

TRADE MISSION WINS PRAISE AT MEETING HERE

Board of Trade Council Takes Up Matter of Bedding Trip.

PUBLIC MEETING ON TAXATION TALKED OF

Publicity for Port and Other Important Subjects Are Gone Into.

At a meeting of the Council of the St. John Board of Trade today, the council was advised as to co-operative assistance that had been extended to A. M. Bedding on his western trip on the mission on which he was sent by the 'Telegraph-Journal and the Times-Star. The responses that the Board of Trade had received from all western boards and chambers of commerce had been of a very courteous and friendly nature. Mr. Bedding, it was pointed out, had received very courteous treatment throughout the west and was giving wide publicity to the Maritime through the local and western press.

The Council met with President L. W. Simms in the chair. Other members present included G. E. Barbour, A. H. Wetmore, A. F. Blake, J. G. Harrison, H. C. Schofield, W. E. Anderson, A. P. Peterson, D. W. Ledingham, G. L. Warwick and M. E. Agar.

Co-operation with City. The president reported on a courteous interview that Mayor Fotts recently extended to him on a subject of public importance that the Common Council was giving consideration to. The Mayor expressed a strong desire that the Board of Trade would continue to co-operate closely with the City Council.

Discrimination. The secretary reported that a summary of the Atlantic port statistics furnished by the Marine Department of Canada and by certain U. S. officials had been forwarded to the Imperial Shipping Committee, so that these statistics might be given consideration when the marine insurance discriminations against St. John were being dealt with.

A report was also presented on Captain State's interesting voyage lecture. Captain State has shown a strong desire to give publicity to the Maritime Provinces, their tourist attractions, and also the advantages of such ports as St. John.

Advertising Post. The secretary read replies received from officials respecting illustrated publicity on the Port of St. John at the British Empire Exhibition in London.

It was decided to confer with Premier Vent and Mayor Fotts on the matter of provincial and port publicity at that exhibition. It was pointed out that at the previous British exhibition both the Provincial Government and the City Council had extended assistance to the Board of Trade along publicity lines. It was hoped that an engagement along these lines might be reached at the approaching exhibition.

A report was presented on the subject of reduction of the sales tax on canned fish. Action by the government on this matter is anticipated. M. E. Agar reported on the Halifax meeting of the Maritime Development Association. It was evident the association would make a strong effort to function in the advancement of maritime interests.

Use Canada's Ports. A representative of the Quebec Board of Trade intimated that Quebec was strongly in favor of the routing of Canada's traffic through Canadian ports. According to statistics supplied, exports of grain for the crop year ended August 31, were: New York and other U. S. ports, 600,000 bushels; Via Canadian, 127,000,000 bushels; Montreal, 61,000,000 bushels; Quebec, 2,500,000 bushels; St. John, 9,000 bushels and Vancouver 54,000,000 bushels.

Membership applications of L. Lynds and C. S. Pugh were unanimously accepted. Taxation. G. E. Barbour submitted a report on taxation matters. It was decided that a public meeting be held soon to give wider thought to this subject. The council expressed a desire to have a conference with the parliamentary members before the opening of parliament.

HERE WITH PRISONER. Sheriff Allingham, Queens county, arrived in the city today from Gagetown with a prisoner, W. Walsh, whom he is taking to Dorchester to serve a sentence of two and one-half years for assault. Sheriff Allingham leaves for Dorchester this afternoon.

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS, 50 cents.

BIRTHS

LEE—To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lee, 186 Charlotte street, West St. John, Jan. 27, 1925, a daughter, Catherine Florence.

IN MEMORIAM

RALPH—In loving memory of Pte. G. Ralph, who died on Jan. 25, 1919. WIFE AND CHILDREN.

FRANCIS—In sad but loving memory of my dear husband, Herbert Francis, who departed this life on Jan. 25, 1925. (Wife) BESSIE FRANCIS.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Lab. R. Vaughan wishes to thank her many friends for kindness shown during her recent bereavement.

Mission Room In St. John For Chinese Is Urged At Meeting

Matter Taken up by Women's Auxiliary—More Reports Received.

At this morning's session of the Anglican Women's Auxiliary a stress was laid upon the meeting to consider a mission room for Chinese residents in St. John. This came in a report given by Mrs. A. M. Woodman, secretary of the diocesan branch of the Eastern Canadian Chinese Mission.

