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## Canadian Club.

The public discussion of the commission form of civic government, which was planned for the annual meeting of the Canadian Club, will not take place on that evening as Mr. Burditt, who was one of the speakers, has been called out of town. The subject will be taken up at a later meeting. On Tuesday evening next the annual meeting of the club will be held, and the routine business only including the presentation of reports and the election of officers, will be dealt with. This will give the members an opportunity to get away in time to attend the public meeting which the civic commission committee is planning to hold in the Opera House on the same evening. The committee expects to have as the speaker at this meeting Ernest A. Sherman, of Cedar Rapids, Mich. That city is governed by a commission and Mr. Sherman is a member of the board.

## Market Committee.

A meeting of the Market Committee was held in the Mayor's office yesterday afternoon, there being present His Worship, Ald. Jones and Ald. Smith. The matter of renewing certain leases in the Market building was dealt with, and some routine business disposed of. The Mayor said it was inadvisable to make public the recommendations of the committee in regard to the leases until a report had been made to the council.

## NEW PAMPHLET FOR PROVINCE

Provincial Department Issues  
Attractive Booklet in Interests of Immigration—English Farmer Delighted.

A pamphlet bearing the title, *New Brunswick, the Land of Comfortable Homes*, has been issued by the provincial department of agriculture for circulation in the Mother Country. It contains a good deal of reading matter dealing with conditions in the rural districts of the province, and pointing out the many advantages and opportunities which New Brunswick offers to the home seeker. The booklet also contains a number of illustrations, depicting farm scenes in the province.

At the end of the pamphlet space is given to a number of letters written to the superintendent of immigration by men from the Old Country who have settled in the province during the past two years. All of them are full expressions of satisfaction with conditions here, and one given below is of special interest, containing as it does, the impressions of one who was a tenant farmer in England.

To A. B. Wilnot, Supt. of Immigration, St. John, N. B.

Dear Sir:—Having had considerable experience in all branches of farming in England and owing to the increased rent rates and taxes one has to meet, which tends to make farming there no longer a profitable industry, I decided to come to New Brunswick. I arrived at St. John in September, 1910, I came up the St. John river 60 miles, and I must say, I was greatly surprised at what I saw. On either side of the river were neat well-designed houses, surrounded by beautiful, well-kept lands, with a background of forest of cedar, pine, spruce, hemlock and maple, very different from what I had expected to see. The country being so similar I could not realize I was away from England.

Since I have resided here, I can only come to one conclusion, that it, there are dozens of tenant farmers in the Old Country, working and striving to make both ends meet, which in most cases is an impossibility, loaded with such heavy demands; that it would be a great kindness and service in letting them know of this lovely valley, and inducing them to come out here and settle. The climate conditions so like England, the excellent markets, facility of transport, the luxuriant and abundant growth of all crops, the low rates and taxes, which only amount to about 5d per acre, an English tenant farmer with one or two sons can make money hand over fist.

I had an opportunity of seeing one gentleman's crops, which if I attempted to describe, I could not do credit to. Five rods of tomatoes I counted 34 fruit. Cucumbers galore, running all over the ground, ranging from 8 to 15 inches long. I myself, weighed one hundredweight of onions gathered from five rods of ground, these I sold at the rate of one penny per pound. Potatoes are also a clean, good growth and are fetching at the rate of 25c per bushel. Poultry and eggs make better prices than in England, and are kept much more cheaply. Beside all these advantages each farm has its area of wood, which provides all the necessary fuel, beside the timber which is a valuable asset to the farmer. I am, Sir,

Yours truly,  
**CHARLES J. HOWERS,**  
Late of the Line House,  
Teddstone, near Worcester, Eng.

## FUNERALS.

**Mrs. Jean Leavitt.**  
The funeral of Mrs. Jean Leavitt, widow of Daniel J. Leavitt, took place yesterday afternoon from St. Stephen's church. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Gordon A. Dickie. Interment was in Fernhill. The members of the Local Council of Women were present at the funeral services.

**Mrs. Emma Dowling.**  
The funeral of Mrs. Emma Dowling, wife of Arthur W. Dowling, took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Coleman, 254 Farmar street. The funeral services were conducted by Ven. Archdeacon Raymond. Interment was in the Church of England burying ground.

