

TO KEEP EYE ON LAKE TRANSPORT

Washington, D. C. and Men Who Make Laws There Will Watch Canada

ST. LAWRENCE ROUTE Railroads Hostile to Canal Route and Their Attitude Is Interesting One

WASHINGTON, June 14.—(By Canadian Press).—Increased attention is going to be given by Congress to inland water transportation from this time forth. This is the word that comes from prominent members of both houses who have been giving thought to the general transportation problem of the United States. The sentiment for intelligent consideration of the inland water transportation is especially marked among some members of the House and Senate interstate commerce committees, the committees that have jurisdiction of railroad matters and which have therefore been obliged to give study to the shortcomings of the existing rail system.

For some years in Congress it has been the fashion to criticize the river and harbor bill as a "pork barrel" measure. This criticism in the case of some appropriations has been well-founded but at the same time it has been operated to prevent waterway improvements that have deserved to be carried ahead. Likewise the criticism has been exactly what the railroads wanted, in view of the hostility of the roads to waterway development.

Congress Sits Up
But the high rail rates, the seeming inability of the railroads to give the service the public demands, and the very evident fact that with the development of the country there will be traffic for both the rails and the waterways, in plenty, are serving to bring about a different attitude in Congress toward river and harbor appropriations. Many indications are given that Congress and the administration are going to try to develop water transportation and coordinate it with the railroad transportation.

Such projects as the development of the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence water route, the development of the Mississippi to the Gulf and a number of others that might be mentioned, according to all signs are going to be given serious consideration by this Congress and efforts made to get them under way and to the stage where they are not merely subjects for stump speeches and after dinner oratory. The development of the Erie canal, though this is a New York State waterway, is going ahead, according to information here, and efforts are to be made to make effective use of it as a channel for a large volume of traffic, including coal and grain.

Whole Country Interested
The whole country about the Great Lakes and throughout the Mississippi valley is interested in seeing a large amount of boat traffic go over the Lakes and get to the eastern coast by the Erie or St. Lawrence routes. The pressure for this from chambers of commerce and business organizations is growing. This pressure is felt in Congress.

Representative Sweet, a prominent member of the House interstate commission, said recently it was imperative that Congress would give close and intelligent attention to inland waterway transportation from now on. He holds that marvellous water route projects must be encouraged by Congress and not condemned without consideration simply because of the criticism of some things the rivers and harbor bill has been loaded down with in the past.

BISLEY TEAM ALL READY Assembles in Montreal Tomorrow—Col. Peck in Charge

MONTREAL, June 14.—The twenty members of the All-Canada rifle team which is to compete at Bisley will assemble in Montreal on Wednesday preparatory to sailing for England on the Metagama on Thursday. The men will be inspected here by Major-General E. W. Wilson, and will then be turned over to Col. Peck V. C. as commandant.

The members of the Canadian Bisley team will not wear their regimental badges but only the Canada and Maple Leaf badges. Fifty small Lee-Enfield rifles and thirty of the long patterns are being taken to England by the team.

Mr. and Mrs. Cross, of Yarmouth, were injured when the buggy in which they were riding was struck by an auto, throwing them to the ground.

A Humane Society is being organized in Galt.

Most Underpaid Workers In World Are Ministers; A Review of the Situation

The most underpaid workers in the world, in proportion to the unescapable calls made upon them, are Christian ministers. Therefore, it was a commendable thing that in the recent General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, a resolution was passed to increase the minimum salary of ministers. The resolution fixed the lowest salary to be paid to a married minister as \$1800. That is far too low, but is an advance. Therefore, also, the overwhelming sentiment shown in the General Assembly in favor of Presbyterian union with the Methodist and Congregational Churches should be a gratification to decent people apart altogether from religious considerations, for such union will facilitate a greater measure of justice to ministers in the matter of salary than anything else in the world could. Union will mean one congregation and one minister in a great many places where now are two or three of each, with a proportionately better opportunity to treat ministers fairly.

