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NEW ROAD

Campbellton-St-Leonard Highway to be Open in August

Hon. D. A. Stewart, Minister of Public Works, has recently announced that the Campbellton-St-Leonard highway will be open to motor travel this year, probably in August and that an official opening will be held.

The road is about 100 hundred miles long and was commenced in 1926. In 1929 it was completed to St. Quentin, leaving about 36 miles to be done. The final lap was divided into two sections, one of 15 miles started in 1929 and the 21 mile stretch in the spring of 1930.

The road will fill a long felt need in providing a connecting link between the western part of the province and the north shore and will be a valuable asset from the tourist standpoint.



HELEN DAVIES SHERRY.

Dramatic Soprano, well known musically in Toronto and Western Canada who will be soloist with the Canadian National Railways' All-Canada Symphony Hour, February 22nd. Mrs. Davies was for several years soprano soloist with the National Chorus of Toronto and in the early years of the Toronto Symphony Orchestra acted as soloist with them. Her home is now in Saskatoon, Sask.

STEEL FOR RINK HAS ARRIVED

The steel frame and roof for the Bachelor Club rink have now arrived and are being erected by the Robb Engineering Company. About twenty men will be engaged for three weeks in their erection.

PARTICULARS OF PROPOSED BILL IN RESPECT OF ELECTRICAL COMMISSION

The Bill which will be presented to the Legislature in respect of a Commission to take over the management of the electrical department of the Town has now been filed at the Town Office.

The Commission will consist of five members, four named therein, namely Archibald Fraser, Denis M. Martin, J. Frank Rice and F. Doid Tweedie, and the fifth will be the Mayor from time to time by virtue of his office. The Commissioners named will hold office for two years and after that one will vacate his office each year and the vacancy be filled by an appointment made by the Town Council.

To the Commission will be transferred all the rights and privileges conferred on the Town Council by the Act giving it authority to build the plant and distribution system, subject to several exceptions in respect of which the approval of the Town Council is necessary.

The Commissioners are obliged to take the same cash as Aldermen take, and will serve without remuneration.

All persons employed by the Commission will have to enter into bonds in favor of the Commission.

No member of the Commission can have any interest in any contract with the Commission without the approval of the Council.

Full reports must be made by the Commission to the Council each year and published.

The amounts of the Commission must be audited by a chartered accountant.



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LENT

The season of Lent has always been associated with the thought of personal religion.

It is well that it should be so. It is good for man's soul that he be alone with God, that he withdraw from the rush and bustle of life to quiet contemplation of his own relation to the abiding and eternal Reality.

Our Lord spent His Forty days and Forty nights with the Father, and he came out of the wilderness conscious of a definite and special relation to man. So may we.

He who holds communion with Christ and realizes his personal relation to Him becomes increasingly conscious of his place in Christ's society, the Church.

He finds himself linked with a great body of Christians who seek to carry on Christ's work and extend His influence. The name Lent (Old English LENCTEN) equals SPRING, because the days lengthen in Spring.

It is the season of forty days of fasting immediately preceding Easter, starting from Ash Wednesday (So called from the ancient practice of strewing ashes on the heads in the penitential office of the day) to Easter Eve, and is strictly a season of penitence and fasting in commemoration of Christ's fasting in the wilderness.

From the earliest times a fast would appear to have been observed before Easter, though it was long before the limits of it were authoritatively prescribed.

IRENAEUS, referring to the difference of opinion with regard to the celebration of Easter, says: "For a difference of opinion is not about the day alone, but about the manner of fasting; for some think they are to fast one day, some two, some more; some measure their day as forty hours of the day and night."

The Church historian, Socrates, says: "The Romans fast three weeks before Easter; the Sabbath and Lord's Day excepted.

The Egyptians and all Greece, and the Alexandrians, fast six weeks, and call it the Quadragesimal fast. Others begin their fast seven weeks before Easter, only fasting, however, fifteen days by intervals; but they also call this the Quadragesimal fast."

ORIGEN speaks of a fast of forty days before Easter, and in the fourth century the period appears to have been commonly observed.

The present mode of observance, according to which Lent is made to begin on ASH WEDNESDAY, was stamped with the authority of GREGORY the GREAT, towards the close of the sixth century, and appears to have been thenceforward generally followed in the Western Church.

In this mode of computing the forty days the Sundays are excluded. Some ancient Churches omitted Thursdays, Saturdays, and Sundays; others, Saturdays and Sundays. The Eastern Church begins LENT on the Monday after Quinquagesima.

The original intention of the fast before Easter was probably to commemorate those forty hours of gloom and sorrow which intervened between the Crucifixion and Resurrection; but sorrow over the passion and Death of Christ was wisely connected by the Church with sorrow for the sin which rendered the sacrifice of the Cross necessary; and in this way the fast, which might have been productive of little more than unprofitable idleness in idle emotions, was converted into a period of CAREFUL SELF-DISCIPLINE.

Moreover, throughout the Christian year the Church would have us follow, with a sacred sympathy, the example of our DIVINE HEAD, and share in His sufferings as in His exaltation.

We also need to follow the leading of the Spirit, and enter to the wilderness of solitude for fasting and communion with God. "There are those who rival one another in fasting, and show a marvellous emulation in it; some indeed who spend TWO WHOLE DAYS WITHOUT FOOD; and others who, rejecting from their tables not only the use of wine and of oil, and of every dish and taking only BREAD and WATER, persevere in this practice during the WHOLE OF LENT."

