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NEW HOTEL COMPANY IS INCORPORATED

Total Capital Stock Is Two Million Dollars

Incorporators Are Premier Foster, S. E. Elkin, M. P., C. H. Peters, P. W. Thomson and H. P. Robinson—Other New Companies.

Fredericton, N. B., July 14.—Hon. Walter E. Foster, Stanley E. Elkin, M. P., C. H. Peters, Percy W. Thomson and Howard P. Robinson, all of St. John, are incorporated as the Hotel Champlain Company, Ltd., with headquarters at St. John and capital stock of \$2,000,000. The company is authorized to carry on business of hotel, tavern, restaurant, lodging and public house keepers of properties, public carriages, garage proprietors, etc.

Albert MacLennan, Charles Weldon and Walter McLeod, all of Chatham, are incorporated as the North Shore Motors, Limited, with head office in Chatham and capital stock of \$40,000. The company is authorized to take over the stock in trade of Albert MacLennan, also his garage, lands and business.

George Beaulieu and Leo St. Laurent, both of Saint Anne de Restigouche, Bonaventure county, in Quebec, have formed a partnership as the Atlantic Trading Company with head office in Campbellton, N. B. A business in dry goods and specialties will be carried on. The partnership is to last for two years.

Camille Richard of Memramouc, Maurice LeBlanc of St. Anselme and Albert G. Lezer and Ferdinand J. LeBlanc of Sonny Brook have entered into a partnership as LeBlanc & Richard to carry on a business of builders and contractors in Moncton.

Joseph Gagnon of Edmundston, Edmund Neron of St. Joseph, Quebec, and Jean Alfred Combes of Quebec City, have formed a partnership as the National Yeast Company to carry on a yeast manufacturing business in Edmundston.

Seventeen candidates are writing forest rangers' examinations here today. They are experienced members of the C. E. F. and one of the United States navy.

Miss Mary Ann Hanlan died here today, aged seventy-six.

Owing to a mistake in expressing one of the ballot boxes from Canterbury Station, the York declaration proceedings on Saturday's plebiscite have been postponed until 9 a. m. Thursday. The box went to Sussex. It will be sent here tonight.

Warsaw, July 14.—(By the Associated Press)—The plebiscite held in East Prussia, on last Sunday resulted in a vote of 45,289 in favor of Germany, as against 12,691 in favor of Poland, according to figures received here.

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LOCAL NEWS

POSTPONED.

The game which was scheduled to take place in the South End league this evening between the All-Stars and Franklins has been postponed.

A great many tourists passed through the city yesterday and it is thought that the rush is now at its height. The Governor Dingley brought 450 and the Boston train had to bring its passengers in two divisions. The visitors are for the most part passing right along.

A by-law case against W. T. Smith, charged with exceeding the speed limit at the head of King street, was resumed in the police court this morning and Mr. Smith said he was in the court on Saturday night when it is alleged the offence took place. The case was again postponed until tomorrow morning.

LICQUOR SEIZURE. Inspectors McAintosh and Kerr this morning at the Dominion Express Company's office noticed two boxes nicely packed, which to the contrary eye looked to be legitimate shipments. They became suspicious on account of the way the boxes were packed and on investigating found that each contained one three gallon jug of "good whiskey". The names on the boxes were fictitious and no trace has yet been found of the consignees.

A public auction sale of no mark and mixed mark logs was held this morning in the Board of Trade rooms in Prince William street, at which several thousand feet of unmerchantable logs were sold to various lumber firms. The spruce logs were sold to the Standard Douglas Lumber Company, Limited, at an average price of \$17 a thousand feet, while Murray & Gregory, Limited, purchased the cedar at \$15 a thousand net scale; hemlock, at \$16 net scale, and split logs at \$12 net scale. F. L. Potts was the auctioneer.

COMPANIONS IN DISTRESS. That the fog of last Sunday night was the worst seen in St. John for some time is the opinion of one woman who was returning to the city that night in a motor boat. It became so thick that they were soon lost. The engine was stopped and they shouted to try if anyone would hear and tell them their position. Finally some one answered and they were rescued.

STILL ANOTHER INCREASE IN FREIGHT RATES. Necessary, Says Hanna, if Men Get Raises on U. S. Basis.

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PRIZE BABIES IN TORONTO



Photo shows prize winners, from left to right, first, second and third respectively, taken at Baby Show at Military Hospital Sports in Toronto.

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AS HIRAM SEES IT



"Hiram," said the Times reporter, "did you see the circus parade?" "Yes, Sir," said Hiram, "I did. I come round here to your office to see you and I wasn't a livin' soul about the place. I went into another office and it was empty. I tried some more—and they thought there must be a fire or a murder, or something awful. Then I heard that steam calliope, an' I knowed what was the matter. Don't it beat all? I seen folks from the Settlement standin' there watchin' the elephants an' the tappers an' the wimmin on horseback. I seen old fellers that he'd a hair on their heads squerein' through the crowd so they could see the clowns an' hear what they said."