A man engaged in the Christian ministry may be indifferent himself to the scale of compensation; but he would not be much of a man, let alone much of a pastor, if he were indifferent to the comfort and welfare of wife and children. These he must wish to have home comfort, decent food, decent clothing, decent education. The scale of salaries paid to pastors has been low, too low to permit of a minister being sure of how he will be able to provide for his family, and this undoubtedly accounts in part for the fact that the number of candidates for the ministry in all the Protestant Churches has been falling off recently to an ominous extent. Six thousand pulpits are stated to be vacant in the United States; and thousands of ministers besides are compelled to undertake more or less work outside their ministerial duties to secure a decent living for their families, a condition which, of course, interferes with their full ministerial usefulness.

A significant light on the subject is shed by the United States income tax returns, which require all citizens to state their income, whether they come into the taxable class or not. This has enabled a compilation of the incomes of ministers by The Christian Work, which brings out the fact that of the 170,000 active pastors of the United States, 1,671 receive or earn from all sources \$4,000 per year or more. The complete tabulation is as follows:—

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| 1 per cent. of ministers receive \$4,000 or more. |
| 1.4 per cent. of ministers receive \$3,000 to \$4,000. |
| 4.6 per cent. of ministers receive \$2,000 to \$3,000. |
| 9.3 per cent. of ministers receive \$1,500 to \$2,000. |
| 22.6 per cent. of ministers receive \$1,000 to \$1,500. |
| 33.6 per cent. of ministers receive \$500 to \$1,000. |
| 12.7 per cent. of ministers receive \$500 or less. |

Not only are the ministers boycotted by the refusal of the church members to pay adequate salaries; they must look forward to the boycott being continued after they retire from the active ministry. No denomination, says the writer, pays an adequate pension to its retired or disabled ministers, as the following revised table of 1918 shows:

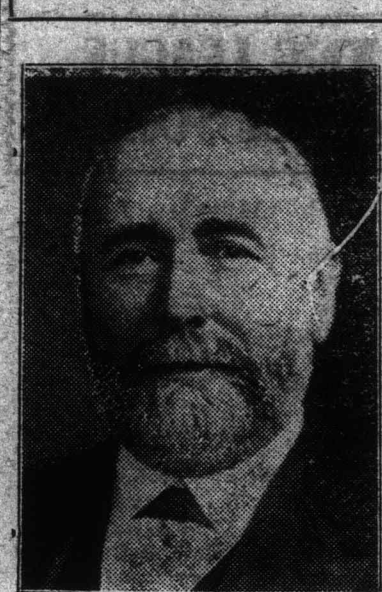
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| 4,152 beneficiaries received less than \$100. |
| 3,658 beneficiaries received from \$100 to \$200. |
| 2,963 beneficiaries received from \$200 to \$300. |
| 1,370 beneficiaries received from \$300 to \$400. |
| 427 beneficiaries received from \$400 to \$500. |
| 103 beneficiaries received from \$500 to \$600. |
| 37 beneficiaries received from \$600 to \$700. |
| 8 beneficiaries received from \$700 to \$800. |
| 5 beneficiaries received from \$800 to \$900. |

These figures, we are informed, were taken from the reports of seventeen denominations. Analysis, says the writer, shows that:—

"One-third of the pensioners received less than \$100 a year, and three-fifths received less than \$200. It seems hardly appropriate for the church to talk much about industrial justice when it treats its own employees in this shameful way. The preacher must live on less than half of what the Government has established a living wage. He can not save up for old age. He must live in poverty and look forward to charity."

"This is not a picture very alluring to young men. The boycott of the church members against the ministry is having its effect. If this un-

OF WITLEY PARK



LORD PIRRIE

whose home in Belfast was at the disposal of Viscount Fitzalan, Viceroy of Ireland, for the opening of Ulster Parliament. Lord Pirrie is well known to Canadians, officers and other ranks who were at Witley Camp. His magnificent place, Witley Park, was the scene of several merry parties, and gymkhana held by Canadian Reserve Brigades of Infantry and Artillery stationed at Witley.

christian boycott is not soon lifted the Christian Church will lose that prestige that has been hers in the past."

The moral is plain. It is a moral for the Protestant. In the Catholic Church the necessity is different, because the Catholic clergy are unmarried; yet the Catholic Church has the common sense to provide not merely comfort but dignity for its priests. The moral for the Protestant Churches is that they must do better for their clergy. Church union will make this easier; but the main thing is that every individual Protestant should feel it to be his personal and individual concern to see that his minister receives not merely a fair hearing but a generous compensation.

