

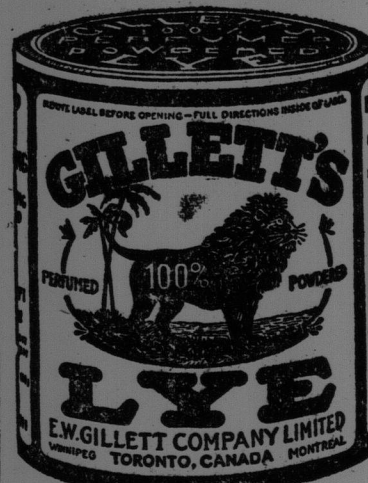
GOVT. MEETS A CRUSHING REVERSE

Meighen Candidate Buried by
Several Thousand Votes in
Medicine Hat Constituency.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)
Medicine Hat, Alberta, June 27.—A
national progressive is to succeed the
Hon. A. L. Sifton as representative
at Medicine Hat constituency.
Robert Gardiner, candidate of
United Farmers of Alberta, today
defeated Colonel Nelson Spencer, can-
didate of the Meighen government by
majority which it is estimated will
be between 2,500 and 5,000 in the by-
election necessitated by the death of
Sifton. The campaign was fought
on both sides and a great many
meetings were held. Hon. T. A.
Dr. Michael Clark, and H. A.
president of the U. F. A., were
those who spoke for Mr. Gar-
diner. Colonel Spencer was sup-
ported by Hon. Senator Robertson,
ex of labor, H. H. Stevens, M. P.,
unopposed, and other members of
the cabinet.

Capture Monster Sturgeon.

rence, June 28.—A fish which has
been attracting so much attention below
is in the Merrimack River here was
it. It proved to be a sturgeon, nine
in length, weighing about 300
lb. The monster was caught by
men who used ice hooks and ropes,
after it had been speared it put up a
fight that lasted more than half an hour.
The capture city employees
dumped four barrels of lime into the
river, which is from three to fourteen



THREE DROWNED IN TEWKESBURY, QUE.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)
Quebec, June 27.—Georges Patry, a
grocer of this city, was drowned in the
Jacques River at Tewkesbury early this
evening, while his daughter, Georgette,
aged eighteen years, and his son, Henri,
aged ten years, were also drowned.
The party motored to Tewkesbury,
about twenty-five miles north of the
city this afternoon and while the girl
was standing on the bank of the river
she slipped and fell into the water.
The father endeavored to reach out to
rescue her and was held by his young
son, but he also slipped and dragged the
boy in with him.

"Let's Eat!"



HEINZ OVEN BAKED BEANS with Tomato Sauce

You may love the hills and
woods and little birds and
things—but the best part of the
scenery is your picnic hamper.
And the best thing in it are
those Heinz Baked Beans.

Whether picnicing, camping,
or at home, Heinz Baked Beans
are the most convenient, most
nourishing and most appetizing
food for hot weather.

Be sure they are Heinz Baked
Beans—and not ordinary
beans. Oven baking by dry
heat preserves the rich flavor
and health-giving qualities
that beans naturally have. And
Heinz famous Tomato Sauce
gives them that delicious tang
that "just beans" do not have.

One of the **57**



All Heinz goods sold in Canada are packed in Canada

POWER COMPANY ISSUES ULTIMATUM

Schedule of Wages and
Conditions Posted Yesterday—
Men Have Until Wednes-
day to Accept.

At a meeting of the directors of the
New Brunswick Power Company, held
yesterday, it was decided that the find-
ing of the board of conciliation was not
satisfactory and notices were posted by
the company fixing the scale of wages and
conditions the same as those of May
18. The manager of the company in-
formed a delegation from the employees
that any who wished to report for work
on Wednesday on the new scale would
be accepted. A mass meeting of the
men will be held today.

Terms and Wages.

The notices posted yesterday con-
tained the following provisions: (1) The
wage scale will continue for an indefinite
period and may be altered by the com-
pany on giving the employee (3) thirty
days' notice in writing, posted on the
bulletin board nearest his job, or de-
livered to him personally. (2) The con-
ditions herein may be changed at any
time the company considers advisable.
(3) The company to operate all street
cars with one man, as far as the com-
pany considers it practicable and ad-
visable.

