# CANADIANS IN MEXICO

(Toronto Globe).

A bitter journalistic opponent of Liberalism and Liberal policies says Canadians who contribute nothing to the naval defence of the empire must call upon the British navy to safeguard the interests of the Canadians now in Mexico who may be in peril. That is true, but it is not the whole truth. When Sir Wilfrid Laurier went out of office tenders had been opened and were under consideration for the construction of four Canadian cruisers specially adapted to the very service that British warships may be called upon to perform for Canadian refugees on the Mexican coast.

Sir Wilfrid, with the courtesy that has always distinguished him, refrained from awarding the contracts while a doubtful political battle was in progress, in which his policy of naval self-defence was being keenly assailed in the province of Quebec as imperialism in disguise. Had he won the election Canada would now have four efficient ships of her own, manned for the most part by Canadians, to send to Tampico or Vera Cruz.

Mr. Borden won, aided by the anti-British Nationalists, whose leaders he rewarded with seats in his ministry. The cruisers were not ordered. Nothing was done to organize Canada's naval service. The men recruited under Laurier and placed in training were frozen out by discouragement. The policy of naval defence was made a party football, although Laurier in agreeing to establish a Canadian naval service had done so at the earnest solicitation of Mr. Borden and Mr. Foster.

Liberalism is not responsible for Canada's failure to protect Canadians in Mexican waters. Had the Liberal policy been carried out ample and efficient protection would have been available. How long does Mr. Borden propose, because of a pretended emergency in European waters, in which no one any longer believes, to leave entirely unprotected the coasts and commerce of Canada and the interests of Canadians in Mexico and other countries in Central and South America in which Canadians are doing business? National sentiment will in the long run compel the premier to return to the sound policy of a Canadian naval force, organized and controlled by the parliament of Canada. Why not now?

# OBITUARY

**Mrs. Archie Smith.**

St. Martins, May 18—The body of Mrs. Archie Smith, who died very suddenly at her home in Holyoke (Mass.), was brought here for burial. Mrs. Smith was formerly Miss Ida McCumber, of this village. She was 23 years of age and leaves to mourn besides her husband, an infant a few days' old, her mother, three sisters and three brothers. The funeral services were conducted Sunday by Rev. W. A. Snelling.

**Miss Sadie McDonald.**

Tuesday, May 19.

News has been received by Mrs. James Cunningham, of 194 Paradise Row, St. John, of the death of her sister, Miss Sadie H. McDonald at Bloomington, Ill. Miss McDonald was 15 years ago a resident of this city and was a frequent visitor here. Death took place at the house of another sister, Mrs. William Freeze.

**Wallace E. Brown.**

Tuesday, May 19.

Wallace E. Brown has passed away at the General Public Hospital of pneumonia. He is survived by his wife and seven children and also leaves two sisters, Mrs. W. Lingley of 87 High street, and Mrs. Charles Fairweather of Moncton, besides two brothers, Joseph and James, both of St. John. The funeral will be this afternoon from his late residence, 172 Chesley street.

**John Newall.**

Tuesday, May 19.

The death of John Newall, an aged resident of Randolph, occurred yesterday afternoon at the home of his daughter, who resides at Randolph. He was in the eighty-fourth year of his age, and had been ailing for some time. He leaves to mourn two sons and eight daughters.

**John A. Owens.**

Wednesday, May 20.

The death took place very early this morning of John A. Owens, Mount Pleasant street, after a long illness. He was 66 years of age and for nearly twenty years had kept a grocery store on Brussels street. He is survived by his wife, three sons, Charles F., James T. (who is in Calgary) and John Joseph, and two daughters, Mrs. M. J. Barrett and Miss Johanna who is at home. There is also one brother, Patrick, in Boston, and Mrs. Duffy and Mrs. Haney, of St. John, are sisters. Their many friends will sympathize with them in their bereavement.

**George Robertson.**

George Robertson, of Montreal, who spent several years in St. John in the employ of the James Robertson Co., died on Monday in Montreal, where he has been employed in recent years. Mr. Robertson was about forty-five years old, was unmarried, and had many friends in St. John who will regret to hear of his demise.

**Mrs. E. Jane Logue.**

The death of Mrs. E. Jane Logue, wife of William Logue, occurred suddenly Monday at her home in Hampton Village. She is survived by her husband, one son, George, of St. John, and three daughters, Mrs. Judson Appleby, of this city, Mrs. Charles Downey of Belle Isle, and Mrs. Charles Kane of Hampton. Two sisters also survive, Mrs. Isaac Foster, of Wickham, and Mrs. James Barnett, of Gagetown; and Daniel Logue, of Gagetown, and Alfred, of St. John, are brothers. Mrs. Logue was esteemed by a large circle of friends. Her funeral will be held this morning at 10 o'clock.