Killed by Lightning



(National Crop Improvement Society.)

In the summer time when the thunder caps appear in the sky and the storm sweeps down on the farm, the farmer thinks less of his safety than he does of his live stock.

When the stock is in the field during the storm it may happen that the animals drift against the wire fence, which may be heavily charged with electricity, and are shocked to death. The ordinary fence built on wooden posts should be grounded every sixth post by means of a wire six or eight feet long twisted around all of the line wires of the fence and then secured in a hole in the ground. The wire fence built on galvanized steel fence posts is already grounded at every post and no thunderstorm with its discharge of lightning can injure the cattle enclosed by such a fence.

Returning to Canada.

Brockville—Rev. Dr. G. Campbell Morgan, the eminent Bible student who conducted a mission here some weeks ago, has accepted an invitation of the Presbyterian church to return to Canada next year for a three months' tour, commencing on April 2. Miss C. B. Grunet, who was pianist with the Campbell Morgan party here, has left on a tour of the Near East, visiting Palestine, Egypt and Greece as well as points on the Continent.

Will Tour the River.

Brockville—The Rochester, N.Y. Chamber of Commerce will make its annual cruise of Lake Ontario and the St. Lawrence on June 17-19 aboard the steamer Kingston, of the Canada Steamship Lines, which has been chartered for the trip. Close to 200 reservations have already been made for the cruise.

SEE UNION PICNIC AT REDNERSVILLE

July 1st Will be a Big Day—Inviting Programme Provided

IMPROVING CHURCH Local Baseball Team Plays West Lake Team at Sand-Banks But Lose 14-11

Announcements are out for the big free Union Sunday School Picnic for the 16 schools of Ameliasburg Township, on July 1st. A fine list of sports are in store and the day is to be packed with items of interest, beginning at 10 a.m. with a baseball match between the Trail Rangers of Cannitton, and Rednersville and races for the children of primary and junior classes. At 11 o'clock a programme of songs, elocution and talks, followed by picnic dinner at 12 noon. At one, a parade of the bands in attendance competing groups of not less than 10 each from the different schools for which special prizes are being given. Then two hours of contests and races, free-for-all, etc., will take up the afternoon until four o'clock when a league match is to be played between Picton and Rednersville baseball teams. A good booth will be erected upon the grounds and the profits will be used to defray the expenses for the sports, cup, banner, etc. Everybody free to come and enjoy this big Sunday School Field Day.

The evening is being celebrated by a Choral concert in the church here, which it is expected will be a fitting closing for a memorable event.

Miss Helen Hermon is the latest victim of appendicitis having undergone an operation yesterday. Latest reports are very favorable. She is in Belleville Hospital.

The material for the improvement of the interior of the church here, arrived on Friday and the carpenters are expected to begin work early this week. The decoration it is hoped will be next in order.

Mrs. Arvilla Anderson and daughter Miss Evelyn, leave this week end for Banff. They expect to remain in Toronto several days en route.

Mr. Lorne Dempsey and little daughter, have also removed to St. Catharines where Mr. Dempsey has good employment.

Mrs. McAlister and little one of Toronto, are visiting at Mr. Elijah Brickman, her parents, and Mr. McAlister intends to follow soon and settle here.

The senior baseball team accompanied by members of enthusiastic villagers went over to the Sandbanks on Saturday last for another match. The West Lake fellows got a good lead and showed the visitors of a week before that there are others who like to win and so made them work hard. However, as the game proceeded the Rednersville competitors put up a strong effort and in part retrieved their earlier losses. The score stood 14 to 11 in favor of West Lake. Allisonville plays here next Saturday, 18th inst.

The popular band it to attend the Ice Cream Social at Albury Church on Wednesday evening the 15th and expect to furnish most of the programme along with some talent in song and elocution.

D. T. Stafford, recording steward will accompany Rev. L. M. Sharpe to the Conference at Whitby this week as lay delegate from this circuit. The Sunday Schools have charge of the services in the various churches next Sunday.