Mrs. W. D. Foster urged that the branches contribute a little more this year toward the traveling expenses of their organizer, who wished to visit at least 24 of the branches next spring. Mrs. Gray of Stanley gave a Bible talk, and the devotional period was conducted by Mrs. George F. Smith.

Educational. Miss Schofield read the report of the fund for the education of missionaries' children.

Mrs. E. R. Scovill reported on the Pickett Memorial Fund, which has 106 days endowed, with gifts of \$50 each, for this year. There is a fund of \$812 for needs as voted upon. She read the honor roll of the boys who fell in the war, while the meeting stood. She reported 286 life members and \$202 in the treasury for the designations voted upon.

Mrs. J. Sadler read the Prayer Partners report and asked that more evidence be given to the interest in this work. Designations for money were read by Mrs. G. C. P. McIntyre, diocesan treasurer; Miss E. R. Scovill, Memorial Fund; Mrs. Lee Day, Little Helpers; and Mrs. J. Roy Campbell, Extra Cent a Day Fund.

Mrs. Fortia Mackenzie asked all the members to inspect the work of the Indian girls that was on exhibition in the Seven Branches.

Reports were heard from senior branches including: Trinity, Mrs. J. D. Seely; St. Mary's, Mrs. Moore; St. Luke's, Mrs. Walter L. Gregg; St. James, Mrs. Fenton; St. James, Mrs. A. C. Rawlings; St. George's, Mrs. Alfred Morrisey; St. John's, Mrs. J. Fairquhen. The churches represented were St. Jude's, St. Luke's, St. John Baptist, Mission Church and Fairville. Mrs. J. J. Gordon, of Trinity, was general convenor and Mrs. F. J. G. Knowlton assisted. Mrs. William McDevity on the hospitality committee.

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WILL POSTPONE ANNUAL MEETING

Gathering of Stewards of Maine and New Brunswick Circuit Set Over.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 29.—Because W. H. Gocher, secretary of the National Trotting Association, who has just returned from a trip to Europe, cannot come down east before a week later than the time originally set for the annual meeting of the stewards of the Maine and New Brunswick circuit at Fredericton has been postponed until Wednesday, February 11.

Whites Dead In Alaska Epidemic

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Jan. 29.—According to wireless messages received here from Nome Alaska, a diptheria epidemic raging there remains unbroken. The actual number of dead was not given but one of the dispatched read: "Several white people, grown-ups and children are included in the dead." The largest percentage of those afflicted are Eskimos. Four persons had been reported dead Tuesday.

January Phonograph Club Sale Will Close Saturday Night

Only Two More Days Left All You Need Is \$1.00

And we will send any of the seven models to your home. These beautiful Phonographs will play all records and are made in genuine walnut and mahogany.

See Our Windows. JOIN THE CLUB PLAN. No. 1—\$1 down and we will deliver any of the seven models to your home. No. 2—No collectors, interest or extra fees. No. 3—Balance in small monthly payments.

Those who join the Club tomorrow can have twelve Records and pay for them in the regular plan.

AMLAND BROS., LIMITED 19 Waterloo Street

This famous Concert Phonograph, in walnut or mahogany, Russell motor, double springs, etc., worth \$150.00, now selling for \$55.00 cash or \$45.00 on the club plan.

JUDGE'S CHARGE COMPLETES CASE THIS AFTERNOON

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he not gone into the woods with his rifle and return in a couple of days ostensibly from a hunting trip instead of that he spent the night in a field and came out on the highway the morning after.

Dealing with Williams' attitude throughout the trial he said: "Williams does not yet understand what is going on here."

WILL RELAY PART OF STREET CAR TRACKS

Power Company Directors Also Authorize \$35,000 Expenditure at Gas Plant.

At a meeting of the directors of the New Brunswick Power Company yesterday afternoon plans for the spring were discussed and it was decided to install new rails from the bridge over the Revere Falls to the foot of Fairville also rerail St. James street, from Prince William to Westworth. The work will be undertaken as soon as conditions are favorable. The rails will be heavier than those at present in use in these sections.

At Gas House. An expenditure of \$35,000 was authorized for the purchase of new benches for the gas plant. They will be bought in Canada and are expected to be completed by June 1.

