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PURE FOOD LAW IN EFFECT.

Strict Regulations For Canning
And Packing Food
Products.

FORTY INSPECTORS.

All Must be Marked With Name
of Firm and "Canada,"
As approved.

The packing and canning business of Canada came yesterday under the inspection act of last session. All establishments doing an export or interprovincial business trade in meats, fish, fruits and vegetables, are subject to it. Establishments preparing meats will be under the act and are liable to inspection at any time.

The act provides and the regulations declare that only healthy, wholesome meats, fish fruits and vegetables can be packed and that all must be marked with the name of the firm and after inspection the words, "Canada approved."

There are from 25 to 30 meat packing places which will at once come under its inspection. There will be a staff of 40 inspectors set to work on Sept. 3 and for this year's work there is an appropriation of \$75,000.

The most striking feature of the regulations are the provisions for cleanliness.

It is declared that all establishments having inspection shall be suitably lighted and ventilated. All appliances, such as tables, trucks, vats, machines, containers, etc., must be kept clean and sanitary.

All steps in the course of production shall be carried on carefully and with strict cleanliness, and under the supervision of an inspector.

Rooms in which carcasses, parts or products thereof, are prepared shall be frequently whitewashed or painted and shall contain facilities for cleaning all equipments.

Employees of the establishments engaged in handling foods must be free from tuberculosis or other communicable diseases, and must observe such general rules as to sanitation as may be deemed necessary by the inspector in charge. No carcasses or parts thereof entering into the production of food shall be allowed to come into contact with anything that will contaminate or deteriorate them.

Covering used by employees to protect their clothing or persons shall be of material easily cleansed. Dressing rooms and lavatory accommodations shall be ample, sanitary and fully equipped, and shall be entirely apart from any room or compartment used for the production or storing of food. The yards or pens belonging to or used in connection with any establishment shall be maintained in a clean, comfortable and sanitary condition and shall not be used for the fattening of swine or other animals, nor shall any offal or other refuse from the establishment be utilized for feeding purposes. Ins-

CHATHAM DEANERY MEETING.

And Sunday School Teachers Con-
vene at Chatham Last
Week.

A meeting of the Anglican clergy, Sunday School teachers and other lay workers of the Chatham Deanery met in St. Mary's School room, Chatham, at 2.30 p. m., on the 27th ult., Archdeacon Forsythe presiding. After an address by the chairman, a paper was read by Canon Cowie of Fredericton on the Rector's Responsibility to the young of his parish. This paper drew out a lively discussion. Then followed a "sand table" lesson by Miss Ethel Jarvis, of Trinity Church, St. John, on the journey of the Israelites from the Red Sea to the Desert of Sin. This lesson aroused much interest and appreciative comment. A paper on the Power of an Ideal, was read by Miss Thompson, of Newcastle.

There was evening prayer at 5.30 and later a social gathering at the rectory.

Wednesday morning, Holy Communion was celebrated, at eight, and at ten there was a meeting of ladies, addressed by Mrs. Thomas Walker, of St. John, pres. of the Diocesan branch of the Women's Auxiliary, and by Mrs. Howard, secretary of the same society. As a result, it is hoped to have branches of the auxiliary formed in the different parishes represented. Simultaneously the Deanery chapter met at the Rectory.

In the afternoon the delegates took a trip on the "Dorothy N." which on her return landed the delegates at Bushville. They attended service in St. Paul's church, Chatham Head, that evening. Dr. W. O. Raymond, of St. John, preached from 1 Corinthians 16:13. After the sermon refreshments were served on the bank of the river near. The delegates then returned to Chatham, and attended the concluding service of the meeting in St. Mary's Church where a sermon was preached by Rev. Canon Cowie.

The Clergymen of the Deanery present were: Archdeacon Forsythe, Chatham; Revs. W. J. Wilkinson, Bay du Vin; W. J. Bate, Dalhousie; and F.W. M. Bacon, of Newcastle. The Lay Readers were Messrs. Scarey, Harcourt; McEvoy Flatlands, and Davis, of Doaktown. Among the lay delegates from Newcastle were Mr. J. G. Kethro, Miss Thompson, Misses Gertrude and Marjorie Davidson and Misses Jennie and Amy Morrell.

From Derby, Misses Crocker attended; and Misses Flett and Saunders from Nelson. Mrs. Bate, of Dalhousie accompanied her husband. There were also delegates from Campbellton, Harcourt, Bathurst, Dalhousie, Bay du Vin and Chatham.

Inspectors in charge of each establishment will suggest to the manager or owner any needed changes in the sanitary conditions, and will be required to report weekly to the veterinary general as to the general observance of this section.

Inspectors are authorized to refuse inspection if sanitary conditions are not observed.

\$15,000.00 IN CASH.

The FREDERICTON EXHIBITION makes its first appearance in our columns to-day, and the large amount of money (\$15,000) that is offered in premiums should bring together the greatest number of exhibits ever shown in this section. Fredericton has always put up a gilt edge Fair, and from appearances this year's will surpass them all. With increased facilities and large additions to their ground the management seem to be keeping pace with the times.

