptist and Rev. J. B. Ganong delivered an inspiring address on evangelistic work.

Resolutions of thanks were unanimously adopted for the hearty welcome and hospitality extended to the delegates by the Hampton Village church and people, to the organist and choir for helpful music, and to the railway authorities for reduced fares.

The committee on church letters reported that thirty-nine out of the forty-nine churches showed 137 Baptisms, 140 removals and a net increase of 128 members.

The grouping of churches caused some discussion and a committee was appointed to confer with the fifth district and secure a rearrangement of churches on adjoining borders. There were forty-five delegates in attendance.

By the will of a hotelkeeper who died in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., his estate of \$25,000 is to be divided among his heirs after the death of his pet cat, which is to be supported by the income of the remainder of its life.



Summer Home Furniture

Veranda Chairs, \$1, \$1.35, \$1.60, \$3 to \$5.50.
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Rattan Tables, 24 inch diameter, \$4; 30 inch, \$7.

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"Orex" Chairs, \$5.25 to \$15.

"Vador" Veranda Shades, olive or dark green, 4 feet wide, 7 1-2 feet drop, \$3; 6 feet wide, \$4.35.

Lawn Swings, \$5, \$6 and \$9.25.

Croquet Sets, \$1.75, \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.50 to \$4.75.

Folding Canvas Cots, \$1.50 to \$3.35.

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Couch Hammocks, fitted with spring seat and sofa cushion, canvas ends and wind shield, \$12.

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Wood Frame Hammock Supports, adjustable to different lengths, \$7.

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FARM WOMEN'S CLUBS IN THE UNITED STATES

Though much attention has in recent years been given to political and social problems as they affect women, yet the rural element was generally somewhat neglected until the rural exodus began to take place. This has occurred in the United States especially, where many women have left the country districts, and as a result have been unable to make effective efforts to improve the conditions of those who remain. An article in the April number of the "Bulletin of Economic and Social Intelligence," published by the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, deals with this subject and describes more especially the work of the Farmwomen's Clubs in this direction.

In fact, besides the educational efforts made on behalf of the rural female element of the States in schools, colleges and agricultural universities, supplemented by the Women Farmers' Institutes, and the work of great associations, especially of that of the Grange, in which men and women have equal rights and duties, the apparently humble work of the Farmwomen's Clubs are very important. These unions form a remedy derived directly from the needs felt by the women of the country districts, and can therefore reach where neither the work of the government nor that of the great associations can penetrate.

The farmwomen's clubs have assumed various forms in the United States, but their efforts are especially directed to three principal objects, viz. (a) the artificial creation among the women of rural districts of those social relations which, whether owing to recent immigration or to the long distances between the farmhouses, could not otherwise arise among them; (b) the variation of the monotony of domestic occupations by some kind of recreation, the want of which leads many country women to prefer city life; (c) the enrichment of the minds of the women by reciprocal exchange of useful information and knowledge.

This threefold work is carried on in the most varied ways among the women's clubs in the United States, which are often admirable for the ingenuity, simplicity and utility of their methods. Many of them are described in the above-mentioned article, to which we refer our readers, because their example might well be followed by the farm women of other countries.

PIANO RECITAL

On Friday evening a very successful recital was given by Miss Emma Rubins' pupils at her home, 634 Main street. G. H. Craigie acted as chairman. A lengthy programme was carried out. Three taking part were: Misses Agnes Pearson, Gladys Titus, Mildred Morrison, Lois Friars, Pearl Seare, Jean Hoyt, Jean Knight, Gladys Moore, Nina and Eva F. M. Winnington Ingram of Gravesend (Ont.). The third brother is Admiral Ingram, the fourth is the Bishop of London, the fifth is a country rector and the youngest is an Indian administrator.

London, June 23—The Imperial trade commission has decided that it is precluded from touching that tariff question, and it has adjourned its sessions till October when the taking of evidence begins. Its sittings will then probably be open to the press. Meanwhile there will be routine enquiries by a sub-committee.

The gum trees of Victoria, Australia, are the tallest trees in the world. They average three hundred feet in height. Wheat has been found growing in the Andes Mountains 11,000 feet above the level of the sea.