The wage schedules, commencing June
29, were announced as follows:
Motormen and conductors—Pay first
six months, 89 cents; second six months,
41 cents; after first year, 42 cents; after
second year, 44c.; one-man car operation,
5 cents extra per hour; snow work and
training of students, 4 cents extra per
hour; temporary laborers, at market rate.
Linemen—Subforemen, 56 cents; linemen,
42 cents; groundmen, 38 cents; pa-
trolmen, 38 cents to 42 cents; chauffeur,
38 cents per hour.

Trackmen—Subforemen, 42 cents;
car and hillmen, 38 cents; arc welders,
50 cents per hour.
Car barn employees—Meter repairmen,
39 cents; meter setter, 38 cents; firemen,
40 cents; yard foreman, 38 cents; yard-
men, 38 cents; street men, 38 cents; sta-
ble men, 31 cents; teamsters, 31 cents
to 35 cents per hour.

Mechanical department—Machinists,
58 cents; carpenters, 56 cents; painters,
38 cents; blacksmiths, 38 cents per hour.
Power House Employees—First en-
gineer, 60 cents per hour; engineers, 50
cents per hour; dynamo tenders, 40 cents
per hour; oilers, 45 cents per hour; boil-
ermakers, 50 cents per hour; firemen,
46 cents per hour; repairmen, 39 to 50
cents per hour.

The manager of the New Brunswick
Power Company, issued the following
statement yesterday afternoon:
"At the meeting of the New Brun-
swick Power Company directors this
morning, held to consider the award of
the board of conciliation, it was decided
that the company could not agree to the
report, but must issue a schedule of rates
and conditions similar to that posted
on May 18. This decision shows a
reduction of eleven per cent. for carmen
operating one-man cars; ten per cent. on
the power house and linemen and twenty
per cent. on almost all other employees.
Those men who have recently been en-
gaged for car barn and track work
duties are not asked to accept any reduc-
tion as they are now being paid at the
market rates. The directors desire to
put the company on a thoroughly com-
mercial basis in order to give a better
service to its patrons, and whether this
service is to be performed by employees
engaged as individuals, or employees en-
gaged as a union, is a matter of indiffer-
ence. The company feels that it must
have control over its employees and see
that adequate service is rendered.
That the interests of the public and the
company are properly safeguarded.
"The wage reduction will go into effect
on Wednesday morning, when the men
sample time to hold their mass
meeting on Tuesday. Those of the em-
ployees who desire to stay with the com-
pany under the new wages and con-
ditions will report for work as usual on
Wednesday. The company does not
anticipate any difficulty in filling its
ranks at the proposed new wages, which
are quite in accordance with the general
wage schedule paid by other employers
of labor."

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, JUNE 28.
A.M. P.M.
High Tide... 6.00 Low Tide... 12.39
Sun Rises... 5.39 Sun Sets... 9.14
(Time used is daylight saving.)

PORT OF ST. JOHN

Sailed Yesterday
Schr Abbie G Stubbs, 296, Peabody,
for New York.

CANADIAN PORTS.

Quebec, June 27.—Arrd, stmr Cana-
dian Signaller, Sydney, N. S.; T. J.
Drummond, for Sydney; Canadian Port,
Liverpool. Clid, stmr Sheba, Sydney.

BRITISH PORTS.

Hull, June 25.—Sld, stmr Wyncote,
Montreal.
Moville, June 27.—Arrd, stmr Columbia,
New York.
London, June 27.—Arrd, stmr Grey
Country, Montreal.
Liverpool, June 27.—Arrd, stmr Me-
ganitic, Montreal.
Southampton, June 25.—Arrd, stmr
Scandinavian, Montreal.
Castellamare, June 27.—Arrd, stmr Sir-
iour, Montreal.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Boston, June 27.—Arrd, schr W. D.
Mangan, Albert, N. B.; stmr Sachem,
Liverpool, via St. John, Nfld, and Mail-
fax.
New York, June 27.—Arrd, stmr La-
fayette, Havre; Esperanza, Havre; stmr
Vigil, June 28.—Arrd, stmr Italia,
New York via Boston.