**Mrs. W. E. Barnes.**

Sackville, N. B., May 19—(Special)—The death of Mrs. W. E. Barnes occurred at West Sackville on Monday after an illness lasting about one year. She was seventy-four years old. Mrs. Barnes who was held in high esteem by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. She is survived by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. John Heron, of Kamloops, B. C. The funeral will be on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Interment will be made in the cemetery at West Sackville.

**John L. Ervin.**

Thursday, May 21.

Death came suddenly, last night, to John L. Ervin, a night watchman employed by the Street Railway Company at the car sheds in Union street, West Side. Mr. Ervin, who was sixty-seven years of age, and resided at the corner of St. James and Ludlow streets, was leaving home for work last night, after supper, apparently in his usual good health. He had walked only a few yards, however, when he was suddenly taken ill, and had to be carried back to his home, where he expired almost immediately. Dr. Neve was called in, but his services were of no avail.

Mr. Ervin leaves his wife, two sons and two daughters to mourn. He was much liked by his fellow employes, and many friends will hear of his death with regret, and extend sincere sympathy to his family thus so suddenly bereaved.

**Howard D. McLeod.**

Thursday, May 21.

Chief Justice McLeod last evening received a telegram telling him of the death of Howard D. McLeod, formerly of the Dominion Savings Bank here, which occurred at Los Angeles (Cal.), after a long illness. The late Mr. McLeod was 75 years of age. He was a citizen of St. John for many years and was favorably known in the business community. He went west some years ago for his health but failed gradually, although the news of his death will come with somewhat of a shock to his friends here. He was a relative of Chief Justice McLeod. He leaves his wife, who is at Los Angeles, three sons, George and Harry, who are members of the Hammond Lumber Company, California, and Guy, who is in the employ of that firm, and one daughter, the wife of Rev. Mr. Young, now in Prince Edward Island. Mrs. W. Oslip and Miss B. McLeod of this city are sisters. The burial will take place at Los Angeles.

**James Clark.**

Centreville, May 19—After an illness of a few days, James Clark, an old and respected citizen of Centreville (N. B.), died at his home, April 26, aged 94 years. He is survived by his wife and one son, Ludlow B., of Centreville. He was born at Keswick Ridge, York county, Jan. 20, 1820. Married Luck Burtt, Dec. 29, 1841, a daughter of Benjamin Burrtt, one of the first settlers of that place. She is nearly 94, and quite smart. They commenced house keeping on the old Clark homestead at Keswick Ridge, and remained there until 1846, when they moved to Upper Woodstock, where they lived twenty years. They had a family of ten, three of the number dying in childhood; the remaining seven married and five settled in the United States. Six are dead, Mary Eliza, wife of the late Rev. George Howard, died at Maugerville (N. B.); Eugenia, wife of C. Weston, at Hay Springs, Nebraska; Idella, wife of R. N. Gibson, Anaconda, Montana; Dr. A. J., Albion, Nebraska; Randolph K., of the firm of Rhodes & Ripley, Boston; Botsford R., civil engineer, Boston.

The old couple were members of the United Baptist church, Centreville, and celebrated the 72nd anniversary of their marriage last December.

**Walter Kenney.**

Thursday, May 21.

News reached the city yesterday from Somerville, Mass., telling of the death of Walter Kenney, a former Hampton young man. He died this week following an operation for appendicitis. He was taken ill on Monday and died just a little while after the operation. He was twenty-three years of age and had many friends in Hampton who will hear of his death with regret. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Kenney of Hampton. Burial will take place at his home. Rev. C. J. McLaughlin will conduct the services.

**Mrs. Otty Lingley.**

Thursday, May 21.

A second bereavement has come to Rev. R. Heine, Ph. D., who only last week suffered the loss of his wife. Early yesterday his daughter Ayesha, wife of Otty Lingley, a street railway conductor, passed away after a brief illness at her home, 188 Prince street, West End. Mrs. Lingley was but nineteen years old and had been married less than a year. She is survived by a baby son of only four days, her husband, father, three sisters and two brothers. The sisters are Bessie at home, Alice, married in Douglas, N. B., and Sarah, also of Douglas; and the brothers are Eulas of Caribou, Me., and Wilkins at home.

**F. Hedley Watson.**

Thursday, May 21.