MARRIED YESTERDAY

A very pretty wedding took place at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tippe, Sand Cove road, when their daughter, Miss Addie Gregory, was united in marriage to Henry Baird Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of West St. John. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. Rice of the Fairville Methodist church. The bride, who was unattended, looked charming in a dress of navy blue flat cap with grey trimmings. She carried a bouquet of Opheles roses. She was given in marriage by her father. After the service a dainty supper was served, following which Mr. and Mrs. Smith left for a honeymoon trip to Montreal. They will reside in West St. John. Many beautiful gifts were received.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THE THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

SPECIAL AT PALACE. Special attractions at the Palace, Jack Libby, ballad singer, in late songs beautifully illustrated Thursday, Friday and Saturday. No advance in price.

LIVED ONE YEAR ON MILK

He Tasted No Other Food for Twelve Months. "Gentlemen, for one full year I lived upon nothing but milk," said the robust looking traveler.

FEARING FINISH OF ROMANCE SUICIDES

Massachusetts Youth Slays Self on Eve of Engagement Announcement. KALISPEL, Mont., Jan. 29.—Fear that an epileptic affliction suffered early in life had made his contemplated marriage to a Kallispel girl inadvisable, prompted the suicide here of Harry D. Palge, aged 21, the son of John E. Palge of Southbridge, Mass.

Thought Man Asleep; He Had Ended Life

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The body of Charles Lind, 64 years old, a pattern-maker, lay for nearly two days in his furnished room before it was discovered that he had shot and killed himself. Frank Hanna, landlord, who made the discovery told the police he had seen Lind, fully clothed, lying across his bed in the third-floor room when he entered to make up the bed, but thought that Lind was sleeping late. When he saw the man in the same position later he investigated and found a pistol on the bed beside him and a bullet wound in his left breast.

HERRIOT IS COMMENDED

PARIS, Jan. 29.—Premier Herriot's security speech in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday calls forth laudatory comment today from practically all the morning newspapers, including those of the opposition.

Hand Squeeze Cost Him \$50

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—The price of an unencouraged hand squeeze was fixed at \$50 by Magistrate Seers in the Flatbush Court. Ruben Barfield paid the fine rather than go to jail for 10 days on charges brought by Miss Anna Hissos, who told the court he held her hand and annoyed her in a movie theatre.

Barfield denied the accusation but admitted that he once had been arrested on a similar charge in Atlanta, Ga., his former home.

W. M. CAMPBELL IS AGAIN ELECTED

Membership Increase Reported.

The annual meeting of the St. John District L. O. L. was held last evening in the Orange Hall, Germain street, with William M. Campbell, District Master, presiding. The reports received from the various primary lodges showed a substantial increase in membership for the year and also that the lodges were in excellent financial condition. The election and installation of officers last evening were conducted by County Master Richard Magee.

The Officers Installed were: District master, William M. Campbell; deputy district master, Robert H. Johnston; chaplain, E. S. Hennigar; recording secretary, Melvin W. Parke; treasurer, Charles B. Ward; marshal, Thomas W. Moore; lecturer, F. N. Perkins; deputy lecturer, Hugh Milley; hall committee, William M. Campbell, M. W. Parke, Robert Willis, Thomas Pettie, J. H. Burley, James E. Arthur, W. V. McKinney, Hugh Milley and J. H. Guild.

STAGE FRIGHT BLAMED FOR DISAPPEARANCE

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Captain Arthur Carey in charge of the police homicide squad has decided to look into the disappearance of Miss Ethel Loginska, English pianist, Miss Le-linska was last seen in front of her home here Monday night, a few minutes before she was to have given a recital.

Psychiatrists attribute the disappearance to fright and endorse over-activity, brought about by mental strain—or in other words, stage fright.

Standard Type Of Mooring Mast Sought

LONDON, Jan. 29.—Dr. Hug Eckers, director of the Zeppelin works, and commander of the ZR-3, (now the Los Angeles) on her trip to the U. S. is here discussing with airship builders a plan for the adoption of a standard type of mooring mast as the first step toward international airship service.

FOUND BOY STOWAWAY

HALIFAX, Jan. 29.—When the French cable steamer Edouard Jermine was 30 miles out of Halifax yesterday, it was discovered she had a stowaway aboard, Edward Sullivan, aged 13, of Dartmouth. At a cost estimated at \$100, the boy was returned to his home last night.