PROVINCIAL CONSTABLE BREAKS OUT OF JAIL

Cobourg—Woodstock is not to be permitted to have all the sensation. The spot light was turned on Cobourg, when Provincial Constable Andrews, being held on a charge of burglary and also an offence under the O.T.A., climbed the jail wall and escaped. A large motor truck which had been seized, was standing in the jail yard. Climbing up on the truck, Andrews had no trouble in climbing over the wall. He followed the lake shore road and when he reached the turn to the main gravel road he climbed one of the large willow trees, there intending, no doubt, to remain until darkness came on.

A couple of ladies happened to pass and noticed Andrews in hiding and reported the same to Chief Ruse. In company with the Night Constable they motored out and had no difficulty in landing the prisoner. He was returned to the jail after he enjoyed his liberty for about four hours.

Frankford's Park.

Frankford—The Park has become the beauty spot of Frankford since it has been freshened up. The Maples are showing good growth and in a few years will add wonderfully to the appearance of the town.

An effort is being made to have a pump placed in the new unused well on the grounds.

NO SPEED BOATS UP THE LAKES

Trent Waterways Not to Be the Mecca for Fast Launches as of Old

RACES ELSEWHERE CALL Bobcaygeon Lock Is Not Open—Belleville Boat in Dry Docks

The Peterboro Examiner says: On account of the Bobcaygeon lock not being opened until July 15 and with international boat races at the Thousand Islands, Detroit, Chicago and Toronto early in July and other races coming off in August speed-boats contemplating a cruise in the Trent waterways this year find it impossible to carry out their plans and the present indications are that there will be no speed boats in these waters this year. Mr. G. K. Fraser, president of the Trent Waterways Development Association, advised the Examiner to this effect, when he was in the city en route to Rice Lake with his lovely motor cruiser, the "Wanderer."

Mr. Fraser stated that numerous speed boats had planned a trip up the lakes to work in a little pleasure between the races but they had expected the lock to be open sooner. The opening being now right in the heart of the racing season the speedsters have had to relinquish their plans. Fred Miller, of Toronto, had cleared on bringing Heldina II, one of the fastest speed boats on the Great Lakes through the waterways this year, but has written the secretary that he cannot carry out his plans when the lock is not being opened till July 15. Mr. Fraser said that numbers of pleasure craft were expected about the first of month when the kiddies get out of school. The Wacouta, in drydock at the canal mouth, is the first boat to come up from Trenton this year. Mr. Fraser's boat put in the winter at Burlington and the owner has been running it since very early in the spring Mr. Fraser takes a keen interest in the waterways. He practices what he preaches about the pleasure of a holiday at the Lakes for he has been there since April 12.

The Trent Waterways Development Association meet in Orillia the end of this month and it is expected that much progress will be shown in the development of the tourist trade. The route from Trenton to Nassau has been mapped by the Trent Canal engineers and eleven large scale maps in continuity show the route in every detail as far as Nassau. It is hoped to induce the Department of Railways and Canals to further the mapping to link up with the Severn division. The set of eleven maps now in the hands of the secretary will sell to tourists at \$3.50.

FARMER GORED BY A MAD BULL

Ogdensburg Man Badly Hurt When Hurled Over Fence

Ogdensburg—L. David Larue, a prominent farmer who resides at Northrup Corners, was gored by a furious bull. Larue was trying to drive the bull into a barn when the animal turned on him and hurled him over a high fence.

It is reported Larue was advised to keep away from the animal but paid no heed to the warning. The full extent of his injuries is not known. He may recover.

A Record Breaker!

Kingston—Some people are daring in a canoe; some are not. A young man and his lady-love were enjoying themselves in a canoe, with a small Victrola on hand to add to the pleasure. Along came a big wave and the determination of the paddlers to go over it. They went alright, and were not upset, but in the rise and fall the Victrola disappeared and is now playing jazz for the funny tribes.

Golf at Napanee.

Napanee—The Napanee and Picton Golf Clubs played a match on the Napanee golf course on Thursday. The game was very keen and interesting, the Napanee club winning by 13-p. After the game the contestants resorted to the Campbell House Hotel, where a nicely prepared dinner awaited them. All parties concerned had a most enjoyable afternoon.