"We never grow so old," said the reporter, "that a circus parade does not appeal to us—do we?" "I like it the same as I do growin' peters; but I don't believe they'll live as long, or feel any better, when they come to the end of the parade. But did you see that clown tellin' the gals on the sidewalk that he'd a hair on his head? You couldn't see a circus without a clown, any more 'n you could see a crop without sunshine."

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HULL SAID TO BE A VERY WET PLACE

Hard Liquor Declared Plentiful Under Beer and Wines Licenses.

Ottawa, July 14.—The liquor traffic in the city of Hull since the granting of beer and wine licenses by the Quebec Provincial Government at the instance of the Hull City council is proving anything but satisfactory to the citizens at large, it being said that the illicit sale of strong liquor is being conducted almost at liberty, in every section of the city.

DIRECT ACTION TO FORCE HAND IN IRISH MATTER



British Trades Union Congress Votes

Nearly Million Majority in Support of Miners' Resolution to Have Troops Withdrawn and Irish Parliament Instituted.

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THE PREMIER'S WIFE



Mrs. Arthur Meighan, wife of the new premier.

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EUGENIE WAS VERY WEALTHY

Estate of Former Empress is Estimated at Above £2,000,000.

London, July 14.—The estate of the late Empress Eugenie is valued at considerably more than £2,000,000, according to the Daily Mail. Some of the jewels of curious design are considered almost priceless.

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AT BISLEY

Bisley Camp, July 14.—(Canadian Associated Press)—Lieut.-Col. P. E. Bowen of Edmonton, Major J. G. H. Brown and Sergeant Fulton of the Queen's Westminster, Gold Medalist 1912, and Sergeant Goutrix, East Lancashire Regiment will shoot off for the bronze medal and three subsequent places in the first stage of the King's prize. These competitors each scored 87.

Other Canadian scores at 500 yards were—Lieut. John Chandler, Woodstock, N. B., 88; Sergeant A. McCabe, Charlottetown, 82; aggregate, 94; Captain W. J. Sangster, Falmouth, N. S., 85; aggregate, 87.

Six competitors beside Captain C. R. Crose of Quebec, made 98. In the "Duke of Cambridge" competition at 900 yards, ten shots, Dr. Kelly, of North London, scored 47; Colonel Lloyd of the Medical Corps; Sergeant Fulton of the Westminster Regiment; Major Mounts of the Royal Air Force, each scored 46; Captain Douglas of Nottingham, 45; Lieutenant John Chandler of Woodstock, N. B., and four others scored 44. Sergeant McCabe of Charlottetown, 42; Captain W. J. Sangster of Falmouth, N. S., 41.

The all-comers aggregate shooting competition was won by Lieutenant B. G. of the Royal Irish Regiment. Sergeant C. A. Hawley of Winnipeg was nineteenth.

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TO REVIVE THE LAWS FOR CONTROL OF COAL SUPPLY

Announcement of Commission Is Expected Soon—Windsor Buys in Alberta.

Winnipeg, July 14.—It is learned through the Canadian Manufacturers' Association representatives who recently met the Dominion railway commission in Ottawa that it is the intention of the latter body to put into force again the fuel control laws which were abandoned some time ago.

The decision of the commission announcing the restoration of war-time restrictions on coal will be published soon. Windsor, Ont., July 14.—Acting on the advice of the Canadian National Railways, which arrived here yesterday, on route on an inspection tour.

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MUCH DAMAGE BY CLOUDBURST

Half a Dozen Towns Affected and Railroad Tracks Carried Away.

Spokane, Wash., July 14.—A cloudburst struck southeastern Washington and the Snake River Valley country of Idaho about 6 o'clock last night and washed away houses in at least half a dozen towns, and carried away railroad tracks.

Several fatalities are reported at Moscow, Idaho, but the town is cut off from outside telephone connection.

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CIRCUSES PAY MORE TO MEN WHO STICK THE BILLS

New York, July 14.—Contracts providing a twenty per cent wage increase for bill posters during the season 1921 were signed yesterday by officials of two large circuses at the annual convention of the international alliance of bill posters and billers of the United States and Canada.

The new scale calls for \$80 a month with allowance for expenses.

STRIKE AT ROBB PLANT IS ENDED

Amherst, N. S., July 14.—The moulders' strike, which has been holding up work at the Robb engineering plant for the last month, was brought to a close yesterday afternoon by a satisfactory agreement. The new terms are of 72, 70 and 78 cents an hour respectively, based on the ability and grade of the individual worker.

Operations will be resumed on Thursday morning.

ATTEMPT MADE TO KILL HINDENBURG

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