The body of F. Hedley Watson, formerly of this city, was brought here yesterday from Boston for burial. Mr. Watson, who was about forty-eight years of age, was taking his dinner on Sunday when a bone lodged in his throat and caused him to choke to death. An ambulance hurried him to a hospital, but he was dead when it arrived. His body was brought to St. John by his brother, Walter Watson. He had been living in Boston for several years. His father, mother and one sister are buried in the Church of England burial ground. Mr. Watson once conducted a small store at the foot of Hanover street. He was for quite a number of years a member of the Artillery Band, and was also for some years a member of the Knights of Pythias. He leaves a wife and three daughters.

**Mrs. J. E. Cosman.**

Thursday, May 21.

Many will be sorry to hear of the death, last evening, at 9.30, of Mrs. Jennie Elizabeth Cosman, wife of Joseph Cosman, at her late home, 157 Barker avenue. Mrs. Cosman, who was twenty-nine years of age, leaves, besides her husband, two young daughters, her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. James Sullivan, of Gardner's Creek, St. John county; three brothers, William, of New York; James, of Chicago, and Arthur, of St. John, and three sisters, Mrs. David Smith, of 198 Carmarthen street; Mrs. Robert McKay, of 62 City road, and Miss Mamie, at home. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon.

**Isaac S. Vanwart.**

Sussex, N. B., May 20—(Special)—Isaac S. Vanwart, a highly respected citizen of the town, died at his residence today, aged 70 years. Mr. Vanwart was in good health up to about a week ago, when he was stricken with paralysis. He is survived by his wife and two sons, Everett, of Sussex, and Rev. E., of Millville, York county.

The funeral service will be held tomorrow evening at the home, conducted by Rev. Mr. McDonald. The body will be taken Friday morning to Hampstead, his former home, for interment.

# LIPTON'S BOAT BUILT FOR SPEED

## Sir Thomas Lets Outsiders Have an Inspection, But Many Important Secrets Are Withheld.

Gosport, England, May 21—Through the courtesy of Sir Thomas Lipton an inspection was permitted today of Shamrock IV in Camper & Nicholson's yard, where for several months the challenger for the America's Cup has been under construction and has been jealously guarded from the scrutiny of outsiders.

Charles E. Nicholson, her designer, assisted in laying bare some of her secrets, but refused to disclose all, notably that which is most interesting to yachtsmen, the sail area of the new challenger.

The form of Shamrock's hull, however, makes it evident that the sail area will considerably exceed the 8,000 and odd square feet which, according to the reports cabled here, the Herreschoff boat, the Resolute, will carry. If pitted against the Resolute in the cup races, the Shamrock will not only have to beat her but beat her by probably two or three minutes to win the cup.

The following figures of the Shamrock's dimensions may be regarded as authoritative: Length over all, 110 feet; length on the water line, 75 feet; greatest beam, 22 feet; draught without centreboard, 13.9 feet. With the centreboard down to its full extent the draught will be 10 feet additional.

Designer Nicholson throughout has paid no attention to beauty, his aim being speed, and that he seeks to obtain through the driving power of a big sail spread, rather than through fineness of model, for the Shamrock is decidedly a big-bodied boat.

The challenger will be fitted with a hollow wooden mast, the height of which is one of the secrets the designer would not disclose, but it will certainly be tremendous. The report that she will carry a Marconi topmast is erroneous. A steel mast will also be provided as a substitute for the wooden mast if the latter proves defective.

Shamrock IV's construction is composite, being of wood planked on metal web frames, which are in part of steel and in part of aluminum. The planking is of three thickness, the two inner skips running diagonally and the outer longitudionally.

**Think It Over.**

(Toronto Globe.)

In the course of a vigorous debate with Mr. Meighen as to whether Mackenzie & Mann had made any profit from the financing or construction of the road, other than the form of common stock, Mr. Bennett drew from the Solicitor-General the amazing admission that although Mackenzie & Mann, as construction contractors for the C. N. R., have spent $244,000,000 in carrying on construction and upon the purchase of rolling stock, no contract exists, or ever has existed, under which the works are being done. That is but one evidence of the disgraceful looseness in the relations between Sir William Mackenzie and Sir Donald Mann, the owners of the C. N. R. common stock, and Mackenzie & Mann, Ltd., to whom they have entrusted, without calling for tenders, and without even the formality of making a contract, the spending of a quarter of a billion of money.