ARMY OF GRASSHOPPERS KILLS COLORADO VEGETATION

Colorado Springs, Colo., June 28.—An
army of grasshoppers, estimated to be
fifteen miles wide and twenty miles long,
is advancing on El Paso county, Colo-
rado, from the southwest. County Farm
Agent J. C. Hale announced on Saturday.
They are destroying virtually all vege-
tation in their path.

Chase & Sanborn's
CEYLON AND INDIA TEA
is the result of fifty years of constant study to bring to the
discriminating tea drinker the very best to be found in the
tea gardens of the Far East.
In the flavor, aroma and golden liquor of Chase & Sanborn's
Ceylon & India Black Tea can be read all the ceaseless care
with which the plants have been tended and guarded against
impairment and impurity. Sold in half
and one pound packages, sealed against air
and touch.
CHASE & SANBORN, Montreal, Que.

DECLARATION OF DOMINION RIGHTS BY MR. MEIGHEN

Adequate Voice in Foreign
Affairs Subject of Dis-
cussion at Empire
Conference

London, June 27.—(By Gratian
O'Leary, staff correspondent the Cana-
dian Press).—A declaration of Dominion
rights by Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, pre-
mier of Canada, setting out what, in his
judgment, should constitute an adequate
voice for the dominions in the foreign
affairs of the empire, was today debated
at length by the conference of prime min-
isters. Premier Meighen, whose address
was by way of being a review of Lord
Curzon's outline of the world policy of
the British foreign office, laid down four
cardinal principles which, he declared,
were essential to the heightened status of
the dominions. Although the speech and
the discussions which ensued have not
yet been made public, it is understood
his four points were as follows:

First.—That on all questions of foreign
policy which more directly concern the
dominions, such as matters arising
in connection with Palestine, Mesopotamia
and the middle east the govern-
ments of the dominions should be kept
thoroughly and constantly informed.
Second.—That upon all questions of
foreign policy affecting the empire as a
whole the dominion governments must
be consulted.

Third.—That the British government
should enter into no treaties or special
alliances without consultation with, and
the advice of the dominions, and that all
such treaties, even when entered into, be
subject to the approval of the dominion
parliaments.

Fourth.—That upon all questions aris-
ing as between the United States and
Canada, the advice of the dominion gov-
ernment must be accepted as final.
Premier Meighen, in his address,
combated a statement by Premier
Massey of New Zealand, that the im-
perial war cabinet had advised the king
and that, therefore, the continuation of
the war cabinet would give the dominions
a greater voice in the Empire's
foreign policy than a mere conference
such as that now being held.

The Canadian minister argued that
the Dominion ministers in the imperial
war cabinet did not advise the king,
but by consultation with the British
Cabinet merely helped to influence ad-
vice which the latter gave to the govern-
ment. In this respect, indeed, Mr. Mei-
ghen is probably not prepared to go so
far as Premier Massey, or even Sir Rob-
ert Borden or Hon. N. W. Rowell, who
it will be remembered, have practically
advocated that the Dominion cabinets
advise the king direct. Premier Mei-
ghen apparently sees difficulty and dan-
ger in this, while willing to accept a
condition under which guarantee would
be secured that the advice of the Do-
minions, on all matters exclusively af-
fecting them, be taken.

Asked by a member of the confer-

ST. MONICA'S PAYS TRIBUTE TO MRS. D. P. CHISHOLM

A final business meeting of St. Mon-
ica's Society yesterday afternoon in
the Knights of Columbus hall and at-
tended by many members was made
the occasion of a happy surprise presen-
tation to Mrs. D. P. Chisholm, for years
president of the society and now presi-
dent of the Catholic Women's League,
with which St. Monica's has been merged.

