

The Weather: Sleet or Rain.

FLEMING FLAYS TWEEDDALE AFTER LATTER'S CHARGES AGAINST PROVINCIAL SECRETARY WERE PROVED TO BE FALSE

FREDERICTON, N. B., Mar. 24.—The legislature was in session until almost midnight tonight, while the speech from the throne continued. In all there were six speakers today and when the resumed tomorrow afternoon Secretary Fleming...

Then Mr. Tweeddale made some charges as to the administration of his duty of daily report in the appointment of the game warden. He claimed that one man had been drawing pay as game warden while he was really working in a mill owned by Mr. Burgess, his colleague from Victoria County. This raises the question of Mr. Burgess' responsibility as a representative of the county and the question is asked why he did not report the matter to the department.

IMPORTANT LEGISLATION TO COME EARLY NEXT WEEK

FREDERICTON, March 24.—The debate on the address has been unusually long. It began last Thursday with excellent speeches by Mr. Murray and Dr. Bourque, and has continued ever since the Opposition criticizing it in a small way at great length, and government supporters pointing to a long list of promises fulfilled in twelve months.

This week will be pretty well consumed with this debate. It has been men of windy type of Tweeddale, Byrne the Upham who have made the debate so long. Next week will find the House in the midst of important business, as it is unofficially announced that the reports of the Royal Commission of Enquiry into the affairs of the Central Railway and Agriculture Commission will be brought down.

CONFUSION REGARDING THE NAMES OF THE SYDNEYS

HALIFAX, March 24.—There has long been great confusion regarding the names of the Sydneys. There are three towns, North Sydney, Sydney Mines and Sydney. Last night at a meeting of the ratepayers of Sydney Mines, which is the seat of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Furnace, the question of changing the name of the town, which has been under consideration for some years, was dealt with.

SNOW DID DAMAGE IN COLORADO

DENVER, Colo., March 24.—Eight inches of wet, clinging snow, after several hours of steady rain, did damage in Denver last night estimated at \$200,000 to \$300,000 and out of wire communication with the outside world for many hours. Every wire of the Western Union and the Postal Telegraph Companies and every toll line of the Telephone Company was carried down by the heavy snow along with hundreds of poles. The city's fire alarm system was almost destroyed, 6,000 telephone wires in Denver were rendered useless and hundreds of trees in the parks and along the boulevards were damaged.

IDENTIFIED PEOPLE WHO KEPT HIM

Cleveland, Ohio, March 24.—Willie White today identified the man and woman held on suspicion by the Cleveland police as the persons who kidnapped him from the school at Sharon, Pa., last Thursday, and held him for the \$10,000 ransom which was paid by his father, Attorney J. P. White on Monday. Willie said the man who gave the name of Ames H. Boyle was the one who took him from school and carried him through a thicket and to Cleveland, where he was taken to a rooming house.

R. D. HANSON APPOINTED INSPECTOR

CHATHAM, March 24.—The appointment of R. D. Hanson as school inspector for York and adjacent counties, word of which reached here today puts the local school board at a quandary.

They assured Mr. Hanson that they would not oppose his applying for the position but they feel it will be hard to get a new principal at this time. Hanson must take up the new work in one month. The local school board will endeavor to reach the Board of Education and get them to ask Mr. Hanson to stay here until the close of the term. They point out that Chatham will suffer more by the loss of a principal than would the school districts by the lack of an inspector.

POLICE THINK THEY MAY HAVE CLUE

MONCTON, March 24.—The mystery regarding the disappearance of Oliver Morrell is in a way being cleared up. Morrell started for the lumber woods, Marshville, in company with an Assyrian named Hall. Hall returned to town and said he left Morrell on the Canadian river. Since then there has been a report of Morrell being dead with a bullet through his head. Today word was received that Morrell was working on a railway construction near Chipman and that clue will be followed up tomorrow. Morrell left a wife in Moncton and searching parties have been scouring Canadian woods for some days search of him.

WILL CLOSELY EXAMINE THE COMPANIES

HALIFAX, N. S., March 24.—The council of the Nova Scotia Trade, Halifax, has unanimously resolved to recommend the government to pass a bill now before the provincial parliament.

THE FRUIT INSPECTORS KIPT BUSY

"The fruit inspectors have been more strict this year than for many years and we have had more prosecution than ever before in any one season," said G. H. Vroom, chief inspector for the Maritime Provinces to a reporter today. "This year there have been forty prosecutions for violations of the fruit packers act, most of which have been for fairly marking fruit."

NEW BUILDING

SACKVILLE, Mar. 24.—Manager Putnam of the Royal Bank and his staff intend moving to their new building at Crane's Cove this week. The new building is one of stone and is perhaps the most slightly building in the town. It later has been fitted up very handsomely.

BROKE HIS HEAD

LEXINGTON, Ky., March 24.—Sir Dixon, one of the most prominent thoroughbred sires in America, broke his hip while running in the docks at Cole F. Clay's Runnymede stud in Bourbon County, and he killed today. He was foaled in 1875 and was the sire of many winners. Mr. Clay was once asked to put a price on him up to \$100,000 but he declined.

SHOULD HAVE CANADIAN MARINE THE EXCLUSIVE PROPERTY OF THE DOMINION AND NOT INTEGRAL PART OF BRITISH NAVY

MONTREAL, Que., March 24.—"If England were at war with France, Germany, or Japan, or any other country, and if Canada should think proper to abstain from participating in such a war that would be her exclusive affair. As a matter of fact it must be understood once and for all that Canada is free to contribute or not in any way when Great Britain create in the 'one in South Africa'—is the way La Presse newspaper sizes up the situation created by yesterday's article in the Toronto Globe."

CHURCH TO CELEBRATE OCCASION

On Sunday, April 4th, the Waterloo street Baptist church will celebrate the 67th anniversary of its founding. The congregation are making the affair a marked event. Sunday itself will be observed by special sermons to be preached by Rev. Dr. W. C. Kierstead, a member of the faculty of the University of New Brunswick, who will be in the pulpit at both the morning and evening services. The services will be continued into the week on Monday evening a grand roll call of the members of the church will take place and a varied programme will be carried out. Tuesday evening will be devoted to the social aspect of the anniversary. A large social will be held with all the liveliness which addresses, a musical programme and refreshments can contribute. A feature of the evening which should develop interest will be reminiscences by some of the older members of the history of the church.

MONTREAL EXPECTS BIG MOVE ON THE PART OF THE C. P. R.

MONTREAL, Mar. 24.—It is reported that the C. P. R. will shortly erect a large elevator and steel sheds at Longue Pointe, and that all ships of the company coming to Montreal will anchor at the wharves to be constructed there by the company. The report is based principally on the statement that the company has asked an option on the farm of Mr. Hormidas Lapointe, for a sum of \$90,000. This farm is situated west of Tremontville, and has a frontage of four and a half acres on the river. The ship canal at this point is only one hundred and fifty feet from the shore, and it is estimated that the deepening required to reach the proposed wharves would cost a comparatively small sum. It appears that the company has had an engineer at work along the river front there for some time past, taking soundings and observing the current, and his report is said to be entirely favorable to the project.

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