**Miss Margaret Holeman.**  
The funeral of Miss Margaret Holeman, daughter of the late William Holeman, took place yesterday morning at 8.45 from the residence of Edward Looney, 41 Hillyard street, toward Looney's church, where Requiem Mass was celebrated by Rev. E. Holland, C. S. S. R. Interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

**Miss Florence McNally.**  
The funeral of Miss Florence Gertrude McNally, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William McNally, took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 from her late residence, 25 Meadow street. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. C. Ford and Rev. G. D. Milbury. Interment was in the Church of England burying ground.

**Middleton Fire Losses.**  
The losses of the fire insurance companies in the recent fire at Middleton, N. S., have been adjusted, and total \$72,400, divided among the following companies:

Nova Scotia	\$1,500
Canadian	7,500
North British and M.	1,250
Acadia	7,500
Com. Union	8,800
Northern	5,500
London Mutual	1,500
Yorkshire	1,000
Sun	800
Atlantic Mutual	1,700
Norwich Union	1,200
North America	1,900
L. and L. and Globe	1,000
Druggists' Mutual	500
Western	3,200
Montreal-Canada	6,500
Ontario	3,000
Anglo-American	4,000
Western Canada	1,000
Dominion	4,000
Connecticut	2,000
Royal	7,000

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## MANY QUESTIONS ON BALLOT PAPER

In Addition to Commission Scheme Plebiscite on Bridge and Land Value Taxation is Asked For.

The indications are that the ballot paper at the next civic elections will be a formidable looking document, with a list of questions for the citizens to vote on as long as a top-galant bowline. At the meeting of the Bills and By-laws Committee yesterday a bill was drawn up providing for a plebiscite on the commission question in accordance with the decision of the Board of Trade, and Ald. Scully asked for a plebiscite on the question of spending \$300,000 on a bridge to Carleton, while Ald. Potts asked for another plebiscite on the question of putting taxes on land values, with a business license and a poll tax. Several bills ordered prepared by the council were drawn up, but the engineer's recommendation that the water assessment year be again charged to correspond with the tenant's year was left in abeyance.

Ald. Willet presided, and there were present Ald. Vanwart, Scully, Potts and Elkin, with the common clerk, the chamberlain, and the engineer.

Ald. Scully moved that the committee recommend that the council make arrangements for taking a plebiscite at the next civic elections. In April upon the question of contributing \$300,000 towards the cost of a bridge to Carleton. This was adopted. The city now has authority to spend the money.

Ald. Potts moved that provision be made for holding a plebiscite at the next civic elections upon the question of raising the taxes in the city by the taxation of lands, issuing of licenses and a poll tax. This was adopted and the committee adjourned.

## IN THE COURTS

## King's Bench Division.

In the case of Hall vs. Donaldson, P. R. Taylor referred two questions for decision of the court (1) Whether judge has jurisdiction to hear the matter under the statute (2) Whether the application to introduce third party under the judgment act applies. Justice McKewen is considering. Dr. W. B. Wallace, K. C., contra.

## Probate

Estate of James Hammy, journalist: Deceased died on 12th January, 1910. His last will was proved on 25th January of this year and probate is issued to John Kerr and William A. Seely, the executors therein named, who now file their accounts and ask for the passing of the same, such, however, not being the final accounts. Citation issued, returnable on Monday, 6th March next, at 12 o'clock noon. G. Edgar Logan, proctor.

## Argument of Counsel.

In the case of J. J. McGuffigan vs. Willet Fruit Co. Ltd., argument of counsel will be heard before Chief Justice Barker in the chancery division this morning. M. G. Teed, K. C., for plaintiff; A. A. Wilson and J. King Kelley, for the defendants.

## Peace Address Here.

Dr. James L. Tryon, assistant secretary of the American Peace Society, will be in St. John on February 26 and 27 and will address a couple of public meetings on the subject of the proposed celebration of the one hundred years of peace between Canada and the United States. The meetings will be held in connection with a campaign throughout Canada undertaken by the Society. Dr. Tryon will visit Buffalo on February 15, where he will consult with the members of the One Hundred Years' Peace Society, which is organized to prepare for the celebration.

Colif Leavitt of the Royal Bank, Bridgetown, N. S., came to the city yesterday to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. D. J. Leavitt.

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT MEET ON TUESDAY

Date of Legislative Opening Will Probably be Announced—Dairy Farmer Assigns Theft of Fountain Pen.