When Mr. Bennett showed that according to the C. N. R. reports millions of dollars had been spent by the company on the purchase of the express business and lands and other property owned by Mackenzie & Mann, the Solicitor-General once more denied that the promoters had received any profit out of these deals, and stated that all the money received by them had been expended in wiping out obligations against the property so turned over. This gave the member for Calgary the opportunity to demand that Sir William Mackenzie and Sir Donald Mann shall go on oath before a Royal Commission or a committee of Parliament. The Globe hopes and believes that when the Liberals, who are precluded by the Rules from moving an amendment to the financial resolution now before the house, come to consider the bill which must follow it they will insist upon two vital amendments: first, that a majority interest in the C. N. R. stock shall be transferred to the people of Canada, and second, that the secrets and sinuosities of C. N. R. finance shall be disclosed on oath before a competent public tribunal.

**Aunt Paul's Black Bean Soup.**

Put a quart of Mexican black beans in a kettle with four quarts of water and any bones from cold roasts, steak or chops. Bring slowly to boiling point, skim well, and simmer slowly for four or five hours, stirring frequently. Then take out the bones and strain the beans through a colander, press the beans through with the back of a wooden spoon or potato masher as this takes out the skins which are tought and indigestible. Return the soup to the kettle, season with salt and pepper and let it boil up, add a cup of native wine and serve at once.

**A Young Diplomat.**

"Pa, would you be glad if I saved you a dollar?"

"I certainly would, my son."

"Well, you remember you promised if I brought a good report from my teacher you'd give me a dollar, and I didn't."—Boston Transcript.

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# CONDENSED NEWS, LOCAL AND GENERAL

The saw mill at South Bay has been down for several days because of the high freshet. The water is now receding, however, and will soon, it is expected, be low enough to permit the resumption of work.

John Bower, of Millerton, who is going through from Halifax, was at the Dufferin Hotel last night. He states that the New Brunswick Pulp and Paper Company's mill there will probably be reorganized in about two months.

No appointment has as yet been made to fill the vacancy on the school board caused by the retirement of Mrs. R. C. Skinner. It is expected that the selection will be announced at the next meeting of the government.

The marriage took place in Calgary, Alberta, on May 18th, of Mr. D. DeBlois Harper, son of the late D. S. Harper, of Shediac, to Miss Charlotte Coutts Cameron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Cameron, of Detroit, Michigan.

Christopher Little, formerly of Campbellton, fell down an elevator shaft at Calgary, receiving injuries which resulted in his death two days later. Mr. Little removed to Calgary from Campbellton some seven or eight years ago.

The ferry boat Premier, which formerly ran from Rothesay to points along the Kennebecasis river, has been thoroughly repaired, and is now owned by parties on the Miramichi, who will take her there in a few days for use for towing purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Walker, of Fredericton, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Miss Mildred Meredith, to Ronald Sutherland Machum, son of E. R. Machum, St. John, the wedding to take place in the early fall.

Thomas Wood, of Rogersville, was drowned on the C. B. Snowball Co.'s drive on North Brook, Tabusintac, on May 14. While running down stream behind the drive with three others on a catamaran, an overhanging limb of a tree caught him and swept him off the raft.

Detective Killen is expected to arrive home on Friday or Saturday from Winnipeg with a prisoner, George Menzies, who was arrested there on a warrant charging irregularities in his dealings with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, of this city, for which he was at one time an agent.

One day last week, John Verner, who resides at Lilybrook Farm, on the old Loch Lomond Road, succeeded, in landing two of the famous, coveted, salmon trout of Lattimer Lake, the combined weight of the fish being, nine pounds. The smaller trout was 20 inches in length, and the larger 24. Mr. Verner was accompanied by A. E. Brittainy of the city.

Rev. W. M. Fraser, of Halifax, was inducted Tuesday evening as pastor of Greenock Presbyterian church, St. Andrews. Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith, of Fredericton, presided. Rev. James Ross of St. John delivered the charge to the minister, and Rev. Thomas Harrison addressed the congregation. Greenock has been without a regular pastor since the removal of Rev. A. W. Mahon, to Toronto, in August last.

In the Queens county circuit court yesterday James Gibson, an immigrant lad fifteen years old was tried for an assault with intent to commit rape and an assault with intent to do bodily harm, the offences being committed against Mrs. Perry, an aged woman, last fall. A true bill was returned on both counts, evidence was taken, the prisoner found guilty and he was sentenced to two years in Dorchester penitentiary.

The local police, who have been requested by the Moncton chief to look out for Richard Melanson, of Humphrey's Mills, who is wanted there on a charge of desertion, have not been able to locate him, and it is believed that he has left here. Melanson's wife has complained to the police of Moncton that he has left her without a cent, and besides there are seven small children, ranging in age from two to thirteen years.

It is reported from Charlotte county that the prospects for the sardine catch for the season is very poor. The fish are later by a month than in the average year, owing to the delay in the coming of the finer weather. Only one Canadian factory is expected to be running for the season, that of Connors Brothers in Black's harbor. This will mean a serious setback to local fishermen who had been looking forward to a busy spring time.