A Real Asthma Relief. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has never been advertised by extravagant statements. Its claims are conservative indeed, when judged by the relief which it affords. Expect real relief and permanent benefit when you buy this remedy and you will not have cause for disappointment. It gives permanent relief in many cases.

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WEDDINGS

"The Daily Inter Lake," published at Kallispell, Montana, on Wed. June 1, contains the following:

DOLAN-McCABE.
The chapel at the Sisters of Mercy Hospital was the scene of a beautiful wedding this morning. Miss Rose Ellen McCabe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. McCabe, lovingly called "Nellie" by her intimate friends, became the bride of Mr. Charles Dolan of Belleville, Ontario. The nuptial high mass was read by the Very Rev. Fr. Francis O'Farrell, and the choir was led by Sister Isabelle of St. Matthew's School. During the services Arthur Driscoll sang "I Love You Truly," and Sister Isabelle sang an appropriate solo.

The altar and communion railings were decorated with white lilac and pink crab-apple blossoms, and the fragrance of the flowers filled the beautiful chapel.

The bridal couple were attended by Miss Mae Grant and Mr. William McKenna. The bride was charmingly gowned in a blue travelling gown. The trimmings were of gold embroidery and the waist was the same shade of blue in crepe de chine. Her hair was a delightful creation in old fashioned blue facing and trimmings. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and Cecil Brunner roses surmounted with ostrich plumes. Soft grey gloves completed the exquisite costume.

Immediately after the wedding ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Dolan were decorated with white lilac and pink crab-apple blossoms, and the fragrance of the flowers filled the beautiful chapel.

The wedding party were given a delightful wedding breakfast at the home of her parents, and during the morning and afternoon scores of their friends called to congratulate them. The McCabe home was lovely with its masses of white lilacs and pink blossoms.

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TEACH KID HEALTH

Big Demonstration New York to F. sumption

CANADIANS Modern Health Cr Under Auspices Association

NEW YORK, June 14.—minute methods of principles to children in the 17th annual National Tuberculosis which will open here state in the union, and Canada, will be representative in the campaign tuberculosis.

Marionette shows, theater, motion pictures are some of the to be advanced for the minds of children strict adherence to health.

As a means of teaching use of foods "Theater" will be introduced first time to tuberculosis workers. The character principal parts in later are Mistress Breathe, Crybaby Onion and each.

The Modern Health system of health teaching schools, through which children are taught to health chores, daily, strated at several of the

The history of the tuberculosis Association was before the convention night through the medium entitled "The Double Barred Cross." "Humpty-Dumpty," employed by the association, clever clowning, show children the proper and hygiene.

Poster exhibits, new, moving picture shows other ways of teaching principles will be submission throughout the

Dr. Gerald B. Webb Springs, president of the will open the meeting with his annual address representatives who were sessions.

Dr. Charles J. Hatfield, director of the association upon the work of during the past year.

Tonight's meeting of council will include a federal provision for former soldiers and speakers will be: Dr. scin, of New York, me to the Bureau of War

ance; Dr. F. C. Smith, States Public Health W. Lunkin, director of Board of Vocational Education; F. W. Galbraith, Jr., N. mander of the American Dr. David Lyman, for of the National Tuberculosis

OSHAWA TRUSTEES ADOPT PORTABLE

OSHAWA, June 14.—Education, faced with of providing accommodation more than 300 school, September, with pupils turned away, may add able school plan as no Toronto. A deputation turned from a visit where, through the Board of Education, were shown the school offered tree of change specifications.

The high school is already, and, after a conference, Dr. F. W. Merchant of board has appointed a secure statistics regarding attendance at a time which would embrace a classes now in operation industrial classes. Oshawa has seven schools and

TIPS TO HOUSE

When cooking beef cooker do not salt until use soda on a damp. The nickel on the kitchen Two cupsful of dice good addition to scallo. Jellied beef bouillon by the addition of a juice.

INFANT SON

Albert Reid, infant son Mrs. Albert Reid, No. 5 race, Pinnacle Street, day afternoon and wa afternoon at West Hunt