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THERE MUST BE A CHANGE. (St. John Globe).

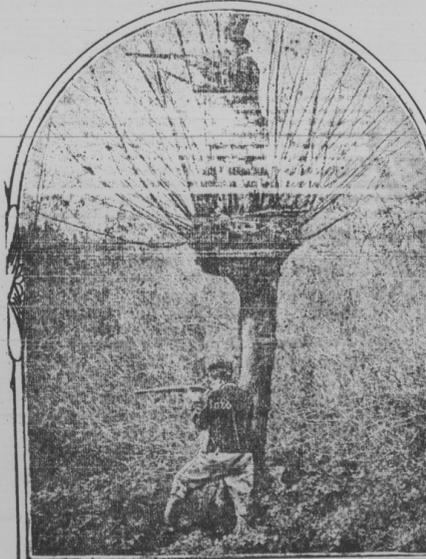
Hon. H. A. McKeown, Judge of the Supreme Court of New Brunswick; Hon. W. W. Wells, a former Judge of the County Court of Westmorland, and Mr. W. Shives Fisher, one of the best known men in mercantile life in the province, have set their signatures to two reports which must eventually compel the retirement from public office, if not from public life, of Hon. J. K. Fleming, Premier of this province. In the face of the reports they have made, it is absurd for Mr. Fleming, or any friend of Hon. Mr. Fleming, to think that he can continue to hold office. The Lieutenant Governor should not, and it is assumed will not, continue to recognize him as the head of the government of the province. His colleagues in office also should not, and it is assumed will not, longer recognize him as the head of the government. If he does not resign his retirement must be forced. No other course is possible if the good name of the province is to be maintained. The Commissioners who investigated the charges against Hon. Mr. Fleming are men of recognized standing whose fairness and impartiality cannot be impeached. A careful study of their reports will leave no doubt in the mind of reasonable men that Hon. Mr. Fleming has been given the benefit of every bit of evidence that told in his favor, and yet they were compelled to find that he favored a contractor on the Valley Railroad work to make his a personal payment of \$2,000. This finding, based on evidence given by Hon. Mr. Fleming himself, should make imperative his retirement from office, even if the reports contained nothing else. Unfortunately for Hon. Mr. Fleming, they contain much more. Almost as damaging as the Valley Railroad find-

ing is the Crown Timber Lands verdict of acquittal. If ever there was a Scotch verdict, that rendered by the Commissioners is one. The charge made by Mr. Dugal was that Hon. Mr. Fleming had authorized and directed Berry, the Crown Land official, to "extort" money from the lumbermen. The decision of the Commissioners is expressed in one of the most remarkable sentences in the whole document:

"Not being satisfied by the evidence that the Hon. Mr. Fleming is guilty of directing the extortion of said moneys by the said William H. Berry before the lands were classified, we therefore find him not guilty as charged."

In summing up before recording their above verdict, the Commissioners say "It clearly appears that the fund was raised with the knowledge and consent of Mr. Fleming." By these two reports the people of New Brunswick have their Premier presented to them as a man who compelled one public contractor to make him a personal payment, and as having consented to the collection of a large campaign fund from the lumbermen at the very time the lumbermen were making purchase from the government of valuable public rights. The careful and critical review of the evidence of important witnesses and the comments therein bring out the salient points so clearly that citizens who read the full report or the condensed summary in to-day's Globe, cannot fail to be impressed by the painstaking thoroughness with which the Commissioners have discharged a difficult and unpleasant duty. They have not reached the same conclusion as reached by the Globe with reference to the lumbermen's connection with the timber land frauds. Perhaps there are other points on which their conclusions will be at variance with individual opinions. Nevertheless, there must be recognition on all sides that the findings as respects Hon. Mr. Fleming are absolutely in accord with the evidence. No story ever told before a tribunal in this province was heard with deeper feelings of humiliation and regret than the disclosure made by prominent men of their part in the transactions now reported on. The one and only satisfactory note in the whole sad story is the declaration of the Commissioners that none of Mr. Fleming's colleagues were involved with him. The downfall of Mr. Fleming is made doubly sad because he himself, should make imperative his retirement from office, even if the reports contained nothing else. Unfortunately for Hon. Mr. Fleming, they contain much more. Almost as damaging as the Valley Railroad find-

BELGIAN SHARPSHOOTERS IN ACTION.



The tenacity with which the Belgian army is still hanging on to the banks of the German army is one of the satisfactory features of the war in Northern France and Belgium. As a writer recently stated: "The battle on the Yser has shown once again that the Belgian infantry soldier fights with as much courage as any in the world. The perseverance with which the regiments have held trenches under the continual fire of an artillery more powerful than their own and against repeated infantry attacks has been really heroic."

give way and see other men carry to completion the great works with which his name might have been forever associated. Without delay, the Lieutenant Governor of New Brunswick should make announcement of cabinet changes, and the new premier, whoever he is, should at once appeal to the people on a policy that will guarantee better administration of the crown lands than has obtained in the past. Anything less will make of the whole investigation a farce. The time to really grapple with the lumber situation has arrived. Failure to take the grip now will mean that not in a generation can the people have restored to them that which was bartered away by the Berry transactions.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS MEETING

Held Last Friday When Reports of Delegates to Sussex Convention Were Received

An inter-denominational meeting was held in the Methodist Sunday School room, Friday evening, Nov. 20th, to hear the reports of the delegates to the Provincial Convention of the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Sunday School Association. The Convention was held in Sussex Nov. 10-12.