Mrs. Ellen O'Brien, of 81 Leinster street, met with an accident while hanging out clothes for a family in Carmarthen street. Mrs. O'Brien was on a roof about sixteen feet from the cement floor of the yard. While pinning some clothes on the line near the edge of the roof, the line gave way and she fell to the roof of a small shed about six feet below. Mrs. O'Brien was assisted down from her precarious position, Dr. M. Case was summoned and ordered her removal to the hospital where it was found her left leg was broken just above the ankle.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Heffer, of Ludlow street, West End, celebrated on Monday evening, the sixtieth anniversary of their marriage, when many relatives and friends were present to extend congratulations. The house was tastefully decorated for the happy event, and Mr. and Mrs. Heffer were the recipients of many gifts. Richard Heffer is well and favorably known in the city. He has been a city constable for more than ten years. Though nearly eighty years of age he is still quite active. Mrs. Heffer is a daughter of the late Captain Thomas Bissett, a former ship owner and sailing master of St. John. They were married on Lolayist Day, May 18, 1854, by Rev. Dr. I. E. Bill when Mr. Heffer was not yet twenty and Miss Bissett was only sixteen. They lived for several years in St. John and other places before going to Newfoundland where they lived for some years, finally returning to St. John about eleven years ago. There were in all nine children, of whom only three are still living. They are Odber W., of Santiago, Chili; Mrs. Albert A. Smart, of Ronco (Pa.); and Miss Emma, at home. Mr. and Mrs. Smart arrived in the city a few days ago to be present at the celebration. Messages of good will were received from the son in Chili, and grandchildren who were unable to be present. Mr. and Mrs. Heffer have three grandchildren, Miss Virginia and Obder, children of Obder, and Clayton, of New York, son of Walter (deceased).

# WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRODUCTS IN ST. JOHN MARKETS

The quotations for sugar yesterday showed another increase of ten cents, following a similar increase last week. In the country market potatoes have gone up considerably, the price mounting thirty cents or more during the last week. The increase is only temporary, however, it is said, and a decline is expected soon. No other items are showing any fluctuation. It is to note though that onions are very scarce, and at the present time Egyptian produce is the only produce on the local market.

The wholesale quotations are as follows:

COUNTRY MARKET.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Potatoes, bbl | 2.00 | " | 2.20 |
| Beef, western | 0.12 | " | 0.14 |
| Beef, butchers | 0.11 | " | 0.13 |
| Beef, country | 0.09 | " | 0.11 |
| Mutton, per lb | 0.11 | " | 0.12 |
| Pork, per lb | 0.12 | " | 0.13 |
| Spring lamb | 0.13 | " | 0.15 |
| Veal, per lb | 0.07 | " | 0.09 |
| Eggs, hennery, per doz | 0.23 | " | 0.23 |
| Tub butter, per lb | 0.24 | " | 0.25 |
| Creamery butter, per lb | 0.26 | " | 0.27 |
| Fowls, pair, fresh killed, per lb | 0.22 | " | 0.24 |
| Spring chickens, lb | 0.30 | " | 0.00 |
| Lettuce, per doz | 0.00 | " | 0.70 |
| Bacon | 0.20 | " | 0.22 |
| Ham | 0.19 | " | 0.20 |
| Carrots | 2.00 | " | 2.25 |
| Beets, per bbl | 0.00 | " | 2.00 |
| Turnips, bbl | 0.00 | " | 1.00 |
| Amer. Celery, per doz | 1.50 | " | 2.00 |
| Squash, per lb | 0.00 | " | 0.08 |
| Turkey | 0.25 | " | 0.00 |
| Duck | 1.50 | " | 1.75 |
| Geese | 1.25 | " | 1.50 |
| Parsnips | 2.50 | " | 0.00 |

GROCERIES.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Choice seeded raisins, 1s | 0.10½ | " | 0.10¾ |
| Fancy do | 0.10¾ | " | 0.11 |
| Malaga clusters | 2.45 | " | 2.75 |
| Currants, cleaned, 1s | 0.08 | " | 0.08¼ |
| Cheese, per lb | 0.14¾ | " | 0.15 |
| Rice | 3.45 | " | 3.55 |
| Cream tartar, pure, box | 0.26 | " | 0.25 |
| Bicab. soda, per box | 2.10 | " | 2.20 |
| Beans, hand picked | 2.25 | " | 2.40 |
| Beans, Yellow Eye | 3.75 | " | 3.85 |
| Split peas, per bag | 3.60 | " | 3.65 |
| Pot barley, bbls | 6.65 | " | 6.75 |
| Cornmeal, per bag | 1.75 | " | 1.80 |
| Granulated cornmeal | 5.50 | " | 5.60 |
| Liverpool salt per sack ex-store | 0.75 | " | 0.80 |

CANNED GOODS.

