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## COMPENSATION RATES BOOSTED

Lumbering and Kindred Industries Must Pay Higher Rates.

An extra edition of the Royal Gazette contains notice from the Workmen's Compensation Board of an additional rate of assessment upon employers and industries of Class 2. This increase is not unexpected as it has been known for some considerable time that claims in certain classes were too great in aggregate to be met by the assessment. The increase varies from 50 cents for sub-division 1, which includes minor woodworking industries, to \$4 for logging; driving etc. Opposition to the increase was strong in certain quarters.

The details of the increase are as follows:  
1. Artificial limbs, wicker and wicker work, wooden articles, springs; boat building not over 25 feet; manufacture of canoes; coffins; cooperage; hand work; carpenter, joiner or cabinet work (shop only); furniture manufacture, including assembly; installation of pipe organs; mattress making; upholstering organs and pianos; picture framing 50 cents.  
2. Sawmills; shingle mills; lath mills; box, barrel and shuck mills; excelsior manufacture; lumber yard including delivery of lumber carried on in connection with sawmills wood cutters \$2.00.

3. Planing and moulding mills; saw and door factories, including lumber yards and delivery in connection with same; commercial lumber yards \$2.00.  
4. Logging, cutting of timber; pulpwood, firewood; railroad ties or sleepers; river driving, rafting; booming or the transportation of logs, timber; pulpwood; firewood; hauling lumber \$4.00.  
5. Pulp mills of pulp and paper mills \$2.00.

## MOVE TO EXTEND ANGLING SEASON

Fly Fishermen Are Anxious to Enjoy Sport on Rivers All September.

Fredericton, Sept. 15.—The fishing season for salmon in New Brunswick closes to-night, and fisherman are anxious to enjoy the sport on the rivers all September.

Along the St. John river the season has at times been especially profitable for the fishermen, and generally speaking the catch in the nets has been well up to expectations, the light rainfall having the effect of producing a reasonably steady run of fish.

On the North Shore in some districts the run of fish has not been so good, and recently a movement was inaugurated to have the net fishing season for salmon on the Miramichi extended, and the catch has been described as "extremely light." No definite information that the extension would be granted, as yet, has been published.

It is quite likely, however, that there will be a general extension granted for the season for salmon angling in New Brunswick, the dates specified for the season last, and it is expected that the season may be extended to one month, and may be continued to September 30. The date of closing of the season for angling season used to be September 15th, and the inspectors at a conference at Fredericton, Sept. 10th, the Provincial Government at that time is said to have recommended curtailment, and upon that recommendation the season was closed on September 1st.

Some of the fishing clubs in the province have recently taken the matter up with the Federal Government and J. J. F. Winslow, K. C. of this city, who has been acting as solicitor for some of those interested, stated this morning that, while he has not received any definite information as yet as to Ottawa's decision, he had been advised that Hon. C. W. Robinson as Minister of Lands and Mines was making a recommendation which was favorable to extension of the angling season until September 30th as in the best interests of the province because of the possibility of attracting large numbers of non-resident sportsmen to New Brunswick during the month of September.

**JAILED FOR FEEDING WIFE TO JERSEY MOSQUITO**  
Maya Lanning, N. J., Aug. 15.—Because he drove his wife down the road in the middle of the night to remain outside and feed the mosquitoes, which she asserted were the worst ever known, a man was sentenced to jail for feeding his wife to the Jersey mosquito.

His wife, Mrs. Margaret Scott, who preferred a charge of assault and battery, testified that her husband came in about midnight Tuesday, quarrelling with her and drove her into the street, where she was obliged to remain until early morning, stifled in nothing but thin night clothes.

## LATE NEWS FROM DALHOUSIE

Special Meeting of the Dalhousie Social Club—Mrs. Jas. Martin Died Yesterday

Dalhousie, Aug. 15.—A special meeting of the members of the Dalhousie Social Club was held last evening in the Club rooms with President Murray McKay in the chair. The following resolution of the members of Dalhousie Social Club in a special meeting, assembled expressly for the purpose, was adopted: That in the loss by death of one of their most valuable members in the person of the late J. Edwin Dean, and that this resolution be placed in the minutes and a copy of same be addressed to the widow Mrs. J. Edwin Dean.

Alderman Vallant was appointed secretary of the club to replace the late J. Edwin Dean who had always been a most efficient official and from the first took a great interest in the club.

**K. OF C. TO LAUNCH  
ORDER FOR BOYS**  
"Columbus Esquires" to Be the Name of the New Movement.

Montreal, Aug. 9.—The launching of a new movement for boys under the name of Columbus Esquires was formally announced today by the Knights of Columbus, at the 41st annual international convention of the order which is in session in this city.

