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Harbor Fishermen and Council Clash Over Sale of Rights

POWER CO. CUTS RATE DISCOUNT

UPSET PRICE REFUSED ON SOME OF LOTS

Men Charge City Commissioners Not Using Them Fairly

SALE ADJOURNED

Council Members Assert Men Had Agreement to Keep Price Down

The fishermen refused to pay the upset price set on some of the harbor lots at today's sale and charged that the city commissioners were not using them fairly in the matter.

Roy F. Potts acted as auctioneer and started the sale by offering the West side lots. Lot J was put up first and a bid of \$10 was made.

After the list had been run through, Commissioner Bullock asked if the fishermen wanted the lots set up again or the sale postponed.

GOVERNOR TODD TO PRESENT MEDALS

Deputy Minister of Agriculture Will Attend Breeders' Meeting at Amherst

FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 6.—The medals donated by His Honor the Lieut. Governor for competition in the high school entrance examinations which were unfortunately delayed so that actual presentation could not be made at the Christmas closing of the public schools, have arrived here.

To Ottawa Meeting. Prof. H. P. Webb, who occupies the chair of forestry at the University of New Brunswick, will be sent to the meeting of the Canadian Forestry Association at Ottawa in the latter part of the month as representative of the University.

CONSECRATE BISHOP

Rev. John Hackenley, D. D., of North Sydney, is Co-adjutor of Nova Scotia.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 6.—Rev. John Hackenley, D. D., of North Sydney, was consecrated Bishop Co-adjutor of Nova Scotia in All Saints Cathedral here this morning in the presence of a congregation that taxed the seating capacity of the large edifice to the limit and included the Archbishop of Nova Scotia, the Bishops of Ottawa, Quebec, and Fredericton and clergymen from all parts of Nova Scotia.

BLOODY RIOTS IN ITALIAN TOWNS

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The Daily Herald and the Daily Express, London morning newspapers with widely separated viewpoints both carry dispatches today stating there has been bloody street fighting throughout Italy as a result of Fascist measures of repression.

GOVERNMENT TO MEET WEDNESDAY

WILL SET DATE OF GLOUCESTER BYE-ELECTION.

Premier Veniot Has no Official Word Regarding Grand Falls Storage Dams.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 6.—Premier Veniot was engaged today at his office on departmental duties preparatory to meeting of the Provincial Government which will begin Wednesday morning.

The Premier stated this morning that no word had been received from international waterways commission to which the application for permission to erect storage dams on the headwaters of the St. John River in preparation for hydro development at Grand Falls had been made.

REQUIRE 318 RUNS

English Cricketers Have Serious Task to Win From Australian Eleven.

MELBOURNE, Australia, Jan. 6.—(Canadian Press Cable via Reuters).—With nine wickets to fall England requires 318 runs to win the second cricket test match against Australia.

Holy Rollers Buy New Hall in Devon

FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 6.—The building in South Devon known as the Temperance Hall has been purchased by the Holy Rollers, it having been the headquarters of the Pentecostal Gospel preachers since they transferred the scene of their activities from Fredericton to Devon.

WARMEST WINTER OF CENTURY IN POLAND

WARSAW, Jan. 6.—Poland is experiencing the warmest winter recorded in century. The thermometer at the Craew observatory yesterday registered 60 degrees.

Great Dome of St. Paul's Cathedral is Now In Unsafe and Dangerous Condition

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The Great Dome of St. Paul's Cathedral is declared by the city surveyor to be in such unsafe condition that the municipal authorities, according to the Daily Mirror, have served notice upon the officials of the Cathedral that they should repair it by January 15.

Must Have 40 Pounds To Enter Australia

MELBOURNE, Australia, Jan. 6.—In order to prevent an influx of impetuous immigrants next spring the federal government has issued a regulation which states that no person shall be allowed to land in the Commonwealth after March 31 unless in possession of at least £40.