The following are the wholesale quotations per case:

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|---|---|---|---|
| Salmon, pinks | 4.40 | " | 4.60 |
| Salmon, red spring | 7.60 | " | 8.00 |
| Finnan haddies | 4.50 | " | 4.60 |
| Kippered herring | 4.50 | " | 4.60 |
| Clams | 4.00 | " | 4.25 |
| Oysters, 1s | 1.60 | " | 1.65 |
| Oysters, 2s | 2.35 | " | 2.55 |
| Corned beef, 1s | 2.55 | " | 2.80 |
| Peaches, 2s | 1.47½ | " | 1.50 |
| Peaches, 3s | 2.00 | " | 2.05 |
| Pineapple, sliced | 2.00 | " | 2.05 |
| Pineapple, grated | 1.45 | " | 1.50 |
| Singapore pineapples | 1.55 | " | 1.85 |
| Lombard plums | 1.00 | " | 1.10 |
| Raspberries | 2.00 | " | 2.05 |
| Corn, per doz | 0.97½ | " | 1.00 |
| Peas | 0.87½ | " | 1.35 |
| Strawberries | 2.22½ | " | 2.35 |
| Tomatoes | 1.07½ | " | 1.10 |
| Pumpkins | 0.90 | " | 0.95 |
| Squash | 1.05 | " | 1.10 |
| String beans | 0.90 | " | 0.95 |
| Baked Beans | 1.25 | " | 1.35 |

PROVISIONS.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Pork, domestic mess | 29.00 | " | 29.50 |
| Pork, American clear | 24.25 | " | 26.25 |
| American plate beef | 23.75 | " | 24.00 |
| Lard, compound, tub | 0.11½ | " | 0.11¾ |
| Lard, pure tub | 0.14 | " | 0.14¼ |
| Molasses, fancy Barbados | 0.27 | " | 0.28 |

SUGAR.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Standard granulated | 4.50 | " | 4.60 |
| United Empire gran | 4.40 | " | 4.50 |
| Bright yellow | 4.30 | " | 4.40 |
| No. 1 yellow | 4.00 | " | 4.10 |
| Paris lumps | 5.50 | " | 6.00 |

FLOUR, ETC.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Roller oatmeal | 5.40 | " | 5.45 |
| Standard oatmeal | 5.95 | " | 6.00 |
| Manitoba, high grade | 6.45 | " | 6.50 |
| Ontario full patent | 5.85 | " | 5.90 |

GRAINS.

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| Middlings, car lots | 29.00 | " | 30.00 |
| Mid., small lots, bag | 31.00 | " | 32.00 |
| Bran, small lots, bag | 30.00 | " | 31.00 |
| Cornmeal, in bags | 1.75 | " | 1.80 |
| Pressed hay, car lots No. 1 | 15.00 | " | 16.00 |
| Pressed hay, per ton, No. 1 | 16.00 | " | 17.00 |
| Oats, Canadian | 0.48 | " | 0.50 |

FRUITS.

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| Marbut Walnuts | 0.14 | " | 0.15 |
| Almonds | 0.17 | " | 0.18 |
| California prunes | 0.08 | " | 0.15 |
| Filberts | 0.13 | " | 0.14 |
| Brazils | 0.14 | " | 0.15 |
| Pecans | 0.14 | " | 0.15 |
| New dates, per lb | 0.05½ | " | 0.06½ |
| Peanuts, roasted | 0.11 | " | 0.14 |
| Bag figs per lb | 0.10 | " | 0.15 |
| Lemons, Mesina, box | 3.75 | " | 4.00 |
| Cocoanuts, per doz | 0.60 | " | 0.70 |
| Cocoanuts, per sack | 4.00 | " | 4.50 |
| Bananas | 2.00 | " | 2.75 |
| New figs, box | 0.15 | " | 0.19 |
| Cal. navels | 0.00 | " | 3.50 |
| Florida oranges | 3.25 | " | 3.50 |
| Valencia oranges, Reg. | 4.00 | " | 4.25 |
| Imp. Valencia | 5.75 | " | 6.00 |
| Valencia's 714 | 5.00 | " | 5.50 |
| Onions, American bags | 4.40 | " | 4.50 |
| Onions, Egypt | 0.00 | " | 3.50 |

