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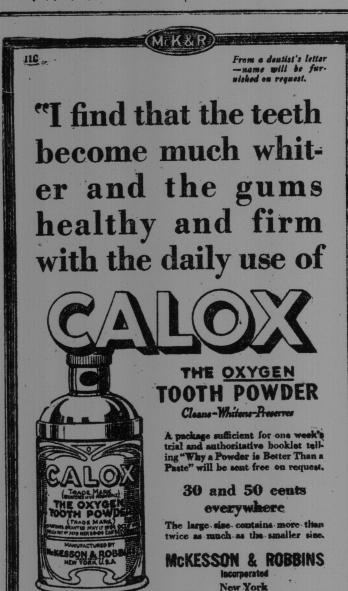
THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN N. B., FRIDAY, MAY 17, 1918 Little Bo-Peep Has lost her sheep And doesn't know where To find them. "Infants-Delight" Will make you bright, INFANTS-DELIGHT TOILET SOAP PURE white soap of exquisite quality, borated to soften the water and penetrate the pores of the skin. Fragrant and refreshing. Conveniently curved to the hand.

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### CAMPAIGN FOR EDUCATION ON LOBSTER BEGINS S. H. White is Elected Presi-

Dr. A. P. Knight Speaks of Waste in Conducting Hatcheries

SIMPLY TOO MANY

Experts to Urge Increased p Method Not an Economical H. P. Rob

That in the lobster hatchery in Charlottetown (P. E. I.), during one season only 100,000 fry were produced and reached the sea out of 62,000,000 eggs, was the startling statement made to The Telegraph yesterday by Professor A. P. Knight, professor of animal biology at Queens University, Kingston (Ont.), and a member of the board of biological research of the commission of conservation, Ottawa. Dr. Knight reached the city yesterday and explained that he came to New Brunswick to do some missionary work in the interests of the lobster industry.

The business of the company was reported to be bouyant and increasing but unfortunately not in proportion to the cost of lahor and material. This feature of the company was discussed in full, together with its probable effect upon the earning power of the matter will be looked into. It is hoped that a proposition can be made to the people of that place which will result in a marked improvement in telephone facilities.

The financial statement of the company.

The financial statement of the company is as follows:

Assets and liabilities March 31, 1918:

Assets, plant, \$2,025,977.59; supplies, \$93,988.09; accounts receivable, \$64,788.58; liquid assets, \$112,198.91. Total, \$2,296,943.17.

Liabilities—Capital stock, \$1,423,460;

One Open Season.

"There are ten districts in Canada with ten different open seasons," said Dr. Knight, "I would urge one closed season for all districts and one open season common to them all." June, July, August and September is the breeding season of the lobster and he was of the opinion that these months should be made closed season for the fishing of lobsters. He would also urge that the fishermen be allowed to take from the water no lobster under eight inches and no lobster over twelve inches in length. He explained that the lobster under eight inches had not reached maturity and the lobster over twelve inches was a breeder and should be left in the sea.

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"The lobster, of course, will never be exterminated as we have exterminated the buffalo and wild pigeon in Canada, but they will be caught in such large numbers that finally it will become unprofitable to fish lobsters in this country. "Increased egg production is what I am going to urge upon the fishermen," he said. He explained that in experiments, carried out at Long Beach Point, Digby County (N. S.), that in a compound in which he placed forty-seven females and seventeen males, on dipping the lobsters up three months later he found that sixty-four per cent. carried eggs while in St. Mary's Bay, near by, under ordinary conditions only four females in 100 carried eggs. He therefore urges upon the fishermen the necessity of constructing floating cars or enclosures in which may be placed lobsters both male and female and that these be allowed to remain there during breeding time. In this way he believes that the lobster industry can finally be brought up to the position it held some years ago.

While here, Dr. Knight will visit all the important canneries and place these facts and figures before the owners. In order to reach the fishermen seven gentlemen have been selected for different districts as follows: Professor Vachon of Laval university for the eastent districts as follows: Professor Vachon of Laval university for the eastern part of New Brunswick; Professor Hebert of U. N. B. for Cape Breton Island; Andrew Halkett of the fisheries service of Ottawa for the north shore of Prince Edward Island; Professor Mac-Clement of Ouera university for the Clement of Queens university for the north shore of Nova Scotia and Rev. Dr. MacGillivray, an authority on this subject will take the western shore of Nova Scotia. In this way it is hoped that the gospel of conserving the lobster will be brought to and accepted by the people.

## ANNUAL MEETING OF

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# N.B. TELEPHONE CO.

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LOBSTERS CAUGHT

Fredericton, May 16—The annual meeting of the New Brunswick Telephone Company was held here this afternoon beginning at 4 o'clock and following a meeting of the general board of directors. Officers were elected as following. Experts to Urge Increased

Egg Production and Protection of Females — U. S.

ling a meeting of the general board of directors. Officers were elected as follows: President, S. H. White; 1st vice president, Hon. F. P. Thompson; 2nd vice-president, Lieutenant-Colonel F. B. Black; additional directors are W. B. Snowball, R. O'Leary, F. W. Sumner, A. W. Bennett, J. M. Robinson, Lieutenant-Colonel, J. McArity, R. R. Errerson.