The movement will be conducted through the 8000 councils of the organization. Approximately \$60,000 will be expended in the launching of the movement in the form of two men from each metropolitan centre who will take special courses for two years in this movement. It is estimated that there are at least between one and two million Catholic boys between the ages of 14 to 18 who will be eligible for membership in the branches of this new organization.

Deputy Supreme Knight Martin H. Cannon, of Great Rapids, Mich., is chairman of the committee in charge of the development of the movement. In no case will a branch of the organization be established unless the bishop of the diocese approves of it. The movement will be distinctly not in competition to the Boy Scouts.

The Knights of Columbus convention through Judge Wm. J. Day, of Boston sent a message to President Coolidge extending the sincere good wishes of the 800,000 members of the order and expressing the hope that his administration of his office might bring him the satisfaction that comes from the consciousness of duty well done.

Bishop Couturier of Alexandria, Ont., addressed the convention and stated that the organization was destined to play an important part in the history of both Canada and the United States and that it existed as a permanent bond between the two nations.

**FINDINGS OF THE  
FOREST CONFERENCE**  
Chief Forester Prince Returns From Attending the Sessions at Ottawa.

Chief Forester G. H. Prince, of the Department of Lands and Mines, has returned from attending the sessions of the British Empire Forest Conference at Ottawa, where he was the official representative of New Brunswick. L. S. Webb, assistant forester, has left for Ottawa to join the Conference party on their tour through western and central Canada.

Mr. Prince said to-day that he anticipated valuable results from the Conference when the final findings of the gathering have been made public at the conclusion of the sessions. Particularly will these findings be of interest to this province in the comprehensive treatment of the subject of forest fire prevention, he said.

Before leaving the session of the conference at Ottawa on Saturday, Col. Graves, chief forester of the United States, delivered an interesting address on the World's Forest Survey. This was the only address delivered by a forester employed outside of the British Empire.

**25,000 HOUSES SUBMERGED BY TIDAL WAVE ON KOREAN COAST**  
Tokyo, Aug. 15.—Tidal waves, combined with severe storm, have submerged 25,000 houses along the Yalu River and on the west coast of Korea. No estimate of the loss of life has yet been received, but it is said the damage to crops and the lumber industry will be heavy.

## TWO BAD FIRES LAST WEEK

Sargent Residence Badly Damaged—Buildings Burned At Tide Head.

A serious fire was narrowly averted on last Friday night when a blaze, originating from the electric wiring near the back staircase broke out in the residence of Mr. James Sargent on Argyle Street. The fire was discovered about 10.30. The brigade responded to the alarm with its usual promptness and by its timely and efficient work was successful in confining the flames to the rear interior of the building. The inmates assisted by neighbors rescued the furniture and other household effects so the loss in contents was not severe. Both the building and furniture was covered by insurance. The blaze did not occasion very heavy damage but the damage by water will be considerable, aggregating to at least \$1000.

**Fire at Tide Head.**  
The house, barn and several outbuildings belonging to John Christopher at Tide Head were destroyed by fire which broke out on the premises about 5 o'clock on Thursday afternoon last. The local fire brigade responded to the call, sent in a pump, but were unable to save the Christopher buildings, were successful in keeping the fire from spreading to other nearby buildings.

A strong northwesterly wind was blowing at the time and the blaze made rapid progress spreading from the Christopher house on the south side of the road to a barn and another small building on the opposite side of the road. A barn belonging to Robert Mair also caught fire but the good work of the fire department saved this from any serious damage. The blaze also spread to the woods nearby but was extinguished before it had made much headway. Mr. Christopher's loss will be considerable but it is understood that he carried \$3000 insurance.

**Fire in Lumber Yard.**  
A blaze broke out in the lumber yard of W. H. Miller Co., at Atholville the same afternoon but was extinguished before it had done much damage.

## ALL CHINESE MUST REGISTER

Collector of Customs Will Attend to This For Restigouche Co.

Collector of Customs C. B. Fairley at Campbellton has been notified by the Department of Immigration that he is authorized to register persons of Chinese origin or descent in the county of Restigouche in accordance with the provisions of section 18 of the Chinese Immigration Act.

Any person of Chinese origin or descent who fails to register, within twelve months from June 30th, 1923 is liable to a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars or to imprisonment not exceeding twelve months, or to both. The applicant for Registry must produce the Certificate (C 1, 2, 28, 30 or 36) for indorsement, etc.

Must provide three photographs to the registrar as well as other data required.

## SEED POTATO GROWING INDUSTRY

Fredericton, Aug. 15.—Steps which revolutionize the certified seed growing industry in New Brunswick are being discussed by a gathering of leaders in the potato trade at the second annual provincial potato field day at the Dominion Experimental Station here to-day.