FISH.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Small dry cod | 5.00 | " | 5.25 |
| Medium dry cod | 7.00 | " | 7.25 |
| Pollock | 0.00 | " | 4.00 |
| Grand Manan herring, bbls | 0.00 | " | 5.00 |
| Grand Manan herring, half-bbls | 0.00 | " | 3.25 |
| Smoked herring | 0.14 | " | 0.15 |
| Fresh haddock | 0.08½ | " | 0.04 |
| Pickled shad, half-bbls | 8.00 | " | 12.00 |
| Fresh cod, per lb | 0.08½ | " | 0.04 |
| Bloaters, per box | 0.80 | " | 0.90 |
| Halibut | 0.10 | " | 0.15 |
| Kippered herring, per dozen | 0.00 | " | 0.90 |
| Swordfish | 0.12 | " | 0.15 |

HIDES.

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| Beef hides (green) per pound | 0.10½ | " | 0.12 |
| Calfskins, trimmed | 0.17 | " | 0.18 |
| Sheepskins, full wool | 0.90 | " | 1.25 |
| Sheepskin, shearlings | 0.10 | " | 0.15 |
| Lambskins | 0.10 | " | 0.15 |
| Wool (unwashed white) | 0.15 | " | 0.16 |
| Wool (washed white) | 0.23 | " | 0.24 |
| Tallow | 0.00 | " | 0.05½ |

OILS.

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| Palacine | 0.00 | " | 0.21 |
| Royalite | 0.00 | " | 0.18½ |
| Turpentine | 0.00 | " | 0.62½ |
| Extra lard compound | 0.00 | " | 0.91 |
| Extra No. 1 lard compound | 0.00 | " | 0.82½ |
| "Premier" motor gasolene | 0.00 | " | 0.23½ |

# WEDDINGS

**Ryan McCallian.**

The marriage of Patrick Ryan of Coldbrook to Miss Margaret A., second daughter of the late John and Catherine McCallian, was solemnized with nuptial mass in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception at 5.30 o'clock yesterday morning by Rev. William Duke. The bride, who was dressed in grey poplin, was attended by Miss Margaret Ryan, niece of the bridegroom. She wore a suit of brown with hat to match. Dennis Kent was the groomsman. The bridegroom's present to the bride was a check; to the bridesmaid a pearl and garnet ring and to the groomsman a gold signet ring. After the ceremony the bridal party drove to the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Ellen McWilliams, where a dainty wedding breakfast was served. Mr. and Mrs. Ryan left this morning for a trip to Boston, New York and Upper Canadian cities, and on their return will reside in St. John. They received numerous presents from their many friends.

**Stockton-Whelpley.**

Sussex, N. B., May 20—(Special)—A very interesting wedding was solemnized this evening in the Main street Baptist church, when Rev. George B. McDonald united in marriage Miss Nellie Whelpley, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Whelpley, of Sussex Corner, to Roy Stockton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. W. Stockton. The bride wore a pretty gown of white silk brocade and was unattended. Mr. and Mrs. Stockton left on the evening train for a short trip. On their return they will reside at Sussex Corner.

**Nordin-Babbitt.**

A wedding of much interest was solemnized in Germain street Baptist church at 5.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when Miss Helen M. Babbitt, private secretary to H. A. Powell, K. C., member of the International Waterways Commission, and daughter of George Babbitt, of Burton, Sunbury county, was united in marriage to Oscar William Nordin, president of the Swedish-Canadian Lumber Company, Nordin (N. B.) Rev. J. H. MacDonald, D. D., performed the ceremony in the presence of immediate relatives and friends of the principals. The bride looked charming in a traveling suit of brown, with hat to match, and she carried a bouquet of white roses. Frank B. Ellis gave the bride away. After the ceremony a reception was held at Mr. Powell's residence in Queen square, and Mr. and Mrs. Nordin left on the Quebec express to take steamer on a honeymoon trip to the old country. On their return they will reside at Nordin, Northumberland county.

## HOPEWELL HILL NOTES

Hopewell Hill, May 20—The annual meeting of the International S. S. convention for the parishes of Hopewell and Harvey convened in the Methodist church at the Hill this afternoon, a session also being held this evening. At the first session this afternoon devotional exercises were conducted by Mr. Wagstaff and Rev. Mr. Nowlan, Baptist field secretary, and addresses were given by Mr. Nowlan and Rev. W. A. Ross, field secretary of the International Association. Officers were elected as follows: John M. Keiver, president; Mrs. I. C. Prescott, vice-president; Miss Evelyn R. Bennett, secretary.