Hostility of Dominions To Geneva and Chamberlain Plan Embarrasses British Cabinet

LONDON, Jan. 6.—If neither the Geneva protocol or the Austen Chamberlain's alternative scheme are approved, the disarmament conference of the League which is scheduled for March will be abandoned with the natural outcome that the names of the world will begin the formation of these great national combinations which have so long been a feature of the diplomacy of Europe, and beginning again that armament rivalry which was a feature before the great war.

LOAN EMBARGO BY BANK OF ENGLAND

WILL HELP UPWARD TREND OF POUND STERLING.

Order Effects Loans to Foreign Countries Approximating 80 Million Pounds.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—The Bank of England this morning placed an embargo on foreign loans approximating eighty million pounds, until such time as sterling reaches parity.

GUNMEN MURDER MINERS' LEADER

Secretary of U. M. W. Local Found on Street, Badly Riddled With Bullets.

SCRANTON, Pa., Jan. 6.—His body riddled with bullets, Samuel Pace, secretary of the Ewen Colliery local union of the Pennsylvania Coal Company, was found dead on a street in Pittston early today.

ART HANDICAPPED

Chilly Weather in Los Angeles Effects Models Posing in 'The Nude.'

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 6.—Art in Los Angeles is being handicapped by the chilly weather.

IS THIRD VICTIM

Scarlet Fever Claims Three Children in One Montreal Family, Since Christmas.

MONTREAL, Jan. 6.—With the death yesterday of a third child, the death toll in the Montreal family suffering from scarlet fever, since Christmas, has reached three.

GOT BOOTLEGGERS

United Farm Women Say They Will Keep After Illicit Boozers.

GRANTED AMNESTY

Former Premier Caillaux Heads Imposing List of Beneficiaries in France.

PARIS, Jan. 6.—The court records in the cases of 60,000 persons cleared by the amnesty bill voted in parliament last week are promulgated in the Journal of today.

Find Wreckage of Rum Row Vessel

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Jan. 6.—Wreckage found floating in the ocean of Sengist is believed to indicate loss of one of the liquor laden vessels of rum row during the terrific northeast gales of last week.

UNIONISTS ARE LEADING WITH A BIG MAJORITY

First Maritime Returns Strong For Church Union

HEAVY POLLING

Cape Breton, Halifax and P. E. I. Congregations Are Supporting United Church

SYDNEY, N. S., Jan. 6.—The first Presbyterian congregations of Cape Breton to declare their standing on the Church Union did so last night when the ballots were counted at three churches, the result in each case being an overwhelming majority for Union.

NEW GLASGOW, N. S., Jan. 6.—The first Church Union voting returns from Pictou county gave a victory for the Unionists in two small congregations.

ALLIED DECISION DISTURBS GERMANS

PRESS CHARGES BREACH OF TREATY.

Whole Country Indignant Over Refusal to Evacuate Cologne Area.

BRUSSELS, Jan. 6.—Indignation was expressed throughout Germany today at the Allied decision not to evacuate the Cologne area.

BANS GOSSIPING AMONG EMPLOYEES

Woman Secretary of N. Y. State Department Issues Draconic Order.

ALBANY, Jan. 5.—Gossiping among women employees of the Secretary of State's department at the Capitol here was going to stop, as the result of regulations imposed today by New York's first woman Secretary of State, Mrs. Florence Z. Knapp.

BITE PROFITABLE

California Man Gets Award From Insurance Co. For Mosquito Sting.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 6.—The State Industrial Accident Commission has decided that a mosquito bite on the tongue costed an industrial worker \$2,487, with \$12.23 a week while he recovers.

REQUEST GRANTED

High Commissioners of Overseas Dominions Given Rank of Ambassadors.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—A clause putting the High Commissioners of the Overseas Dominions on the same footing as Ambassadors will be inserted in the budget and will be pressed by the government.

TO SALVAGE SHIP

Clyde Liner Mohawk, Destroyed by Fire, Now in Nine Feet of Water.

LEWIS, DEL., Jan. 6.—Inspection of the sunken hull of the Clyde liner Mohawk, which burned to the waters' edge near here after safely landing her passengers, has shown that the ship can be salvaged.