In the opening business session Mrs.
M. Bohan, the first vice-president, ex-
tended the felicitations of the society to
the president, Mrs. Chisholm, and com-
mended her on being made the presi-
dent of the Catholic Women's League.
Mrs. Chisholm extended the appreciative
thanks of the society to Miss M. Hogan
who was treasurer of St. Monica's for
seven years; to the various standing
committees, particularly the charity com-
mittee and Mrs. W. E. Scully who was
its faithful convenor for several years
and to the former secretary, Miss Amelia
Hayley and her successor, Mrs. D. C.
Dearden.

Mrs. Dearden on behalf of the society
presented to Mrs. Chisholm a beautiful
bouquet of roses, a purse of gold and an
address. The address was charmingly
worded and told of the fealty, deep
respect and love which Mrs. Chisholm
had inspired in the members of the so-
ciety in the years of her presidency. It
referred feelingly to her wealth of talents,
beauty of character, her devotion to the
unfortunate, her wisdom and tact and
her all to her likeableness. As an ideal
Catholic gentlewoman she had been an
example through all the years of the so-
ciety's existence. The closing of the so-
ciety was for all the members, it was
said, the closing of years when they had
drawn near to one another doing the
things in which they were so united and
prejudice lost. Many sweet lives would
be remembered. To Mrs. Chisholm the
society gave the praise for the task ac-
complished.

Mrs. Chisholm replied feelingly and
in a charming manner.
A dainty tea was served under the con-
sensus of Mrs. M. Bohan, first vice-
president, Miss A. P. O'Neill, second
vice-president and Mrs. Atkinson. Pre-
siding at the prettily appointed tea
table were Mrs. J. H. Duddy and Mrs.
Richard Sullivan.

"GHOST" MOCKS POLICE.

Continues Groaning in "Haunted" House
After Futile Investigation.

Bristol, Va., June 28.—Police in-
vestigation has failed to quiet Bristol's
"ghost" and, after more than a week's
excitement, strange moanings and groan-
ings continue to emanate from the
"haunted house" in the residential dis-
trict to which thousands have been at-
tracted daily and nightly. All efforts
to explain the strange sounds have been
futile.

The police first blamed rats, but after
all rodents had been eliminated the
moaning continued. Building experts
have started an investigation that will
cover every inch of the room and walls
in which the noise is heard. Two occu-
pants of the house already have suf-
fered nervous breakdowns.

IMPERIAL'S SHOW PACKED THE HOUSE

Wonderfully Fine Feature
Created Large Volume of
Patronage—On Again To-
day.

It was like fall or winter at the Im-
perial Theatre last night, the volume of
business was so large and appreciative.
This goes to disprove to a certain ex-
tent that fine summer weather is not al-
ways proof against the magnet of su-
perior film attractions. The big Keith
house certainly did give its patrons a
wonderful programme, a bill that will
doubtless attract more large crowds to-
day.

Betty Compson, whose meteoric rise
to stardom was the result of her re-
markable portrayal of the role of the
girl in the George Loane Tucker pro-
duction of "The Miracle Man," makes
her initial stellar appearance in "Pris-
oners of Love," which is being again pre-
sented at the Imperial Theatre today.
The picture was personally produced by
Miss Compson, who is now at the head
of her own company.

The story is taken from one of the
works of Catherine Henry, and contains
immense tense dramatic situations
which give Miss Compson the fullest op-
portunity to display her remarkable ver-
satility. The action carries her through
the complete range of human emotions,
and her first production stamps her as
one of the really great actresses of the
screen.

As Blanche Davis, Miss Compson por-
trays the role of a girl born of wealthy
and cultured parents, and cursed through
inheritance with a dangerous degree of
physical attractiveness. Discovering her
father buying the silence of an adven-
turer who has become part of his life,
Blanche leaves home and disdains even
the use of her father's great name. She
flees to San Francisco, where she obtains
employment in the law offices of Martin
Blair and James Randolph. The latter
seeks to marry her, but his mother, an
invalid since his birth, selfishly com-
pels her to promise that she will not take
her son from her until after her death.
Death's swift intervention fails to
solve the riddle of "Prisoners of Love,"
and the best work of many present dra-
matists seems childish compared with
the magnificent gesture with which the
picture ends.