At the evening meeting devotional exercises were led by Mr. Curry, of Alma, after which President Klever took the chair and an interesting programme was presented including an interesting address on Teacher Training by Rev. Mr. Nowlan; music by the Methodist choir and an illustrated lecture by Mr. Ross, on the late World's Sunday School Convention at Zurich. Rev. Mr. Stebbings was present at both sessions and assisted largely in exercises. At the evening meeting the church was well filled.

Cecil McGorman, who has been in Ontario for some years, came to his home here on Wednesday.

Rev. Thos. Stebbings returned on Tuesday from a trip to Halifax.

## GREENWICH HILL ITEMS

Greenwich Hill, May 20—Wellsley Porter, of Westfield Centre, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Day for the week-end.

The Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Sanford, of England, are visiting their son, R. W. D. Sanford, who with his wife settled here a short time ago.

Mrs. George Cameron, of Day's Corner, who underwent a serious operation Saturday, is doing as well as can be expected; Drs. Jenkins, of Hampstead, and Jack, of Glenwood, performed the operation.

B. R. Cronk, who has been ill for the past year is gradually failing.

James Mankine expects to finish rafting his lumber in about a week.

Mrs. Charles Clark, of New Jerusalem, has returned home after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. George Cameron.

**Corroborative Evidence.**

The Unbeliever (after the spiritualist seance)—Surely you don't believe that the spirit of your dead husband upset all that furniture?

The Widow—Well, I don't know. George was dreadfully clumsy.—Sydney Bulletin.

For the bathroom, cork mats which can be rolled up are among the sensible accessories.

# ULSTER TROUBLE HAS EFFECT ON SPRUCE SHIPMENTS

## Belfast Merchants Fighting Shy of Any Large Purchases—Prices Low But Stocks Well Cleared Out.

"The majority of the Canadian shippers who make an annual visit each winter to this country have now returned home," says the Timber Trades Journal, London, England, "and though perhaps they have not had reason to congratulate themselves on the net result of their endeavors, they have the satisfaction of knowing that things might have been much worse. Owing to various causes, prices have not been so satisfactory, but manufacturers have made a good clearance of their stocks. The upper qualities of pine deals have been disposed of very well (at reduced prices, however, on last year's figures), and stocks in the Ottawa district being light, buyers on this side should be able to do well with their purchases.

"No doubt it would surprise the man in the street to hear that Ulster's troubles are having their effect on Canadian spruce, but the buyers of this material are fighting shy of purchasing except from hand to mouth, and until the political position is more settled in that quarter, the spruce market will not find relief there. Allowing for the difference in freights, the results to shippers should be equal to those of last year's trading. Unfortunately there seems to be generally a lack of confidence in the trade, and the sooner this pessimism is overcome the better for everybody.

"Sales of timber have been fairly heavy, but again on a lower level than that obtained last year. Waney pine is now at a price that it can favorably compete with teak for ships' decks. Although shipbuilders have been busy for some time, the present deplorable condition of the freight market is not conducive to active construction of cargo carriers, and too much must not be expected from these consumers—at least for the present. Hardwoods have kept their prices fairly well, and there appears to be a pronounced scarcity of birch timber."

# WEEPING ONION SCARCE ARTICLE

## Present Supply on Local Market Comes All the Way from Egypt—Prices High.

At present there is a great scarcity of onions on the local market, and the price is somewhat abnormal as compared with the price at this season in former years. The only variety of onions which can be procured here now is the Egyptian produce and the supply of this brand is limited, selling wholesale at five and a half and six cents per pound and retailing from seven to ten cents.

The American silver skinned onions have been relied upon in former years to supply the demand for the vegetable, as they are the hardiest and will last during all seasons of the year. The other classes—the Valencia, Bermuda, Egyptian and even the local material will not keep as good only when in season. Owing to the fact that the American silver skinned onions have been used up, the Egyptian produce, which is in season, has to answer the entire demand.

**HOUSEHOLD HINTS.**

In making salad dressing, cream and melted butter may be used in place of oil.

Soup should never be boiled in an iron vessel; porcelain or granite iron are better.

Rag rugs made of cotton wash well, are inexpensive and are often just the thing for the kitchen.

It is best not to serve the same dish twice a week unless it be a vegetable, as every one likes variety.

Don't forget to close the refrigerator door each time you use the box; the ice will last much longer.

Oysters chopped and served in the gravy of a particularly juicy porterhouse steak are very delicious.

The bone should be left in a roast; it will help to keep the juice in and will add flavor and sweetness.

Damp salt is an excellent thing to remove stains on cups and saucers caused by tea and careless washing.

Always take off the draughts of the kitchen range as soon as you have finished a meal, thereby saving fuel.

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