Fredericton, Feb. 2.—The members of the Provincial Government will meet here on Tuesday morning next. It is not unlikely that at this meeting the date of the opening of the legislature will be definitely announced.

Notice is given that at the next session of the legislature application will be made for the incorporation of a company to be called the St. Leonard's Electric Company. The object of the company is to carry on a general electric lighting business in the parish of St. Leonard's, Madawaska county.

Fred. P. Robinson, dairy farmer, of the Nashwaakias, has made an assignment to Percy A. Guthrie, of Crockett & Guthrie. His liabilities are placed at between \$5,000 and \$10,000, and the assets at about \$3,000. The principal creditor is Albert J. Gregory, of this city.

The wholesale grocery business established here about two years ago by J. D. Palmer has been sold to F. Randolph & Sons. Mr. Palmer was formerly connected with the G. E. Barbour Company, Limited, of St. John, and he has met with much success in conducting the business here. The controlling interest in the Hart Boot and Shoe Company business in this city, and he will hereafter actively connected with the management of that business.

## Daring Theft.

A large number of fountain pens, one reporting the number as high as sixty, were stolen from the McMurtry Book and Stationery Company's store a few nights ago. The police are working on the case quietly, and no public announcement has been made. A quantity of other articles were also stolen. It is only about a month ago that the same store was entered on a number of occasions, the breaks finally resulting in the arrest of William Hoyt, Jr., who is now serving a sentence in the county jail.

The annual meeting of the Cathedral chapter was held here last evening. Those present at the meeting included: Bishop Richardson, Dean Richard, Archdeacon Forsyth, Archdeacon Newham and Rev. Canons Neales, Hamington and Smithers, Hon. John P. Burchill, Dr. T. C. Allen and Messrs. A. J. Gregory, J. Morris Robinson and O. H. Sharpe. The report of the vicar of the cathedral regarding the new deanery was received and a committee was appointed to get further information regarding the advisability of selling the present deanery or repairing it. If the present deanery is disposed of a suitable residence will be rented for the dean. It is probable that a memorial to the late Bishop Kingston by the clergy of the diocese will be placed in the cathedral here and will consist of a bishop's throne. The chapter will consider the designs submitted and will probably give their consent to have the throne erected in the chancel of the church. They also received a report from O. H. Sharpe, who is on a committee appointed to open a new set of books for the chapter.

At the conference of the provincial board of health with the provincial government and members of the local boards at St. John on the 14th inst., will be the provincial health officer. It is understood that suggestions will be made for amendments to the public health regulations to be submitted during the coming session of the legislature. The secretary of the provincial board of health, Dr. Fisher, has written to the secretary of each local board, asking for suggestions on the matter and whatever suggestions are made will be considered at the meeting.

## STILL HOPE FOR GETTING NEW BOAT

Ferry Committee This Afternoon That Repairs Western Extension Cannot be Made.

A meeting of the ferry committee will be held this afternoon at three o'clock. The superintendent of the ferry service will report that it is impossible to carry out the recent resolution of the council to the effect that he should secure plans and specifications for repairs to the Western Extension that would make her serviceable for ten years.

The chairman of the committee intends to make another effort to induce the city fathers to consider the question of getting a boat to replace the Western Extension. The mayor recently received a letter from Halifax stating that they had contracted for a ferry boat about the size of the Laidlaw for about \$60,000, and it is the opinion of Ald. Potts that when the council realizes that there is no means of guaranteeing the Western Extension can be fitted up to give satisfactory service for ten years, it will be prepared to reconsider its latest decision and take up the question of purchasing a new boat, which would be able to meet the increasing requirements of the service for a decade or so to come.

## BRANDRAM-HENDERSON

Banquet at Place Viger Hotel—Feature of Annual Convention—Many in Attendance.

An annual convention of salesmen, branch managers and executive officers is fast becoming a habit among the more progressive of big Canadian business houses. One of the first to take up the idea was the paint firm of Brandram-Henderson, Limited, which they are among its most enthusiastic advocates.

Their last convention, lasting three days, was held in Montreal, just before Christmas. The salesmen gathered from as far as Winnipeg on the west, Halifax on the east, and the British West Indies on the south, to discuss past and future business with the president and other head office officials.