New Brunswick had 3,135 acres of seed potatoes entered last year with 1,248 passing the final inspection and reports show that there are 2,784 entered this year; these figures place New Brunswick in the front rank of the provinces of Canada in this certified seed growing industry and show great possibilities for future.

In addition to growers many prominent dealers and shippers from the potato belt were gathered this morning together with officials of the Fredericton and Provincial Department of Agriculture and buyers from potato growing districts of the United States, including New York and West Virginia. A New Brunswick Certified Seed Growers' Association is expected to be one of the results of today's conference.

**F. O. B.**  
"I bought and paid for two dozen glass decanters that were advertised at \$6 a dozen f.o.b., and when they were delivered they were empty," said the client.  
"Well, what did you expect?" asked the renowned lawyer.  
"Full of booze. What else does f.o.b. mean?"

## SCHOOLS OPEN ON AUGUST 2.

New Staff Is Completed With Twenty-five Teachers On List.

The Campbellton public schools will open Monday, Aug. 27th. The teaching staff will consist of the following:—  
Francis H. Bridges, Fredericton; H. V. Colpitta, Lewisville, N. B.; Miss Amanda Quinn, Campbellton; Miss Margaret E. Smith, Harvey Station, N. B.; Miss Katherine Murray, Chatham; Miss Esther McFarlane, Chatham; Miss Hazel Hayes, Nashers Creek; Miss Audrey McKay, Campbellton; Miss Grace Calder, Campbellton; Miss Jessie Currie, Campbellton; Miss Susie B. MacPherson, Campbellton; Miss Frances Dickie, Campbellton; Miss Gertrude Lewis, Campbellton; Miss Margaret Doak, Doaktown; with John R. Vallis, teacher in the Commercial Department; and Miss Isabel Currie in the Domestic Science Department.

The Roseberry Street School staff is as follows:—  
Miss Catherine McNair, Principal, Jacques River; Miss Jeanetta Yorton, Campbellton; Miss Grace Calder, Campbellton; Miss Lydia Duncan, Campbellton; Miss Laura Dickie, Campbellton; Miss Helen Stevens, Campbellton; Miss Doris Buckley of Harcourt, Miss Lillian Fairweather of Hampton, Miss Clara Palmer of Rexton and Miss Beulah Baird of Chippendale and one aide slightly erring.

The occupants of the car said that the United States car was speeding on the turn and hogging the road and that after the accident it kept right on going. Several residents of the district said last night that the curve leading to the bridge was dangerous and the road ought to be widened without delay, as it is on the main St. John-Moncton highway and scores of cars pass every day.

## AMONN DE VALERA CAPTURED AT ENNIS

Ennis, County Clare, Ireland—Aug. 15.—Eamonn de Valera made his promised appearance to-day at a political meeting.

The Republican leader drove up in an open car, undisguised. He was given a wild welcome by a crowd of 1,000 people.

London, Aug. 15.—A despatch to the Press Association from Ennis, County Clare, Ireland, says Free State troops have taken Eamonn de Valera, the Republican leader to the barracks, most of this will go to Mrs. Florence de Valera, his widow.

In addition to being the chief beneficiary named in the will, Mrs. Harding is already well-to-do in her own right. She is not a rich woman but has a considerable estate of her own.

## INTO BROOK

Swerves To Avoid Another On Hampton Road—People Hurt.

A Fredericton automobile party had a narrow escape from death or serious injury Tuesday evening when their auto turned over after going through the railing of Pickle Brook bridge on the Hampton Road and plunged 10 feet to the bed of a brook. The car was owned by H. W. Estabrooks and in it were Mrs. Estabrooks and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barker. Mr. Barker was driving and had turned out to allow a United States car to pass. Residents of the district saw the accident and help was immediately forthcoming. The party were taken to the house of Ramsey Pickle and first aid given, while Drs. F. H. Wetmore and A. T. Leatherbarrow were summoned.

Mrs. Estabrooks had her back hurt, but it is thought not seriously. Her husband had his shoulder dislocated and Mrs. Barker suffered a cut on the head which required six stitches to close. Mr. Barker escaped the most easily of any of the party and sustained only a few bruises about the body. He was able to get around last night, and the other sufferers resting comfortably and expected to be on their feet soon.

The car was extricated from the brook by means of a block and tackle and towed to Hampton. The two was demolished and one axle slightly erring.

## HARDING'S WIDOW LEFT ABOUT \$750,000

Washington, Aug. 14.—The late President Harding was worth about \$750,000 at the time of his death and most of this will go to Mrs. Florence Harding, his widow.

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