INCREASED PENSION FOR C. N. R. MEN

Retired employees of the C. N. R. re-
ceiving the minimum pension of \$20 per
month will, hereafter, receive \$20 per
month, according to information received
at the office of L. R. Ross yesterday.
The increased pension will date from
April 1 last.

Mr. Ross said yesterday that negotia-
tions had been carried on for more than
two years, and that it was in great mea-
sure due to the efforts of William J. Mc-
Mahon, C. N. R. accountant, that retired
employees have obtained a pension in-
crease.

NEW ZEALAND STOCK.

London, June 28.—(Canadian Asso-
ciated Press).—New Zealand is offering an
issue of five million pounds sterling six
per cent. inscribed stock at 96.

NUTTY CRISP
A DAINTY bit of
more brittle than hard.
With velvet G.B. coat-
ing. In the "Fireside"
family "by special
request!"
A "Fireside" delight
in the "Fireside"
Dollars a Pound.
Ganong's
Get "True Value" for Your Dollar

LOCAL NEWS

The children of the Protestant Or-
phans' Britain street home spent a most
enjoyable afternoon at Torriburn beach
last Saturday. They were the guests
of Charles Peters, of Kingston, who
provided cars to take them out and
back, refreshments and amusements.

Dr. W. S. Carter, of Fredericton, pro-
vincial superintendent of education, ar-
rived in the city yesterday after com-
pleting a tour of inspection of the schools
in sections of Kings, Queens and Sun-
bury counties. Dr. Carter will leave
today for Campbellton where, on Wed-
nesday, he will make an address at the
closing of the public schools of that
town.

A social evening was held last night
by the members of the East St. John
Community club, with the president, R.
G. Magee in the chair. No business was
transacted, and the members present
listened to a fine musical programme
carried out by Miss Minnie Myers, Miss
Dorothy Kee, Arnold Kee, Mr. Mc-
Eachern and John Tonge. About thirty
members were present.

The retreat for the Anglican clergy-
men of the Diocese of Fredericton open-
ed last evening at Robbsey with a quiet
hour in the evening. There are forty
clergymen from all parts of the province
in attendance and the leaders for the
retreat are Dean Owen of Christ Church
Cathedral, Hamilton (Ont.). The retreat
will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday and
Thursday of this week. Robbsey Col-
legiate School has been placed at the
disposal of those attending the retreat
and all are in residence in the build-
ing.

Miss Ethelyn Armstrong, who recently
graduated from the Victorian Order
Nurses' Training School for public health
nurses and is to go to her field work
in the province next week recently re-
ceived a handsome leather club bag from
a group of her friends. The presenta-
tion was made at Mr. and Mrs. William
McIntosh's summer camp—Camp
Nature—on the St. John's, by A. Gordon
Leavitt. The bag was initiated in gold.
Miss Armstrong was completely sur-
prised and expressed her thanks in a
charming manner. Her friends wished
her all success in her public health work
in the province.

Fannie Dorman, an aged negro who
died recently at Seaford, Del., willed her
lifetime savings of several thousand dol-
lars to two white women who had been
kind to her in her old age.

SHU-FLY

wants to know
if You are
ready for the
School Closing.
Are You?



I'm going to speak a dandy
piece
At close of school this week.
And I'm going to wear my
brand new shoes
They're dandies—they don't
even squeak.

We have
a whole
Store Full
of
wonderful
Shoes
for
Little Folks
You had better
come in and
see them.
Haven't you heard
that our
children's shoes are
very reasonably
priced?

WIEZEL'S
CASH STORE
SUPERIOR FOOTWEAR
243 Union St.

What other cereal food
offers as much nourishing
value as
Grape-Nuts
when eaten with good milk or cream

Consider the sustaining quality
of each dish of this prime wheat and
malted barley food, and you will
have the answer.

A ready-cooked cereal so palatable
that you will want to eat it again
and again.

"There's a Reason"
Grape-Nuts is sold
by grocers everywhere!

Made by Canadian Postum Cereal Co. Ltd.
Windsor, Ontario.