Tammany Fights Move to Install New Voting Machines in N. Y. Districts

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Age-old charges of "rotting 'em where they ain't" in Tammany-controlled districts of New York are getting an airing again with the move to install voting machines to supplant the more susceptible ballot boxes in the city.

Obenchain Weds Again

"One man in a million" has married again. Ralph R. Obenchain, who won that title because of the defense of his divorced wife, Madalynne Connor Obenchain, in her three trials for the murder of J. Bolton Kennedy in Los Angeles a few years ago, has married Miss Mabel Schmitz, 21, of Evanston, Ill. Obenchain is a lawyer and theater manager of Evanston.



NEW BRUNSWICK POWER COMPANY BOARD HAS PROTESTED AGAINST THE DISCOUNT

NEW RACING RULES

Money Winnings as Basis For Classification of Trotters and Pacers.

YOUTHFUL HURLER IS FIRST HOLDOUT

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Pete Donohue, youthful Cincinnati pitcher, has established a record in the major leagues. He is the first full-fledged holdout of the 1925 season.

RESIGNS AFTER 14 YEARS IN OFFICE

FREDERICTON, Jan. 6.—H. T. Brewer, who for the last fourteen years has been the capable and efficient superintendent of the George Street Baptist Sunday school, resigned at yesterday's annual meeting and much regret was expressed at his resignation.

RESUME \$2.25 CHARGE TO ALL CUSTOMERS

Company Directors Decide Following Utilities Judgment NOTIFY BOARD

Statement On Charges Issued By Manager Pooler Following Meeting

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the New Brunswick Power Company held yesterday afternoon the decision of the Board of Public Utilities with reference to the gas rates and the dual service discount was discussed.

Mr. A. Pooler, general manager of the company, when asked for a statement today, said that it was brought out at the meeting yesterday that, before the Public Utilities Board gave out its opinion they had examined data furnished by their expert, S. H. Midram, yet they had not given the New Brunswick Power Company board any information as to what this data was.

He said they understood that Mr. Midram had made a statement that there was a diminution in the company's cost of serving their consumers using both gas and electric service as compared with cost of serving those who use the company's gas service only.

Mr. Pooler said that the Public Utilities Board opinion was to the effect that the reduction was unreasonable and unjust but implied that some of a discount would be fair, yet it did not say how much, in its opinion, this difference should be.

Back to Old Rate. The general manager said it was felt by the New Brunswick Power Company board that, inasmuch as the city council had protested against the 10c or 82.5 per cent dual service discount, the company should, until such objection on the part of the city council is removed, discontinue this discount.

"Accordingly the company is notifying the Board of Public Utilities that the discount will be discontinued and also is notifying its dual service consumers to this effect with a provision that objection any time this year the discount will be restored and will be made retroactive from the date when discontinued.

Under this plan the rate would be \$2.25 to all gas customers of the company, as it was before the discount to dual users was announced.

Takes Over Dock Plant. The New Brunswick Power Co. on January 1 took over the power plant at the St. John Drydock and will supply all current for the plant and dock of the St. John Drydock and Shipbuilding Co. The drydock company has reserved one boiler for heating purposes, but the other units in the company's power plant will be operated when required by the N. B. Power Co.

The Weather Report

Synopsis—The rather deep depression which was in northern Alberta yesterday is now passing eastward over Manitoba and another is developing near the middle Atlantic coast. The temperature is moderate throughout the Dominion. Light snowfalls have occurred in Manitoba and Ontario.

Forecasts: Snow. Maritime—Increasing north-east and east winds; snow tonight and part of Wednesday; somewhat colder.

Northern New England—Unsettled tonight, rain in east portion. Wednesday generally not much change in temperature. Fresh probably strong northeast winds.

Temperatures. TORONTO, Jan. 6. Highest during 8 a.m. yesterday night.

P. Rupert ... 34 80 82  
Victoria ... 38 40 38  
Calgary ... 12 34 8  
Edmonton ... 16 25 12  
Winnipeg ... 22 18 16  
Toronto ... 28 30 24  
Montreal ... 16 26 10  
St. John ... 18 34 16  
Halifax ... 26 28 26  
New York ... 34 12 30