

## EVENTS.

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## WANTED A BRIDGE

If the Board of Trade of Campbellton finds time hanging heavy on its hands we would suggest that it give some attention to the subject of a bridge across the Restigouche at Campbellton. It is evidently the intention of the Atlantic, Quebec and Western Railway Company to extend its line east to Gaspé and west to a point in New Brunswick on the Grand Trunk Pacific. The acquisition of the Atlantic and Lake Superior Railway is the first step in this direction. It gives the company a road from Gaspé to Matapédia. A portion of this line is now in operation and the remainder under construction. The company may enter New Brunswick at Matapédia and build a road almost parallel to the present International road. That Campbellton would suffer by the adoption of such a route goes without saying. But if the Restigouche were spanned by a bridge, Campbellton's interests would be safeguarded, for in that event it is unlikely that the Atlantic, Quebec and Western Railway Company would proceed with the construction of a road across New Brunswick, but acquire or utilize the International. As Gaspé is destined to become a mail and passenger port, if not a terminus, of a fast Atlantic steamship line, Campbellton's possibilities as a railway centre would seem almost unlimited with a bridge across the river. Therefore we trust that the Board of Trade will bestir itself. We have much to gain by having a bridge and a good deal to lose by not having one.

On the recommendation of the School Board the Town Council has appropriated about \$600 for purpose of increasing the salaries of the town teachers. Both the Board and Council are to be commended for this step. If there are any human beings on the face of the earth who are underpaid they are school teachers.

## DR. PUGSLEY OR, MR CARVELL.

A few weeks ago one of the St. John newspapers dubbed the Hon. Wm. Pugsley, "the man of the hour." He was that alright but there is no evidence to show that he was anything more. Perhaps however, he will loom large again when the date is set for the by-election in St. John. Meanwhile it is said that F. B. Carvell, the representative of the County of Carleton in the House of Commons is not losing sight of the fact that New Brunswick is without a representative in the Cabinet of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Doubtless Mr. Carvell would make a most capable cabinet officer, but so would Dr. Pugsley and the prospective member for the city and county of St. John has a very winning manner. Nevertheless it might be advisable for the doctor's St. John press agents to continue to inflate his stock, or at least, not permit it to deteriorate through his connection with a notorious libel suit, as a report from Moncton seems to indicate that it may. It is extremely unlikely that both Mr. Carvell and Dr. Pugsley will occupy cabinet seats at the same time. Sir Wilfrid Laurier will likely appoint the one having the strongest hold on the liberals of New Brunswick, although the Herald of North Sydney, N. S., says there is a possibility if not a probability of both Mr. Carvell and Dr. Pugsley being left in the outer darkness and Senator Ellis given the coveted plum. The Herald seems to think that this is the easiest way out of a difficult situation. But here's where the Herald's reasoning is defective. Senator Ellis, as the prefix to his name implies, is a member of that

exalted order of political has-beens known as the Canadian Senate. To be appointed to a Cabinet position he would have to resign his present seat and run for the House of Commons. Just where he could run and be elected we cannot imagine and it is doubtful if anyone else can. As it looks now it will either be Dr. Pugsley or Mr. Carvell—barring accidents, and at the present time the member for Carleton seems to be running strong.

Campbellton sympathizes with Dalhousie in the loss it sustains by the destruction by fire of the Dalhousie Lumber Co's mill. This is the second disastrous fire the shire town has had this year. We trust, however, that the loss on this occasion is but temporary and that a new mill will rise phoenix-like on the ashes of the old one.

The annual gab-fest of the business men of the Maritime Provinces takes place at St. John on Aug. 21st. In other words this is the date of the annual meeting of the Maritime Board of Trade. We haven't access to the minutes of this loquacious body but we should be much surprised to learn if its deliberations have ever resulted in one single solitary thing being done.

## FISH AND GAME.

The New Brunswick Fish, Forest and Game Association was formed at Fredericton on Wednesday evening, 12th inst. Fred M. Edgcombe occupied the chair. Among others present were Surveyor General Sweeney; Deputy Surveyor General Howland; Chief Warden Robinson; Norris Mander; Geo. McKay, Newcastle; Thos. F. Allen, steward of the Tobique Salmon Club; W. H. Allen, Pennier; and a large number of Frederictonians.

Letters of hearty endorsement were read from Ernest Hutchinson, Douglastown; W. B. Snowball, Robt. Loggie, and James Beveridge, Chatham; M. Mowatt, Campbellton; O. Turgeon, M. P., Bathurst; the N. B. Forestry Association; T. Lynch, Fredericton; John T. Rundle, Boiestown; and others.

Several prominent lumbermen of the North Shore, while approving of the object of the association, expressed the hope that it would also give attention to the question of forestry protection and the meeting unanimously agreed to conform to their wishes in this respect.

An interesting letter was read from A. Kelly Evans, secretary of

the Ontario Fish and Game Protective Association, telling of the good work which had been accomplished in that province. Acting Secretary Winslow submitted a draft of the by-laws prepared for the association and which were taken up section by section and adopted with some amendments.

Membership for the parent association was fixed at \$2 and provision was made for the formation of branches in counties, cities, towns and villages, they to pay a per capita fee of 50 cents. The fee for life members was fixed at \$25. Clergymen and teachers will be permitted to join free of charge. The object of the association are better protection of game and fish, protection of forests from fire and to carry on an educative campaign. Power was given the executive to expel members for cause, but they can be restored on two-thirds vote of the general meeting.

The annual meeting was fixed for first Wednesday in May. Every branch organization formed hereafter shall be allowed to nominate members of the executive. The organization will undertake the prosecution of violators of the game and fishery laws and a legal committee is to be appointed by the executive for the purpose.

The following officers were elected: Hon. pres., Surveyor General Sweeney; pres., C. Fred Chestnut, Fredericton; first vice-pres., F. B. Edgcombe, Fredericton; second vice-pres., J. S. Neill, Fredericton; third vice-pres., Timothy Lynch, Fredericton; secretary, J. J. Winslow, Fredericton. The following additional, vice-presidents were elected and power was given the executive to add to the number: Westmorland, J. W. Y. Smith; St. John, George W. Jones; Carleton, Dr. H. A. Green; Northumberland, W. B. Snowball; Restigouche, D. Richards, Charlotte; G. Chipman; Victoria, F. P. Allen; Kent, J. D. Irving.

T. F. Allen said he represented the Tobique Salmon Club and he assured the meeting that every member of that organization would join the association.

It was unanimously agreed that Fredericton should be the headquarters of the movement. Surveyor General Sweeney, in a brief speech, expressed his cordial approval of the object of the association and assured the members that he would be pleased to cooperate with them in protecting the fish, game and forests of the province. He praised the work of the tourist associations in making the attractions of the province known to outsiders and expressed the hope that before long there would be branches of the new organization in every town and

county of the province.

The secretary was ordered to have by-laws published for general information. All of the gentlemen present were enrolled as members.

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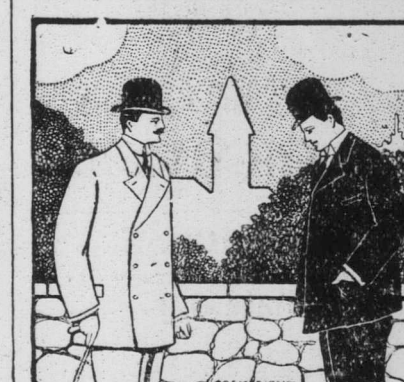
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