Semi-Annual SALE

A customers said to us the other day: "All you'd have to do to bring me to this store in a hurry at any time would be to put a small ad in the papers saying 'Sale at Gilmour's.' You wouldn't have to tell me any more—I'd know I would get something good."

Newcomers will appreciate this attitude when we tell them we have been known for good clothes for several generations.

This is our regular Mid-winter Clearance of broken lines of Suits and Overcoats. Men's and Young Men's Suits—a fine selection for young men—at \$19.50 to \$40—featuring \$24.50 to \$35.

The wisdom of buying an Overcoat—even if you don't need it for immediate use—at such price reductions is so apparent that it does not need to be emphasized. \$21.75, \$24.50 to \$47.50.

PLAY SAFE Miss Alice Fairweather is in charge of our subscription department.

GILMOUR'S 68 KING C. A. MUNRO Ltd. 22 Canterbury Street.

"ROYAL DOULTON" "Old Trentham Sprays"

A New Open Stock Pattern Comprising Dinner, Tea and Breakfast Ware at Moderate Prices Now Featuring a Special Window Display of This Pattern

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Conservative Organization Meeting for Women

All women voters in sympathy with the Conservative Party are requested to meet at the Church of England Institute Hall on Friday next, 30th inst., at 8 p. m. to organize and elect officers in preparation for Provincial and Dominion Elections.

The meeting will be addressed by Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, M. P., L. P. D. Tilley, K. C., and Dr. Murray MacLaren, M. P. FRANK LEWIS, Secy. Executive Committee. 9088-1-31

BUSINESS LOCALS

Good tobogganing at Lily Lake tonight. 9332-1-30

COUNCIL TOMORROW. A meeting of the City Council to pass the estimates and fix the water rate for 1925 was to have been held this morning, but has been postponed until tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

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ON INSPECTION TOUR.

J. M. Woodman, general superintendent for the C. P. R. New Brunswick District, returned this afternoon from McAdam, accompanied by J. H. Boyle, C. P. R. superintendent at Brownville. They are on a tour of inspection.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH.

The request of the congregation of St. George's church that the resignation of their rector, Rev. W. H. Sampson be cancelled by Bishop Richardson has been placed before His Lordship by William Sanderson and Frank Bell, rector of the church. The result of this request will be announced to the vestry. Meanwhile no information is given out.

Too Late for Classification

TO LET—From May first, pleasant central flat on Phoenix street, five rooms, bath and hall, all hardwood floors. Furnace—Phone M. 2507-2. 9331-2-2

FOUND—Purse, containing small sum money. Owner may have same, calling at 20 Castle street. 9329-1-29

LOST—Fountain pen, initialed S. A. S., between Victoria school and 307 Charlotte street, by Mrs. Queen Square. Finder Phone M. 2564. 9331-1-31

LOST—Parcel of carbon paper, Market Square or Smith street. Apply Canadian National Express. 9329-1-29

Chinese Lamps of Wondrous Shape

Exact mates of the faerie lamps that ornament the night in full splendour of rich Oriental Garden Parties have come to Marcus's these two weeks.

Twenty, thirty, forty—it matters not how many. The eye bothers not to count, but revels in each magnificence of Silken shape and color-glow.

From the nation of exquisite architecture, whose artisans gave the world its finest furniture ideas—the delicate beauties of these Lamps could only come out of a land of eternal romance.

Expect new enchantments in Floor Lamps, Bridge and other ornamental Lamps. Expect a new experience.

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When the Purify Milk Company forced down the price, they really acted as public benefactors. They have been termed as such by many poor people. It is up to everyone to support Purify and help them to keep down the price. Phone Main 5500 and order your daily supply now.

GUARANTEE SHOE SALE

Tomorrow will come news proving Francis & Vaughan's half yearly Shoe Sale the kind of Sale you like to hear about. Every pair of Boots, Shoes, etc., reduced farther than ordinary sales permit. For these reasons:—

- 1—Bought in larger quantity and at lower pricing.
2—We valued our stock below its real worth just to be on the safe side in figuring out our affairs.
3—That special reduction adds onto the regular Sale reductions, making them bigger again.
4—We stand behind the quality of every pair just as though bought at natural price.
5—Higher standards of utility. Read tomorrow's announcement.

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