Starting with one small building in 1888, costing about \$400.00 and running a small County Cattle Show, offering a premium list of about \$500.00, and to-day with a plant valued at nearly \$25,000 and offering prizes of \$15,000, places the FREDERICTON EXHIBITION among the big fairs of Canada and certainly points to good management and enterprise in the last nineteen years on the part of the Association.

The programme for this year is a good one. Persons interested in Agricultural pursuits can feast their eyes on the best products of the soil of the Maritime Provinces and view the fine horses and pure bred cattle, sheep and swine that the Provinces-by-the-Sea are noted for. The Poultry and Pet Stock lover will have much to attract his attention, and the Ladies Department, Arts, Domestic and Fancy Work, promises a magnificent display of all that delights the feminine heart.

The management has not forgotten the Amusement end and offer unusual Special Attractions costing thousands of dollars, which have never before appeared east of New York City.

Special Excursion and low rates are offered by all transportation lines, and realizing that the "Celestial City" will be invaded by vast crowds of visitors during the week, September 14-21, the Exhibition Directors have opened a Lodging and Information Bureau, in charge of competent persons who will attend to the wants of all who are unable to find accommodation at the hotels. The management assure us that there is room and accommodation for all; everybody will be looked after and nobody neglected.

The following provincial appointments are gazetted:
Gloucester—R. D. Dunan, M. D. and Francis Joseph Melanson, to be justices of the peace.

King—James E. Hoyt, to be a justice of the peace.
Madawaska—George Henner, F. Connors to be justices of the peace.

Mr. R. A. Scovil, formerly of Gagetown, is the editor of the Sun, a new weekly started at Bathurst, N.B. The first issue made its appearance on August 16. The Sun is a paper of eight pages, and contains an amount of local and general news. Mr. Scovil is evidently a man of some importance in the community, as he figures as secretary treasurer of the board of trade, of the tennis club and of the Bathurst brass band.

PAPER MILL FOR CHATHAM.

A project that is receiving attention from some business men is the starting of a paper mill in Chatham for the manufacture, among other lines, of wrapping paper by the soda system which is at present being employed successfully in Norway. A suitable site has already been looked into, and the company will need a guaranteed supply of 1,000,000 gallons of water daily together with suitable assessment arrangements.

MILLER 233; MORRISON 207

Novel Contest Now Being Conducted by Local
A. O. H.

MUCH INTEREST.

Canvassers Hustling for Their Respective Favorites.

The voting contest between the friends of His Worship, Mayor Miller, and Mr. Donald Morrison, M. P., which is being conducted by Division No. 4, A. O. H., is getting lively and interesting. The canvassers are warming up to their task and doing all they can for their candidates. Each vote costs ten cents, and one can vote as often as he chooses. On September 12th a public meeting will be held in the Opera House, and the winner will be presented with a gold headed cane.

The vote at last report stood:
Miller, 233.
Morrison, 207.

Peter Hughes, a well known farmer of St. Mary's, York County had a narrow escape from death or serious injury on Wednesday from a stray bullet which whizzed by him while he was working on his farm near the St. Mary's rifle range. Mr. Hughes is of the opinion that the shot was fired from the St. Mary's rifle range.

The Chinese at Singapore, to the number of 180,000, have resolved to discontinue the practice of public ancestor worship, including feasts and public processions, and to devote the money thus saved, estimated at \$100,000 a year, to educational purposes.

On Wednesday afternoon a colored lad named Matthew Dawson was placed in quarantine in Dalhousie for smallpox. Dr. Meshae, chairman of the Board of Health, was immediately notified and diagnosed the case as smallpox. The patient is isolated about a mile from town. Dawson is about eighteen years of age, a native of the West Indies and came to New Bandon, Gloucester Co., about two years ago, but of late has been working at Charlo, Restigouche county.

A REMARKABLE RECORD
A remarkable instance of longevity and freedom from invasion by death has lately been reported of a Campbellton, N. B. family that of the late James Calder, who's death at 86 years was the first to occur in the immediate family in 65 years. The family contains thirteen children, all of whom with their mother, now 84 years old are alive to-day, the oldest being over sixty and the youngest 36 years old.

The largest skeleton of a prehistoric lizard ever found had been discovered in the rich fossil beds of Wyoming. It is 314 ft. long and one of the vertebrae weighed a little over 1,000 pounds.

"How do you like my new hat?" asked the first woman of the other at the matinee.
"Total cost was only \$20."
"Pardon me, madam," chimed in the disgusted man behind, "but you should include the price of my seat, which makes the total \$21.50."

Eight-year-old Parthenia—Mamma, I assure you the death of our canary has upset me dreadfully.
Mamma—Don't you mind, darling, papa will buy you another.
Parthenia—O, mamma, I would I could cry like a child.

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