The Anglican Branch of the One Holy, Catholic, and Apostolic Church lays down no definite rules on the mode of fasting, but leaves it for each individual to settle with himself. The objects of Fasting are thus stated in the First Homily on Fasting: "To chastise the flesh, that it be not too wanton, but tamed and brought in subjection to the spirit. 2o.—That the spirit may be more fervent and earnest in PRAYER. 3o.—That our fast be a testimony and witness with us before God of our humble submission to His high Majesty."

Such objects of Fasting are to make us better men and women. Let us learn this secret. No more resolution to undertake hard rules and to face discomfort in Lent, will of itself avail. In our strength we can do nothing. No more dogged determination not to mind persecutor injustice will do. We need to believe to open the eyes of the soul, and to see Jesus at the Right Hand of God ready to succour us.

We need to embrace the Cross in every trial and suffering, and believe that it will really bring us in contact with the Lord we love. We need again to stretch out our hands to Him, trusting that He is near. We need to make Him the object towards which we strive. This will give a warm glow to our devotions in LENT. This will lighten our burden. This will endue us with real confidence and strength. The battle will be worth fighting "Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him that loved us." We shall be persuaded that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor height, nor depth, nor any creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

NURSE

Any person requiring the attendance of an experienced woman, instead of a licensed nurse, may kindly call at No. 5, corner of Burpee street and 17th ave., in front of Mr. Frank J. Rice's private residence. (Mrs. Henry Hubert). 1623-16-2626.

PERSONALS

Mrs. D. C. Philbrick was the hostess at a delightful Bridge Party on Tuesday evening. The prizes were won by Mrs. E. O. Houghton, Mrs. Chas. McAlon, and Mrs. W. A. Deschman. The guests included: Mrs. L. T. Tiller, Mrs. A. M. Kennedy, Mrs. L. C. Kelly, Mrs. A. Bourgeois, Mrs. G. W. Dore, Mrs. E. Rossignol, Mrs. J. Young, Mrs. Chas. McAlon, Mrs. W. A. Deschman, Mrs. E. O. Houghton.

At the conclusion of play, the hostess served a most delicious lunch. —Mrs. G. T. Kennedy left for Saint John Monday to attend an Agents' Convention of the Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada.

—Mr. Gusto Genberg and Mr. Aubrey Cambree are spending a few days in Boston and New York. —Mrs. E. W. G. Chapman is visiting her parents at New Glasgow, N. S.

—Mr. L. H. Sherwood spent several days in Montreal last week.

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FORD MOTOR COMPANY OF CANADA, LIMITED

PAUL GUAY SUFFERS PAINFUL ACCIDENT

Mr. Paul Guay, popular mechanic at the Creighton & Caldwell garage suffered a very painful accident on Monday of this week when a tire carrier bolt on which he was working broke. The head hit him in the left eye and injured it severely. He is under the care of Dr. A. Desrochers and it is impossible to say as yet whether he will lose the sight of the eye or not.

GALA DAY AT ST-LEONARD

The St. Leonard's Athletic Association has announced that it will hold a gala day on March 1st when horse races will be held and a hockey game played.

Horses from Perth, Grand Falls, Van Buren and other American Towns will compete and the Tigers Hockey Club from Edmundston will play the St. Leonard team. An excursion will be run on the C. N. R.

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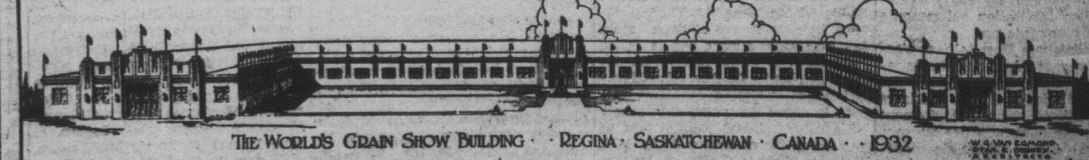
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First Picture of World's Grain Exhibition and Conference Building at Regina



THE WORLD'S GRAIN SHOW BUILDING - REGINA, SASKATCHEWAN, CANADA - 1932

This reproduction of an architect's drawing represents the magnificent building now being specially erected on the fair grounds at Regina for the purpose of housing the educational, competitive and commercial exhibits of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference to be held in that city from July 26th to August 6th, 1932. It will cost approximately \$200,000 and as soon as completed will be placed in charge of the National Committee of the World's Grain Show, who, under the direction of J. O. Turcotte, Dominion Exhibition Commissioner, will immediately commence and carry out the work of interior decoration appropriate for the big event of that year. The building is beautifully situated south of the automobile building. The main portion is 640 feet long and 120 feet wide. Each of the wings are also 120 feet wide and extend 300 feet from either side of the main unit, all providing a floor space of approximately 100,000 square feet. It is a substantially built permanent structure with stucco finish, allowing for ceiling space of 18 and 22 feet. Mr. Turcotte is well known in many countries, where he has had charge of similar work for the Dominion Government, and Canadians and others may feel assured that the work when completed will be not only suitable and appropriate for the occasion, but well worthy of the objects to be attained by this great undertaking.

Aux membres dawaska, Dieu de St Lettres de l

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