An evening of Grand Opera and a most enjoyable banquet at the Place Viger Hotel helped to make the convention the most successful which they have ever held. The interchange of suggestions among executive, advertising and selling forces, and the thorough inspection of the great Brandram-Henderson plant, filled every man in the organization with pride and confidence in his firm and his goods. The result will be a still more vigorous advertising and selling campaign this year.

With the well-known quality of their paints, varnishes and white lead to back up this campaign, Brandram-Henderson should have the most successful year in their history.

## Decided for Granite Paving.

The sub-committee of the board of works appointed to report on the recommendation of the engineer that Pond, Nelson, Mill and Dock streets be paved with granite blocks, held a meeting yesterday morning and decided to report in favor of the recommendation being carried out. The recommendation was carried out. The board was called for paying the four streets and that, if it is considered that the city should not undergo the expense of the entire work this year, that Nelson and Pond streets, at least, should be paved this year. It was also decided that the property owners in these streets should be notified to put the service pipes leading into their premises, into proper condition. There was some discussion as to the advisability of putting down some other material instead of granite, but it was the opinion of the members that for heavy traffic, granite blocks would be the most serviceable.

## GLOUCESTER MOVED BY TARIFF RATE

Fishermen Wait Upon President Taft to Protest Against Free Fish—Low Tariff Men Plan Coup.

Washington, Feb. 2.—Representative Gardner, of Massachusetts, whose district is crowded with fishermen, all of whom are bitterly opposed to the free fish paragraph in the proposed treaty, was engaged today in circulating a petition proposing that the McCull bill, embodying the reciprocity agreement, be made subject to an amendment on the floor of the house.

A delegation of Gloucester fishermen called at the White House in the course of the day to protest to the president against the removal of protection from fish. They said that they would be ruined if the treaty should go into effect. Gloucester might as well close up shop if the treaty is ratified, according to the mayor of the town, Isaac Patch, and the president of the Gloucester board of trade, J. Carroll, who were the spokesmen for the delegation. As they left the White House, members of the delegation said the president told them they were seeing ghosts which would disappear when the treaty went into effect.

Some of the low tariff men in the senate are planning a move that will undoubtedly cause great embarrassment to the administration, should it go through. On the ground that the American congress must act independently of Canada's parliament, they propose to put dressed beef, dressed turkey and a great many manufactured products on the free list. They will so amend the bill that agricultural products will not be the sole sufferers. In other words, they will simply use the proposed treaty as a wedge for all kinds of reductions, and let Mr. Taft take it or leave it.

They hold that the minute congress ratifies the proposed treaty it will be a law so far as this country is concerned. They would not care if Canada refused to accept the arrangement in that form, but see no reason why she should not, since she would then be getting all the best of it. If Canada wanted to make further concessions as an offset to further reductions on Canadian imports she could do so, but whether Canada may do so is no concern of the American congress, according to the insurgents.

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## MRS. D. T. LEAVITT.

Yesterday afternoon there was laid to rest in Fernhill the remains of one beloved by a large circle of friends, and who after only a few days illness, from which it was thought she was recovering, passed as she had lived, quietly and gently away. Mrs. D. J. Leavitt was a woman of sterling character, lovable disposition and beautiful personality, and the loss sustained by her death will be felt not only by her immediate friends, but by all whose privilege it was to have known her. Much sympathy is felt for the family.

At two o'clock a short service was held at her late residence at which only members of the family were present and at half past two a very impressive and largely attended funeral service was held in St. Stephen's church. Rev. Gordon A. Dickie officiated at both. The ladies of the Woman's Council, of which Miss Leavitt is first vice-president, attended the funeral in a body. Meetings of the Natural History Society and Protestant Orphan's Home Association were postponed so that members might attend. Among the many beautiful floral tributes were those from the Local Council of Women sent with the council's colors.

## OBITUARY.

**Mrs. Annie Dormandy.**  
Carleton lost one of its oldest residents yesterday morning by the death of Mrs. Annie Dormandy at the advanced age of 97 years. Mrs. Dormandy, who originally came from Newfoundland, had resided for a number of years with her son-in-law Francis T. Haley, and her death occurred at his residence, 42 Protection street.

## Knights Of Pythias.

The members of the Knights of Pythias in this city will on February 10th commemorate the anniversary of the founding of the order. The celebration will take the form of a church service, but as the arrangements have not been completed announcement of the speaker and the place of meeting will be made later. A feature of the service will be singing by a male choir, consisting of 50 members of the order.

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