Upon motion, Mr. John McLean took the chair.

The meeting opened with Devotional Exercises.

The reports, which followed, were divided into four parts. Mrs. J. C. Ferguson taking the first part.

Following Mr. Alexander's address was a conference.

Mrs. J. C. Craig gave us an account of the Wednesday sessions.

The morning session included the Reports of Committees and addresses by Rev. H. B. Beyer of the Bible and "The Times," and Mr. J. Alexander on "The Teen age field."

Mr. Alexander spoke of the stage in a boy's or girl's life when much is done for them by men and women which they should do for themselves. He considers this a crime against youth.

"Sunday School workers need not be Star workers, but God-fearing men and women, who not only are Bible students, but are tactful in leading boys and girls to act and think for themselves."

Wednesday afternoon was given to Denominational Rallies.

Thursday evening Mr. Alexander gave an address on Spiritual life of the Teens.

He was followed by Principal McKinnon on "The Call of the Church to its young people."

The Rev. Mr. Squires addressed us after Mrs. Craig.

The points in Mr. Squires address were—

I. The teacher must take full note of the development of the child.

II. Young people up to age of 16 years are more amenable to religious influences than later.

III. Amusement (the bare joy of activity), belongs to the child.

IV. The child's mind is closed to the mental world of the adult.

V. From 9 to 12 the child is a hero-worshiper. This too is the age of habit formation. The teacher must make the most of these opportunities.

Mr. J. T. Reid then gave us his impressions of the convention. Let us note a few—

I. Value of Sunday School work stands out as most important in the life of the church, (therefore of the country), and is the hope of the future.

II. Value of initiative.

The times demand men and women who do things. The reason many of us are not called to higher service is because we are not faithful in our smaller duties.

III. Value of personality.

If we in Sunday School work could only realize the value of personal touch—personal interest!

IV. Value of consecration.

He closed by saying "Our Victoria Cross is 'Well done good and faithful servant'. Are we doing anything to merit it?"

The meeting closed with praise and the Benediction pronounced by Rev. Mr. Squires.

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CITY TRAINING SCHOOL

On Sunday 22nd, a large number of Sunday School workers met in the Baptist church to discuss the advisability of organizing a City Training School. Upon motion it was decided to proceed to organize. The following is the result: Representatives of the different schools were elected to the Council as follows—Baptist Sunday School—Mrs. J. H. Jenner and Miss Currie; Methodist—Mr. J. T. Reid and Mrs. James Haines; Anglican—Miss Stickles and Miss Wilson; Presbyterian—Mrs. D. J. Bruce and Mr. M. A. Kelly. Brotherhoods and other societies for religious education are invited also to send in names of representatives to be members of the Council.

Rev. C. W. Squires was appointed president of the Council and Mr. R. B. Keith, secretary. The general meeting adjourned.

At the meeting of the Council that then followed the four Protestant ministers of the town were appointed members of the executive, also Mr. J. M. McLean, Mr. J. Collier, Mr. P. Carter and Mr. J. T. Reid.

The members of the Faculty were then appointed as follows:—Principal of Faculty—Rev. C. W. Squires. Vice-Principal of Faculty—Mr. J. B. Currie. Other members of Faculty—Miss J. Currie and Miss Annie Anderson.

PATRIOTIC FUND IS STILL SOARING

Amount is Now Over \$5000 For the Town Alone and Still More to Come.—Should be \$6000

As a result of this weeks collection the sum to the credit of the Patriotic Fund is now well over the \$5000 mark. This amount will yet be materially increased, and the total should be well over \$6000 for the town, before the finish of the collection. This week the committee acknowledge receipt of \$89.43, the proceeds of the Freeman's Dance, which speaks much for the kindness of the Fire Department. Preparations are also on the way for a large Patriotic Concert to take place in the Opera House here, probably on December 17th, and a large chorus is presently being drilled to take part in this entertainment. Fuller details of this will appear next week.

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This wheel the girl places on her head, while she carries a basket of eggs on her arm. When the music strikes up she begins to dance, and the wheel begins to spin around. She then takes an egg from the basket, places it in one of the thread nooses, and throws it from her with sufficient force to draw the knot tight. The spinning of the wheel keeps the thread stretched, with the egg at the end of it.

She then takes another egg from the basket, places it on another noose, and repeats this until there is an egg in every noose. Her fantastic costume, her perfect motion, and all the eggs swinging on stretched threads at once presents a curious sight.

It requires much art to execute the dance, for one false step would cause the eggs to be dashed together and the dancer to be disgraced.

After dancing for some time with all the eggs swinging round her head, she takes them out of the noose one by one, all the time keeping the wheel balanced and in motion, and again places them in the basket on her arm.

After the performance the spectators are allowed to examine the eggs to see that they are real.

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BRITISH BATTLE SHIP IS BLOWN UP

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"On Aisne, enemy endeavored to deliver an attack on village of Missi. Movement resulted in complete failure, with considerable losses to Germans."

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